

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY & CULTURE DR. BHIMRAO AMBEDKAR UNIVERSITY, AGRA (FORMERLY AGRA UNIVERSITY, AGRA)

Value added course of Museology

Course Content:

Unit I

Definitions, purposes and social relevance of museum. Functions of museum. Role of museum in tourism. Types of museums.

Unit II

Formation of ecomuseums, fragmented museums, open air museums, community museums and neighborhood museums. Professional organizations.

Unit III

History of museum movement in India and Abroad. Introduction to selected museums in India and Abroad.

Unit IV

Management: Meaning and definitions. Functions of management. Management of Human, Financial and Physical Resources. Planning and maintaining a museum building

Unit V

Concept of New Museology.

Planning and maintaining a museum building.