

# Cluster University of Srinagar

Syllabus (FYUP UNDER NEP 2020)

Offered By Department of Industrial Chemistry

***Title: Solid Waste Management***

**Course Code: UGICH22D101**

**Credits: 3 (Theory:03)**

**Contact Hrs: 75 (Theory 75)**

**Max. Marks: 75**

**Theory External:50; Min Marks: 20**

**Theory Internal (Continuous Assessment):25 Marks, Min Marks: 10**

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**Course Objectives:** To understand management of solid waste effectively and to maintain the hygienic conditions through waste to energy recovery methods.

**Course Outcomes:** After the completion of the course the students will be able to:

- Understand different types of wastes, their sources, characteristics, and prevention/reduction techniques.
- Understand solid waste disposal techniques and conversion of waste into useful products.
- Understand methods/techniques of energy recovery during solid waste disposal.

## **Unit I: Introduction to Solid Waste**

- Definition of Solid waste, Types of solid wastes: Domestic, Commercial, Industrial, agricultural and Biomedical waste.
- Sources and Classification of Solid wastes: Hazardous and Non-hazardous waste. Physical and Chemical characteristics of Municipal solid waste.
- Impact of Solid waste on environment, Solid waste management techniques: Waste prevention and waste reduction techniques.

## **Unit II: Disposal of Solid Waste-I**

- Segregation of waste, Composting: Principle, Factors affecting the composting of solid waste.
- Methods of composting: Manual composting, Vermi-composting.
- Land filling techniques, Factors to be considered for site selection. Land filling methods: Area method, trench method, Ramp method.

## **Unit III: Disposal of Solid Waste-II**

- Recycling of Plastic, Biogas recovery from land-fill.
- Waste to Energy processes: Anaerobic digestion. Electricity from Municipal solid waste.
- Thermal treatment of solid waste: Pyrolysis and Incineration, Products of incineration.

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