

## **Department of Philosophy**

### **Part-A (Research Methodology)**

#### **Unit-1**

- Methods of Acquiring knowledge:
  - ✓ Dialectical,
  - ✓ Rational,
  - ✓ Empirical-Scientific,
  - ✓ Phenomenological,
  - ✓ Interpretative-Hermeneutic,
  - ✓ Marxian Method and Feminist Method.
- Methods of Acquiring Knowledge:
  - ✓ Nyaya, Vedanta and Mimamsa Method.

#### **Unit-2**

- Types of Research
  - ✓ General Research: Fundamental research, Applied Research, Action Research.
  - ✓ Specific Research: Thinker based Research, Concept based Research and Comparative Research.

#### **Unit-3**

- Research Problem in Philosophy
- Selection of a problem, Statement of the problem, Objectives, Survey of literature and Bibliography.

#### **Unit -4**

- Meaning and Purpose of a research report.
- Digital Skills, Computer applications, Research Ethics.
- Presentation of a report: The use of language, Styles of Citation/Bibliography, Diacritical Marks etc.