# (Discipline Specific Core) (DSC-C5) English (Paper III) (Semester III) LITERATURE AND CINEMA (CBCS)

# Course Objectives:

- To introduce film and its relationship to literature to the students
- To acquire film literacy through a working knowledge of basic film terminology
- To develop critical approaches to engage with film adaptations
- > To establish a clear understanding of literature through film adaptations of literary texts
- To introduce the students to the issues and practices of cinematic adaptations

# Detailed Syllabi June 2019 Onwards

#### Module I

Theories of Adaptation

#### Module II

Adaptation as Interpretation

#### Module III

William Shakespeare's Comedy of Errors and its Adaptation Angoor (dir. Gulzar, 1982)

#### Module IV

William Shakespeare's Comedy of Errors and its Adaptation Angoor (dir. Gulzar, 1982)

# Division of Teaching: 4 Modules X 15 Periods = 60 Periods

#### **Prescribed Texts:**

Shakespeare, William. The Comedy of Errors, ed. Wells (Oxford, 1995).

William Shakespeare's Comedy of Errors and its Adaptation Angoor (dir. Gulzar, 1982)

# Suggested Reading:

Linda Hutcheon, 'On the Art of Adaptation', *Daedalus*, vol. 133, (2004).

Thomas Leitch, 'Adaptation Studies at Crossroads', *Adaptation*, 2008, vol.1, no.1, pp. 63–77. Poonam Trivedi, 'Filmi Shakespeare', *Litfilm Quarterly*, vol. 35, issue 2, 2007.

Tony Bennett and Janet Woollacott, 'Figures of Bond', in *Popular Fiction: Technology, Ideology, Production, Reading*, ed. Tony Bennet (London and New York: Routledge, 1990).

Deborah Cartmell and Imelda Whelehan, eds., *The Cambridge Companion to Literature on Screen* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2007).

John M. Desmond and Peter Hawkes, *Adaptation: Studying Film and Literature* (New York: McGraw-Hill, 2005).

Linda Hutcheon, A Theory of Adaptation (New York: Routledge, 2006).

- J.G. Boyum, Double Exposure (Calcutta: Seagull, 1989).
- B. Mcfarlens, Novel to Film: An Introduction to the Theory of Adaptation (Clarendon University Press, 1996).

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# June 2019 Onwards Pattern of Question Paper

Marks: 50

Q1. A) Five multiple choice questions with four alternatives	(5)
B) Answer the following questions in one word/ phrase/sentence each.	
(Q. 1 A and B to be set on Module III and IV)	(5)
Q.2. Answer the following questions in about 250-300 words	(10)
(A or B on Module I and II)	
Q.3. Answer the following questions in about 250-300 words	(10)
(A or B on Module III and IV)	
Q.4. Write Short Notes in about 100-150 words each (4 out of 6)	(20)
(three to be set on Module I, II, and three on Module III, IV)	

# Suggestions for Q.3 and Q.4:

- A film/book review of the prescribed film/text
- Comparative study of the text and film adaptation based on technique, cinematic liberty, distortion, plot, characterization, language, theme, etc.
- From page to stage difference between the textual aesthetics and film aesthetics
- Questions based on the theory of adaptation
- Structural elements of the text and the film
- Questions based on text and context

# (Discipline Specific Core) (DSC-C29) English (Paper V) (Semester IV) LITERATURE AND CINEMA (CBCS)

# Course Objectives:

- To introduce film and its relationship to literature to the students
- > To acquire film literacy through a working knowledge of basic film terminology
- > To develop critical approaches to engage with film adaptations
- > To establish a clear understanding of literature through film adaptations of literary texts
- To introduce students to the issues and practices of cinematic adaptations

# Detailed Syllabi June 2019 Onwards

#### Module I

Transformation and Transposition

Module II

Hollywood and 'Bollywood'

Module III

Chetan Bhagat's Five Point Someone and its Adaptation 3 Idiots (dir. Rajkumar Hirani, 2009)

Module IV

Chetan Bhagat's Five Point Someone and its Adaptation 3 Idiots (dir. Rajkumar Hirani, 2009)

# Division of Teaching: 4 X 15 Periods = 60 Periods

# **Prescribed Text:**

Bhagat, Chetan, Five Points Someone. New Delhi: Rupa & Co. 2004.

Chetan Bhagat's Five Point Someone and its Adaptation 3 Idiots (dir. Rajkumar Hirani, 2009)

# Suggested Reading:

Linda Hutcheon, 'On the Art of Adaptation', Daedalus, vol. 133, (2004).

Thomas Leitch, 'Adaptation Studies at Crossroads', *Adaptation*, 2008, vol.1, no.1, pp. 63–77. Poonam Trivedi, 'Filmi Shakespeare', *Litfilm Quarterly*, vol. 35, issue 2, 2007.

Tony Bennett and Janet Woollacott, 'Figures of Bond', in *Popular Fiction: Technology, Ideology, Production, Reading*, ed. Tony Bennet (London and New York: Routledge, 1990).

Deborah Cartmell and Imelda Whelehan, eds., *The Cambridge Companion to Literature on Screen* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2007).

John M. Desmond and Peter Hawkes, *Adaptation: Studying Film and Literature* (New York: McGraw-Hill, 2005).

Linda Hutcheon, A Theory of Adaptation (New York: Routledge, 2006).

J.G. Boyum, Double Exposure (Calcutta: Seagull, 1989).

B. Mcfarlens, Novel to Film: An Introduction to the Theory of Adaptation (Clarendon University Press, 1996).

Biswas Mun Mun Das, "Depiction of Youth Culture in Chetan Bhagat's Five Point Someone" The Criterion: An International Journal in English, Vo.4, Issue-II, April 2013, http://www.the-criterion.com/V4/n2/Mun.pdf

# B. A. Part II (Discipline Specific Core) (DSC-C29) English (Paper V) (Semester IV) LITERATURE AND CINEMA (CBCS)

# June 2019 Onwards Pattern of Question Paper

Marks: 50

Q1. A) Five multiple choice questions with four alternatives

B) Answer the following questions in one word/ phrase/sentence

(Q. 1 A and B to be set on Module III and IV)

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Q2. Answer the following questions in about 250-300 words

(A or B on Module I and II)

Q3. Answer the following questions in about 250-300 words

(A or B on Module III and IV)

Q4. Write Short Notes in about 100-150 words each (4 out of 6)

(three to be set on Module I, II, & three on Module III, IV)

# Suggestions for Q.3 and Q.4:

- A film/book review of the prescribed film/text
- Comparative study of the text and film adaptation based on technique, cinematic liberty, distortion, plot, characterization, language, theme, etc.
- From page to stage difference between the textual aesthetics and film aesthetics
- Questions based on the theory of adaptation
- Structural elements of the text and the film
- Questions based on text and context

# (Discipline Specific Core) (DSC-C6) English (Paper IV) (Semester III) PARTITION LITERATURE (CBCS)

# Course Objectives:

- To create an awareness of the partition scenario among the students
- To explain the hidden human dimensions of the partition to the students
- To elaborate on the impact of partition on society

# Detailed Syllabi June 2019 Onwards

#### Module I

Partition: Causes and Effects

Module II

Communal conflicts and Violence

Module III

Khushwant Singh's A Train to Pakistan

Module IV

Khushwant Singh's A Train to Pakistan

# Division of Teaching: 4 Modules X 15 Periods = 60 Periods

#### **Prescribed Text:**

Singh, Khushwant. A Train to Pakistan. New Delhi: Ravi Dayal Publishers, 1956.

#### Suggested Reading:

Ritu Menon and Kamala Bhasin, 'Introduction', in *Borders and Boundaries* (New Delhi: Kali for Women, 1998).

Sukirta P. Kumar, Narrating Partition (Delhi: Indialog 2004).

Urvashi Butalia, *The Other Side of Silence: Voices from the Partition of India* (New Delhi: Kali for Women, 2000).

More, D.R. The Novels on the Indian Partition, Jaipur, Shruti Publication, 2008.

Sigmund Freud, 'Mourning and Melancholia', in *The Complete Psychological Works of Sigmund Freud*, tr. James Strachey (London: Hogarth Press, 1953) pp. 3041-53.

Beniwal, Anup. Representing Partition: History, Violence and Narration. Delhi: Shakti Book House. 2005.

Bhalla, Alok. Partition Dialogues: Memories of a Lost Home. New Delhi: Oxford University Press. 2006.

Sharma, V.P. "Communalism and its Motifs in three Post Independence Novels: Khushwant Singh's *A Train to Pakistan*, Bhisham Sahni's *Tamas* and Chaman Nahal's *Azadi*," *Recent Indian English Literature*. Ed. S.D. Sharma, Karnal: Natraj Publishing House, 1998. Print.

Shyam. M. Asnani. "The Theme of Partition in the Indo-English Novel." *New Dimensions of Indian English Novel*. New Delhi: Doaba House Publication, 1988.38-50. Print.

# (Discipline Specific Core) (DSC-C30) English (Paper VI) (Semester IV) PARTITION LITERATURE (CBCS)

# Detailed Syllabi June 2019 Onwards

#### Module I

Impact of Partition on Women

# Module II

Home and Exile

# Module III Short Stories:

Toba Tek Singh
The Final Solution

Saadat Hasan MantoManik Bandopadhyay

Module IV Short Stories:

Defend Yourself Against Me - Bapsi Sidhwa

A Leaf in the Storm - Lalithambika Antharjanam

# Division of Teaching: 4 Modules X 15 Periods = 60 Periods

#### Short Stories Prescribed From:

Saadat Hasan Manto, "Toba Tek Singh", in *Black Margins: Manto*, tr. M. Asaduddin (New Delhi: Katha, 2003) pp. 212–20.

Manik Bandhopadhya, 'The Final Solution', tr. Rani Ray, *Mapmaking: Partition Stories from Two Bengals*, ed. Debjani Sengupta (New Delhi: Srishti, 2003) pp. 23–39

Sidhwa, Bapsi. "Defend Yourself Against Me." in *And the World Changed:*Contemporary Stories by Pakistani Women, ed. M. Shamsie, 27–52. New York: The

Feminist Press, 2008.

Lalithambika Antharjanam, "A Leaf in the Storm", tr. K. Narayana Chandran, in *Stories about the Partition of India*. ed. Alok Bhalla (New Delhi: Manohar, 2012) pp. 137–45.

# Suggested Reading:

Ritu Menon and Kamala Bhasin, 'Introduction', in *Borders and Boundaries* (New Delhi: Kali for Women, 1998).

Sukirta P. Kumar, Narrating Partition (Delhi: Indialog 2004).

Urvashi Butalia, *The Other Side of Silence: Voices from the Partition of India* (New Delhi: Kali for Women, 2000).

More, D.R. The Novels on the Indian Partition, Jaipur, Shruti Publication, 2008.

Sigmund Freud, 'Mourning and Melancholia', in *The Complete Psychological Works of Sigmund Freud*, tr. James Strachey (London: Hogarth Press, 1953) pp.3041-53.

Beniwal, Anup. Representing Partition: History, Violence and Narration. Delhi: Shakti Book House. 2005.

Bhalla, Alok. *Partition Dialogues: Memories of a Lost Home*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press. 2006.

Sharma, V.P. "Communalism and its Motifs in three Post Independence Novels: Khushwant Singh's *A Train to Pakistan*, Bhisham Sahni's *Tamas* and Chaman Nahal's *Azadi*," *Recent Indian English Literature*. Ed. S.D. Sharma, Karnal: Natraj Publishing House, 1998. Print.

Shyam. M. Asnani. "The Theme of Partition in the Indo-English Novel." *New Dimensions of Indian English Novel*. New Delhi: Doaba House Publication, 1988.38-50. Print.

# B. A. Part II

# (Discipline Specific Core) (DSC-C6 and C30) Semester III (Paper IV) and Semester IV (Paper IV) PARTITION LITERATURE

(CBCS)

June 2019 Onwards

# Pattern of Question Paper for (Paper IV) and (Paper IV)

Q.1. A) Multiple Choice Questions with four alternatives.	(5)
B) Answer the following questions in one word/ phrase/sentence each.	(5)
(Q.1 A and B to be set on Module III and IV)	
Q.2.A) Answer the following question in about 250-300words.	(10)
OR	
B) Answer the following question in about 250-300words.	(10)
(A and B to be set on Module I and II)	
Q.3. A) Answer the following question in about 250-300words.	(10)
OR	
B) Answer the following question in about 250-300words.	(10)
(A and B to be set on Module III and IV)	
Q.4 A) Write short notes in about 100-150words each: (4 out of 6)	(20)
(3 to be set on Module I and II and 3 to be set on Module III and IV)	