MTTM-401

Airlines Ticketing and Cargo Operations **Programme:** Master of Tourism & Travel Management (MTTM 16) **Year / Semester:** 4th Semester

Course Objectives:

The course aims to provide a systematic & extensive knowledge of aviation industry with basic knowledge of airlines ticketing and cargo handling it includes an introduction of air transport industry. It explains various codes, time calculation, types of journey and fare calculation. Cargo handling and formalities at airports

Block 1 Background for Airlines Ticketing			
Unit 1	Air Transport Concept and Geography of Airlines		
Unit 2	Time Zones and Calculation of Time; GMT variations		
Unit 3	IATA 3-letter City / Apt. Codes, Airlines, Country and Currency codes; Significance of ABC		
Unit 4	Travel Documentation, Baggage Regulations, and Airport and Aircraft procedures		
Unit 5	Type of Airlines and Aircrafts; Passenger Capacity and Aircraft Seating Plans; Aircraft Configuration and Features		
Block 2 Airlines Ticketing – Key Issues and Procedures			
Unit 6	Flight Schedules, Flight Connections and Itinerary Planning		
Unit 7	Fares: Tariff Terminology, Types of Fares, Fare calculation, Currency Conversion Table and Modes of Payment		
Unit 8	Ticketing: Issuance ; Cancellation and Re-issuance; Airline Reservations		
Unit 9	Factors Affecting the Tour Cost and Procedures for Cost Determination, Pricing Strategies and Calculation of Tour Price		
Unit 10	Impact of Automation on Ticketing Business; Prevailing Scenario and Future Perspective		
	Block 3		
	Basics of Cargo Operations		
Unit 11	Cargo Industry – Evolution and Growth; Impact of Globalisation and Automation		
Unit 12	DGR and Live Animals Regulations; Cargo insurance Clauses		
Unit 13	Aircraft Configuration, Capacity Familiarization and limitations		
Unit 14	IATA Cargo Agents, Consolidators, Freight Forwarders, CHA's and Break- Bulk agents		
Block – 4 Cargo Operations – Procedural Perspective			
Unit 15	Rules for Cargo acceptance: Rounding off Weights/ Dimensions/Currencies; Volume - Weight Concept; Chargeable Weight; Valuation charges		

Unit 16	Cargo Rating and Documentation; GCR, CCR& SCR
	Procedures related to Packing, Marking, Labelling, Export - Import Documentation, Shipping bill, Landing Bill.
Unit 18	Import – Export Flow chart and Airway bill completion