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## **Syllabus of Post Graduate History**

### **Paper – I**

*History of India, 1526 – 1757*

#### Module – 1

- Unit – 1: The formation of the Mughal Empire
- Unit – 2: Process of Mughal expansion
- Unit – 3: The nature of Mughal absolutism
- Unit – 4: The emperor and the ruling class

#### Module – 2

- Unit – 1: The Crisis of the Mughal Absolutism
- Unit – 2: The Jagirdari Crisis
- Unit – 3: The Mughal Society and Economy
- Unit – 4: The Mughal Urbanization

#### Module – 3

- Unit – 1: The Decline of the Mughal Empire
- Unit – 2: The Rise of the Regional Powers
- Unit – 3: The Foreign Invasion
- Unit – 4: Historiography of the Mughal Decline

#### Module – 4

- Unit – 1: The Expanding English Presence in 18<sup>th</sup> Century India and the Structure of the India's International Economy
- Unit – 2: The Company and the Indian Traders
- Unit – 3: The Background of the Battle of Plassey and the Anglo-French Conflict

### **References (Paper – I)**

- John F. Richards: The Mughal Empire
- Irfan Habib: The Agrarian System of Mughal India
- Irfan Habib: Essays in Indian History
- Douglas E. Streusand: The Formation of the Mughal Empire
- N.A. Siddiqi: Land Revenue Administration under the Mughals, 1700 – 1750
- I.H. Qureshi: The Administration of the Mughal Empire

M. Athar Ali: The Mughal Nobility under Aurangzeb  
M. Athar Ali: The Apparatus of Empire  
Satish Chandra: Parties and Politics in Mughal Court, 1707 – 1740  
Satish Chandra: Essays on Medieval Indian History  
Muzaffar Alam: The Crisis of the Empire in Mughal North India  
Tapan Raychaudhuri and Irfan Habib (eds.): The Cambridge Economic History of India, Vol – I  
Muzaffar Alam and Sanjay Subrahmanyam: The Mughal State, 1526 – 1750  
Jadunath Sarkar: Fall of the Mughal Empire, 4 Vols.

## **Paper - II**

*History of India, 1757 – 1885*

### Module – 1

Unit – 1: Political System in the Second Half of the 18<sup>th</sup> Century  
Unit – 2: Consolidation of the British Power in Bengal (1757 – 1772)  
Unit – 3: Company's Territorial Expansion in Western and Southern India  
Unit – 4: Early Resistance to the British Colonial Rule; the Revolt of 1857

### Module – 2

Unit – 1: Land Revenue Settlements  
Unit – 2: Peasant and Tribal Movements with reference to Indigo Uprising, Pabna Revolt, Deccan Riots, Santhal and Munda Revolts.  
Unit – 3: Drain of Wealth; Deindustrialization and Deindustrialization Debate  
Unit – 4: Railways and the Indian Economy; Development of Modern Industries

### Module – 3

Unit – 1: Early Attitudes towards India – Utilitarianism, Evangelicalism, Orientalism  
Unit – 2: Westernization and Indian Response  
Unit – 3: Reorganization of Colonial State after 1857  
Unit – 4: State and Social Reform

### Module – 4

Unit – 1: Social Background of Modern Nationalism in India  
Unit – 2: The Growth of Public Sphere – the Press, Art and Literature  
Unit – 3: Liberalism and Nationalism – the Economic Critique of British Rule  
Unit – 4: Provincial Politics and the Pre-Congress Era

## **Paper – III**

*History of India, 1885 - 1964*

### Module – I:

- Unit – 1: The Indian Nationalism
- Unit – 2: The Nature of the Early Congress
- Unit – 3: The Rise and Spread of Communalism
- Unit – 4: The Indian National Movement: the Changing Situation

### Module – 2

- Unit – 1: The Impact of the First World War on the Indian Economy, Society and Politics
- Unit – 2: Gandhi and the Emergence of the Mass Politics
- Unit – 3: The Congress – Non-cooperation Movement and the Civil Disobedience Movement
- Unit – 4: The Indian National Congress and the Indian Capitalist Class

### Module – 3

- Unit – 1: The Development of Nationalist Politics
- Unit – 2: The Rise of the Leftist Politics; The Struggle for Independence in the Princely States
- Unit – 3: The Quit India Movement – 1942 in Indian History
- Unit – 4: The Popular Movements during the 1940s; India towards Independence and Partition

### Module – 4

- Unit – 1: India in 1947
- Unit – 2: India under Jawaharlal Nehru
- Unit – 3: The Economy of Independent India and Movement for Social Justice
- Unit – 4: India in the World Politics (1947 – 64)

## **References (Paper – II and Paper – III)**

- Sumit Sarkar: Modern India, 1885 – 1947  
Sekhar Bandyopadhyay: From Plassey to Partition  
Bipan Chandra, Mridula Mukherjee, Aditya Mukherjee, K.N. Pannikar and Suheta Mahajan: India's Struggle for Independence  
Bipan Chandra: The Rise and Growth of Economic Nationalism in India  
Bipan Chandra: Communalism in Modern India  
Judith M. Brown: Gandhi's Rise to Power  
Judith M. Brown: Modern India: the Origins of an Asian Democracy  
C.A. Bayly: Rulers, Townsmen and Bazaars: North Indian Society in the Age of British Expansion, 1770 – 1870.  
C.A. Bayly: Indian Society and the Making of the English Empire

Susan Bayly: Caste, Society and Politics in India from the Eighteenth Century to the Modern Age

Sugata Bose and Ayesha Jalal: Modern South Asia: History, Culture, Political Economy

Sucheta Mahajan: Independence and Partition

Paul R. Brass: The Politics of India since Independence

Francine R. Frankel: India's Political Economy, 1947 – 1977

Bipan Chandra, Aditya Mukherjee, Mridula Mukherjee: India after Independence

## **Paper – IV**

### *Historiography*

#### Module – 1

Unit – 1: What is History? Fact and Interpretation – the Nature of Historical Evidence – Historical Evidence and Historical Imagination – Approaches to History and the Emergence of Specializations – National History and Local History – Economic and Social History – History and Social Sciences

Unit – 2: History Writing in Pre-Modern Times – Features of Classical Historiography – History and Statecraft in Early Modern Europe – History in the Age of Enlightenment – Montesquieu, Voltaire, Vico and the Encyclopaedists – Harder and Gibbon

Unit – 3: Ranke and the Berlin Revolution in Historiography – Ranke and Objective History – History as it really was – History as a Past Politics – Ranke's Vision of Universal History

Unit – 4: History and the Idea of Progress in 19<sup>th</sup> Century Europe – Macaulay, Acton and the Age of Improvement – Jules Michelle and the French Revolution – Marx and Historical Materialism

#### Module – 2

Unit – 1: Marxism and Emergence of Economic and Social History – Trevelyan and the Writings of Social History of Politics – the New History Movement in United States of America

Unit – 2: Maurice Dobb and the Rise of Capitalism – R. H. Tawny and the English Revolution- Religion and Capitalism in England

Unit – 3: Social History as History of Structures and Mentalities – the Annales' School

Unit – 4: Social History as the History of Classes – British Marxist Historians – Christopher Hill, Eric J. Hobs Eric Hobsbawm and E. P. Thompson – New Social History – History from Below

#### Module – 3

Unit – 1: Emergence of Historical consciousness in 19<sup>th</sup> Century India – Orientalism and the Rediscovery of Indian History – James Mill’s *History of India* and the Theory of Oriental Despotism

Unit – 2: The Indian Encounter with Past in the 19<sup>th</sup> Century

Unit – 3: Nationalism and the Writing of Indian History – the Indian Search for a Golden Past – the Economic Critique of British Colonial Rule and the Economic History of India – Marxist View of Indian History and the Problem of Periodisation

Unit – 4: Debates in Indian History: the Indian Feudalism – 18<sup>th</sup> Century in Indian History

### **References (Paper – IV)**

E. H. Carr: What is History

Marc Bloch: The Historian’s Craft

Arnold Toynbee: A Study of History

R. C. Collingwood: The Idea of History

Eric Hobsbawm: The Age of Revolution

E.P. Thompson: The Making of the English Working Class

Harverd J. Kaye and Keith McClelland: E. P. Thompson – Critical Perspectives

Theda Skocpol (ed.): Vision and Method in Historical Sociology

Maurice Dobb: Studies in the Development of Capitalism

Rodney Hilton: The Transition from Feudalism to Capitalism

T. H. Ashton and C. H. E. Philpin: The Brenner Debate – The Agrarian Class Structure and Economic Development in Pre-Industrial Europe

David Kopf: British Orientalism and Bengal Renaissance

Tapan Raychaudhuri: Europe Reconsidered

R. S. Sharma: Indian Feudalism

B. D. Chattopadhyaya: The Making of Early Medieval India

Satish Chandra: Essaya on Medieval Indian History

Muzaffar Alam: The Crisis of the Empire in Mughal North India

### **Paper – V**

*History of Europe, 1789 – 1945*

Module – 1: French Revolution and Napoleon

Unit – 1: Condition (Economic, Social and Political) of France before 1789. Contribution of the Philosophers in the Revolution of 1789 –

Factors leading to the Revolution

Unit – 2: The Process and Different Phases of the Revolution of 1789

Unit – 3: Impact of the French Revolution on the Contemporary Society, Politics and Culture

Unit –4: Rise of Napoleon – Internal and Foreign Policy of Napoleon. Fall of Napoleon

Module – 2: Bourgeois Democratic Revolution and Unification of Europe

Unit – 1: The European Experience of Bourgeois Democratic Revolution (Major Countries)

Unit – 2: The Impact of Bourgeois Democratic Revolution on the European Politics

Unit – 3: United Germany under the leadership of Bismarck

Unit – 4: The Industrial Revolution in Germany – The End of the Age of Bismarck – German Foreign Policy under the leadership of Kaiser William II

Module – 3: Industrial Revolution in Europe

Unit – 1: Industrial Revolution in Europe: Definition and Continuity

Unit – 2: The Causes of the Industrial Revolution. Why did it first take place in England?

Unit – 3: Agricultural, Transport and Demographic Revolution

Unit – 4: The Long-term Effects of the Industrial Revolution

Module – 4: Nationalism and Formation of Nationalist States in Europe

Unit – 1: Rise of Nationalism in Europe

Unit – 2: Unification Movement in Italy

Unit – 3: Unification Movement in Germany

Unit – 4: The decline of Empire through the Rise of Nationalism

Module – 5: Europe between 1914 and 1945

Unit – 1: Background of the World War I

Unit – 2: The Peace Efforts in Europe after the World War I

Unit – 3: The Socialist Movement in Europe

Unit – 4: Rise of Nazism and Fascism in Europe

Unit – 5: World War II, the Rise of Super Powers and the Beginning of the Cold War

### **References (Paper – V)**

Theodore S. Hamerow: The Birth of a New Europe: State and Society in the Nineteenth Century

E.J. Hobsbawm: The Age of Revolution, 1789–1848

E.J. Hobsbawm: The Age of Capital, 1848–1875

E.J. Hobsbawm: The Age of Empire, 1875–1914

Phyllis Deane: The First Industrial Revolution,

David S. Landes: *The Unbound Prometheus: Technological Change and Industrial Development in Western Europe from 1750 to the Present*  
 Peter N. Stearns: *European Society in Upheaval: Social History Since 1750*  
 Eugen Weber: *Peasants into Frenchmen: The Modernization of Rural France 1870–1914*  
 E.P. Thompson: *The Making of the English Working Class*  
 Owen Connelly: *French Revolution, Napoleonic Era*  
 Lynn Hunt: *Politics, Culture, and Class in the French Revolution*  
 Peter N. Stearns: *1848: The Revolutionary Tide in Europe*  
 Gordon A. Craig: *Germany, 1866–1945*  
 Asa Briggs: *The Making of Modern England, 1783–1867*  
 Toni Smith: *The Pattern of Imperialism: The United States, Great Britain, and the Late-Industrializing World Since 1815*  
 A.J.P. Taylor: *The Struggle for Mastery in Europe, 1848–1918*  
 Arno J. Mayer: *The Persistence of the Old Regime: Europe to the Great War*  
 Laurence Lafore: *The Long Fuse: An Interpretation of the Origins of World War I,*  
 James Joll: *The Origins of the First World War*  
 Geoffrey Barraclough: *An Introduction to Contemporary History*  
 Michael D. Biddiss: *The Age of the Masses: Ideas and Society in Europe Since 1870*  
 H. Stuart Hughes and James Wilkinson: *Contemporary Europe: A History*  
 James Joll: *Europe Since 1870: An International History*  
 David Thomson: *Europe since Napoleon*  
 Peter Gay: *Weimar Culture: The Outsider as Insider*  
 A.J.P. Taylor: *The Origins of the Second World War*  
 Roger Morgan: *West European Politics Since 1945: The Shaping of the European Community*  
 Derek W. Urwin: *Western Europe Since 1945: A Political History,.*

## **Paper - VI**

### *World Politics Since 1945*

#### Module – 1: Aftermath of the War

Unit – 1: Background of Cold War

Unit – 2: Europe in transition - Formation of European Union.

Unit – 3: Cold War in the Third World (Korean Crisis, Vietnam War, Arab-Israel Conflict)

Unit – 4: NAM and its impact on World Politics

#### Module – 2: Unit – 1: Birth of Communist China and Sino-Soviet Relation

Unit – 2: United States of America, Cuba and Chili.

Unit – 3: The Anti-Colonial Movement in Africa – Algeria and Congo Crisis.

### Module – 3: Decolonization and Disarmament

Unit – 1: Debate on Concept and Application

Unit–2: Various Phases of Disarmament – Nuclear Rearmament, Anti-nuclear World

Unit – 3: UNO as a Peacekeeping Body. Evaluation of its Success and Failures

Unit – 4: Apartheid – Origin of the Concept, its impact on World Politics, America and South Africa

### Module – 4: The New World Order

Unit – 1: Collapse of the Soviet Union, Gorbachev Years. The End of Cold War towards a Unipolar World

Unit – 2: Globalization and its Impact

Unit – 3: India and South Asia – Nepal, Bhutan, Bangladesh, Pakistan and Sri Lanka

Unit – 4: Indian Foreign Policy after the Cold War

a) Economic Diplomacy

b) Look East Policies

c) Nuclear Policies Armament and its Impact

### References (Paper – VI)

Roger Morgan: West European Politics Since 1945: The Shaping of the European Community

Derek W. Urwin: Western Europe Since 1945: A Political History

Henry L. Roberts: *Eastern Europe: Politics, Revolution, & Diplomacy*

W.W. Rostow: The Division of Europe after World War II

V.G. Kiernan: European Empires from Conquest to Collapse, 1815–1960

Sidney Pollard: European Economic Integration, 1815–1970

Paul Seabury: The Rise and Decline of the Cold War

Robert J. Maddox: The New Left and the Origins of the Cold War

John D. Hargreaves: The End of Colonial Rule in West Africa: Essays in Contemporary History

Curt Gasteyger: Searching for World Security: Understanding Global Armament and Disarmament

Robert Jackson: South Asian Crisis: India, Pakistan, Bangla Desh

Rupkumar Barman: Ethnicity, Cultural Nationalism and Democratization

### SPECIAL PAPERS

(The University offers two Special Papers to the learners of post graduate history course. The learners will have to opt either for Group – A of Paper – VII and Paper – VIII or for Group – B of Paper – VII and Paper – VIII.)



**Group - A**  
**PAPER VII A**

*Social History of India (19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> Centuries)*

Module – I: Gender

- Unit – 1: Aspects of Gender Question in India
- Unit – 2: Prostitute and Her Clientele in 19<sup>th</sup> Century Bengal
- Unit – 3: Women Education in India
- Unit – 4: Women’s Suffrage Movement in India – a Survey

Module – II:

- Unit – I: Environmental History
- Unit – II: Environmental History
- Unit – III: Science
- Unit – IV: Medicine and Public Health

Module – III:

- Unit – I: Literature
- Unit – II: Film and Theatre
- Unit – III: Art
- Unit – IV: Sports

Module – IV:

- Unit – I: Disorder and Violence in Rural Society
- Unit – II: Law and Court
- Unit – III: Police
- Unit – IV: Prison

Module – V:

- Unit – I: Religious Reform Movements
- Unit – II: Social Reform Movements
- Unit – III: Caste Movements
- Unit – IV: Educational Reforms

**References (Paper – VIIA)**

- Sumit Sarkar: Modern India, 1885 – 1947
- Sekhar Bandyopadhyay: From Plassey to Partition
- Geraldine Forbes: Women in Modern India
- Aparna Basu: The Growth of Education and Political Development in India, 1898 – 1920
- Aparna Basu and Bharati Ray: Women’s Struggle: a history of the All-India Women’s Conference, 1927 – 1990
- M. Borthwick: Keshub Chander Sen: a search for cultural synthesis

M. Borthwick: The Changing Role of Women in Bengal, 1849 – 1905  
U. Chakrabarty: Rewriting History: the life and times of Pandita Ramabai  
Sekhar Bandyopadhyay: Caste, Politics and the Raj  
Ranjan Chakrabarty (ed.): Situating Environmental History  
Richard Grove: Green Imperialism  
David Arnold and Ramchandra Guha (eds.): Nature, Culture, Imperialism: Essays on the Environmental History of South Asia  
Ramchandra Guha: The Unquiet Woods: Ecological Change and Peasant Resistance in the Himalaya  
Chetan Singh: Natural Premises: Ecology and Peasant Life in the Western Himalaya, 1800 – 1950  
Sumit Guha: Environment and Ethnicity in India, 1200 – 1991  
Deepak Kumar: Science and the Raj  
David Arnold: Colonizing the Body: State Medicine and Epidemic Disease in Nineteenth Century India  
Arun Kumar: Medicine and the Raj: British Medical Policy in India, 1835 -1911  
Roy MacLeod and Deepak Kumar (eds), Technology and the Raj: Western Technology and Technical Transfers to India, 1770 – 1947  
Mark Harrison: Public Health in British India

#### **PAPER VIII A**

#### *Economic History of India (19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> Centuries)*

##### Module – I

- Unit – I: Revenue Settlements
- Unit – II: Commercial Agriculture in India
- Unit – III: Rural Structure
- Unit – IV: Peasant Movements

##### Module – II

- Unit – I: Industrial Development
- Unit – II: Imperialism and Industrial Development
- Unit – III: Swadeshi Industrial Development
- Unit – IV: Business and Politics

##### Module – III

- Unit – I: Historiography of the Indian Working Class
- Unit – II: Emergence and Formation of Indian Working Class
- Unit – III: Changing Condition of the Indian Working Class
- Unit – IV: The Working Class Movements

##### Module – IV:

- Unit – I: Internal Trade of India with Special Reference to Bengal
- Unit – II: Foreign Trade of India (1757 – 1858)
- Unit – III: Foreign Trade of India (1858 – 1947)
- Unit – IV: Population, Occupational Structure and Urbanization

## References (Paper – VIIIA)

- Sumit Sarkar: Modern India, 1885 – 1947  
Sekhar Bandyopadhyay: From Plassey to Partition  
Tirthankar Roy: The Economic History of India, 1857 – 1947  
Burton Stein (ed.): The Making of Agrarian Policy in British India, 1770 – 1900  
Dharma Kumar (ed.): The Cambridge Economic History of India, Volume – II  
Sugata Bose: Peasant Labour and Colonial Capital: Rural Bengal since 1770  
R.E. Frykenberg (ed.): Land Control and Social Structure in Indian History  
Ranjit Guha: Elementary Aspects of Peasant Insurgency in Colonial India  
D. N. Dhanagare: Peasant Movements in India, 1920 - 1950  
R.S. Rungta: The Rise of Business Corporations in India, 1851 – 1900  
Rajat K. Ray (ed.): Entrepreneurship and Industry in India, 1800 – 1947  
Bipan Chandra: The Rise and Growth of Economic Nationalism in India  
Amiya Kumar Bagchi: De-industrialization in India in the Nineteenth Century: Some Theoretical Implications, Journal of Development Studies, 12(2), 1976  
Marika Vicziany: The De-industrialization of India in the Nineteenth Century: A Methodological Critique of Amiya Kumar Bagchi, Indian Economic and Social History Review, 26(2), 1979  
Daniel Thorner and Alice Thorner: Land and Labour in India, 1881 – 1931  
Amiya Kumar Bagchi: Private Investment in India, 1900 – 1939  
Rajat K. Ray: Industrialization in India: Growth and Conflict in the Private Corporate Sector, 1914 – 47  
Dipesh Chakrabarty: Rethinking Working-Class History: Bengal 1890 – 1940  
Omkar Goswami: Industry, Trade and Peasant Society: The Jute Economy of Eastern India, 1900 1947  
Rajnarayan Chandavarkar: The Origins of Industrial Capitalism in India  
Sunil Kumar Sen: Working Class Movements in India, 1885 - 1975

## Group - B PAPER VII B

### *Social History of India (5<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> Centuries)*

#### Module – I:

- Unit – I: Formation of Social-Political Structure
- Unit – II: The Theory of Sultanate
- Unit – III: Unitary/Centralized State Formation
- Unit – IV: State and Society

#### Module – II:

- Unit – I: Regional Patterns of State Formation
- Unit – II: Societies in Rajputana – The Bhai-Bant System
- Unit – III: Vijayanagara – Segmentary State

## Unit – IV: Bengal

### Module – III

- Unit – I: Growth of Regional Literature
- Unit – II: Liberal Arts, Technology and Science
- Unit – III: Astronomy, Ayurveda, Rasayana.
- Unit – IV: New Developments

### Module – IV

- Unit – I: Social, Economic and Religious Traits of Assimilation
- Unit – II: Philosophy – Bhakti Cult and Sufism
- Unit – III: Hindu – Muslim Synthesis
- Unit – IV: Assimilation of Cultures

### References (Paper – VIIB)

- D. D. Kosambi: An Introduction to the Study of Indian History
- R. S. Sharma: Perspectives in Social and Economic History Early India
- R. S. Sharma: Indian Feudalism, 300 - 1200
- R. G. Bhandarkar: Vaisnavism, Saivism and Minor Religious Systems
- Mahammad Habib and K. A. Nizami: A Comprehensive History of India, vol. V, The Delhi Sultanate
- K. A. Nizami: Some Aspects of Religion and Politics in India during the Thirteenth Century
- A. B. M. Habbibullah: The Foundation of Muslim Rule in India
- I. H. Qureshi: The Administration of the Sultanate of Delhi
- Debiprasad Chattopadhyaya: Science and Society in Ancient India
- Hermann Kulke (ed.): The States in India, 1000 – 1700
- J. S. Grewal (ed.): State and Society in Medieval India
- Burton Stein: Peasant, State and Society in Early Medieval South India
- Shankar Goel (ed.): Rajasthan: From Pre-history to the Independence
- নীহাররঞ্জন রায় : বাঙালির ইতিহাস, আদিপর্ব

### PAPER VIII B

#### *Economic History of India (5<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> Centuries)*

#### Module – I:

- Unit – I: Early Medieval Period
- Unit – II: Causative Factors
- Unit – III: Debates and Historiography

#### Module – II:

Unit – I: The Agrarian Structure  
Unit – II: The Feudal Economy  
Unit – III: Growth and Diversities  
Unit – IV: The Iqtadari System

Module – III:

Unit – I: Nature of Trade (Trade, Merchants and Market Centres)  
Unit – II: Urban Development and Proliferation of Guilds and Crafts  
Unit – III: Agriculture

Module – IV

Unit – I: Economy of Vijayanagara  
Unit – II: Bengal and Bhamain Kingdom  
Unit – III: Foreign Trade  
Unit – IV: Feudalism From Above and Below

### **References (Paper – VIII B)**

Harbans Mukhia: The Feudalism Debate  
B. D. Chatterjee: The Making of Early Medieval India  
D. N. Jha (ed): The Indian Feudal Order: State, Society and Ideology, 500 – 1300  
D. D. Kosambi: An Introduction to the Study of Indian History  
Rushton Coulborn: Feudalism in History  
R. S. Sharma: Social Changes in Early Medieval India  
R. S. Sharma: Indian Feudalism, 300 - 1200  
R. S. Sharma: Perspectives in Social and Economic History Early India  
B. P. Majumdar: Socio-Economic History of Northern India, 1030 – 1194  
Tapan Raychaudhuri and Irfan Habib: The Cambridge Economic History of India, Volume – I  
Burton Stein: Peasant State and Society in Early Medieval South India  
B.N.S. Yadava: Society and Culture in Northern India in the Twelfth Century  
Lallanji Gopal: Economic Life of Northern India, 700 – 1200  
Burton Stein: Vijayanagara  
K. A. Nilkanta Shastri: A History of South India  
R. C. Majumdar (ed.): The History and Culture of the Indian People: The Classical Age  
Karl Marx: Pre-Capitalist Economic Formations