Elective Group E: International Business Management

303 (F): INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS ENVIRONMENT AND GLOBAL COMPETITIVENESS

- 1. Overview of commercial geography. Impact of geographical aspects on international business and business strategies.
- 2. Global dynamics: interplay of local, national, regional and worldwide forces OECD / WEF/ G8 / G33. Economic, political, social, cultural, legal, technological forces.
- 3. Reconciliation of global aspirations and nationalistic compulsions for sustained growth
- 4. Konichi Ohmae's concept of borderless world
- 5. Evaluation of diverse environmental forces to create database to do business with various nations /regions
- 6. Definition and Scope of competitiveness
- 7. Theories of international trade: Adam Smith, Recardo, Heauhar& Ohalin, Jagdish Bhagawati.
- 8. Michel Porter's five force and competitive advantage theory.
- 9. Indicators of world competitiveness. Ranking of the current year and India's position.
- 10. Changes in the top 5 rankings in last 3 year and lessons thereof

Books Recommended:

- 1. International Business Czinkota, Ronkainen, Moffett, Thomson
- 2. International Business, Hill, Jain, Tata Mcgraw Hill
- 3. International Business Management, Aswathappa, Tata Mcgraw Hill
- 4. International Management, Phatak, Bhagat, Kashlak, Tata Mc graw Hill
- 5. The Oxford handbook of international Business, Rugman, Oxford University Press