

Sub Committee for History Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences Curriculum Development

Name of Institute: Symbiosis School for Liberal Arts

Course Name: History Minor- India and Growth of Islam in the Medieval Era (1200 A.D. to

1700 A.D.)

Course Code:

(UG/PG): UG

Number of Credits: 4 (60 Hrs)

Level: 2

Course Description:

Between 1200 A.D. and 1700 A.D., India was ruled by various Kings and a Queens whose religious beliefs were formed outside India. However in terms of governance of their territories there was a lot of similarity with the earlier Indian rulers. This paper seeks to understand the relationships between state and society in medieval times.

The topics covered under this course are History of Islam in India, Expansion of the Delhi Sultanate, Society and economy under the sultanate, Art and Architecture and developments in literature and Decline of the Great Mughals to name a few.

The student taking up this course will learn how to comprehend the spatial and temporal expanse of medieval India, how to analyze the relationship between state and societies in medieval India and how to understand the advent of the colonial era and analyze its effect on the medieval Indian history.