

**Dr. Ram Sarik Gupta**  
**CURRICULUM PLAN**  
**Academic Session 2022-23**  
**Odd Semester**  
**(20 July 2022 – 15 November 2022)**

<b>DSE IX: History of Modern China, 1840-1950 Paper Code: 12317512</b>			<b>B.A (H) History 3<sup>rd</sup> Year/Semester V</b>
<b>Main Features</b>	<b>Allocation of Lectures</b>	<b>Month wise schedule followed by the Department</b>	<b>Topics</b>
Unit I: Late Imperial China: Society, Economy, Polity	09 Lectures	July	(a) Confucian Value System (b) China and the Great Divergence Debate
Unit II. Imperialism, Popular Movements and Reforms in the 19th century	20 Lectures	August	(a) Opium Wars and the Unequal Treaty System (b) Taiping and Boxer Movements – Causes, Ideology, Nature (c) Self-Strengthening Movement; Hundred Days Reforms of 1898
Unit III: Emergence of Nationalism	22 Lectures	September	(a). The Revolution of 1911: Context, Nationalist Ideologies, Role of Social Groups, Changing Gender Roles. (b). Sun Yat-sen (Sun Zhong Shan)— Ideology and Three Peoples Principles (c) May Fourth Movement of 1919
Unit IV: Nationalism and Communism	25 Lectures	October and November	(a). 1921-1927: Formation of the CCP and early activities; Reorganization of the KMT (Nationalist Party); The First United Front (b). 1928-1949: Kiangsi (Jiangxi) Period; Evolution of Maoist Strategy and Revolutionary Measures; the Yen-an Phase; Peasant Nationalism and Communist Victory