JAIN VISHVA BHARATI INSTITUTE
(Deemed University)
Ladnun - 341306, RAJASTHAN, INDIA

THEORY AND PRACTICE
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Jain Vishva Bharati Institute (JVBI) : A Profile
Jain Vishva Bharati Institute is a institute of higher learning and research blended with spirituality, which came into existence in 1987. JVBI’s acronym stands for spiritual institute of higher learning and research. The Institute seeks to integrate the various spiritual and philosophical traditions of the world and to promote understanding among people of different cultures, religions, and nationalities. The Institute provides a platform for conferences and seminars on spirituality, philosophy, and social science.

Objectives
1. To understand the concept and ideas of Jainism.
2. To develop understanding and attitude of nonviolence.
3. To familiarize the participants with the philosophy of creative nonviolence.
4. To impart training in Preksha Meditation for emotional balance.
5. To establish the importance and relevance of nonviolence for the survival of living beings.

Why to Join UJTP at JVBI?
There are many reasons why someone would want to join UJTP at JVBI. Salient features and some of the distinct advantages of the programme are:
1) Well renowned faculties & experts
2) Economical & viable tuition fee

3) A modular academic and training programme structured on the basis of semester system
4) Well-equipped computer centre
5) E-mail, internet facilities
6) A location, free, nature enourved and spiritual campus
7) A location that is easily accessible to the four cities - Jaipur, Jodhpur, Ajmer & Bikaner
8) Indigenous setup of the township.

Who Can Apply
The program is aimed for foreign students provided they meet the general prerequisite of proficiency in English. The following could be possible applicants:
a) Universities and their international study divisions or study abroad programmes
b) Universities having programmes offering courses like Cross Cultural, Religious, Peace, Theology, Social Science & Humanities
c) Institutions with South Asian Studies programmes
d) Higher education Universities or Council of International Education
e) NRI groups or associations
f) Trade & Business Delegations or groups
g) Individual students.

Course Credits
The programme has Undergraduate and Postgraduate courses of 3/4 week duration. The number of credits a student can take in this programme depends on the agreements with individual students or agreement reached with the institute or participating institution.

Course Content


For PG Students
Studies will be carried out on the basis of seminar. Jaina texts of Swaminarayan & Gajananra in addition. Texts like Atanagopa, Satyanarayana, Bhashyam, Nandi, Damodarki, Talavkara Subba, Samvatsa, Commonsense etc.
Indian Classical Language Orientation Programme

Keeping in view the interest of international students in the ancient and classical languages of India, a special programme of orientation in Sanskrit, Prakrit and Hindi will be organized during the programme. Those who will participate shall be awarded one credit. The fee of the programme will be $60 each.

Prakrit capsule course will be dealt broadly with the phonology and morphology. It will cover both the traditional and linguistic pattern of teaching. To understand Prakrit, the contemporary classical language Sanskrit will be compared with. Though phonology and morphology of students will learn the development of ancient Indian language through out the ages beginning from the sound system with vowels and consonants, behavior of sounds etc. and parts of speech, in the morphology and construction of sentences etc. will be in the curriculum.

Sanskrit

An introductory course on basics of Sanskrit will also be the part of programme for writing candidates consisting of vowel, pronunciation, verbs, introduction to nouns, gender, alphabetical order, halauta and conjunct consonants, special symbols, dictionary practice and exercises.

Hindi

Hindi is one of the major spoken languages in India and has a rich literature of over one thousand years and can be compared with any other developed language and literature of the world. To understand Hindi, it is necessary to have preliminary acquaintance with the structure of the language and linguistic future. This programme consists of language element, elementary linguistics and salient features of Devanagari scripts, Hindi and its subordinated languages and exercises of spoken Hindi.

Special Highlights of the Programme
i. Visit to places of archaeological and historical importance in and around Ladnun.
ii. Interaction with spiritual personalities.
iii. Meditation / Yoga session (morning session).
iv. Visit to wild life sanctuary.
v. Cultural interaction with local people of the town for better understanding of culture.
vi. Trekking

Study Tour
A study tour of one week covering Jaipur, Pushkar, Ajmer, Jodhpur, Nakoda, Osijay, Bikaner etc. will be organized for the participants. Fee $250/- per student. Dale and other details are available with co-ordinator.

Fee Structure
For UGPG, the course fee will be US $ 500 / EU 400 and US $ 600 / EU 450 respectively. For details of the payments contact co-ordinator. The fee paid will be non-refundable.

Location
The Institute is located in Ladnun, a small township in the Nagaur District of Rajasthan (India), representing the ancient Indian Gurukul tradition. Surrounded by sand dunes, it has a green leafy setting and peaceful atmosphere, which can make a person forget the hustle and bustle of cities and tensions of a busy industrial life. Ladnun is 380 Kms. west of Delhi, the Capital city of India, and 215 Kms. North West of Jaipur, which is known as the Pink City and the Capital of the State of Rajasthan. It is well served by a good road network and a major airport.

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