

First Year 1st Semester Curriculum Structure for B.Tech. Course

Design Thinking & Innovation- Basic (IVC4)	
Department:	Basic Science and Humanities
Program:	B. Tech.
Course Code:	IVC4
Title of Course:	Design Thinking & Innovation- Basic
Year of Study:	First Year
Semester:	First
Contact Hours:	L-T-P-S: 0-0-0-1
Credits:	0
Type of course:	Theory
Total Lecture Hours:	12
Pre-requisites Courses:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Basic Knowledge of Science in Class- XI and XII level
Course Outcome (CO):	CO1: Understand the concepts of design thinking approaches. CO2: Create design thinking teams and conduct design thinking sessions. CO3: Apply both critical thinking and design thinking in parallel to solve problems CO4: Understand how to conduct research and how to write a research paper.

Detailed Syllabus

- **Module 1: Introduction to Design Thinking (4 L)**

Empathy: Empathy Building, Empathy Map & Evoking the ‘right problem’, Introduction to Human-Centered design, Customer Journey Mapping, Divergent Thinking and Convergent Thinking

- **Module 2: Ideation, Prototyping and Testing (4 L)**

Creative process and creative principles, Steps to Enhance Design thinking, Biomimicking-Design by Nature, Types of Prototyping.

- **Module 3: Introduction to Research and Research Ethics (4 L)**

Meaning, Objectives and Motivation in research, Types of research, Research approaches, Significance of research, Research methods versus methodology, Review paper writing, Literature Survey, Indexing of Journal, Citation and Journal Impact Factor.

- **Book list:**

1. Title: Creative Confidence, Authors: Tom Kelley, David Kelley
2. Title: Change by design, Author: Tim Brown