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# **COURSE OBJECTIVE:**

To provide knowledge to the students about tools and techniques essential as strategic contribution of HRM to organizational growth.

### Module - I:

Understanding Strategic HRM: Introduction: Traditional Vs. Strategic HR, Typology of HR activities, 'Best fit' approach Vs 'Best practice' approach; Investment perspective of human resources; Investment consideration, investments in training and development, investment practices for improved retention, investments job secure work courses, Non-traditional investment approaches; Planning and implementing Strategic HR policies; Linkage of corporate strategy, core competencies and competitive advantage with HRM; Aligning HRM with business strategy; emerging issues in strategic HRM.

# Module - II:

Aligning HR Systems with business strategy: Alternative HR systems; Universalistic, contingency, configuration, congruence and integrated HR systems, Designing congruent HR systems; Linking HRM practices to organizational outcomes; Human Resources Strategy Formulation; HR Strategy in workforce utilization; Strategic performance management; HR strategy for training and development.

### Module - III:

International and comparative strategic HRM: Managing global human resources; Evaluating HR functions in International context; Multinational, Global and Transnational strategies in HRM: Multinational, Global and Transnational Strategies Strategic Alliances, Sustainable Global Competitive Advantage, Globally competent Managers; Expatriation and repatriation management in global HRM; High Performance work practices.

### Books:

- Gary Dessler, Human Resource Management, PHI, New Delhi, 2003.
- Strategic Human Resource Management-Rajees Viswanthan -Himalay
- Charles R. Greer, Strategic Human Resource Management, Pearson Education, 2003.
- Peter J. Dowling, Denice E. Welch, Randall S. Schuler, International Human Resource Management, Thomson South – Western, 2002.

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