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Semester I

Research Methodology in Maritime Studies

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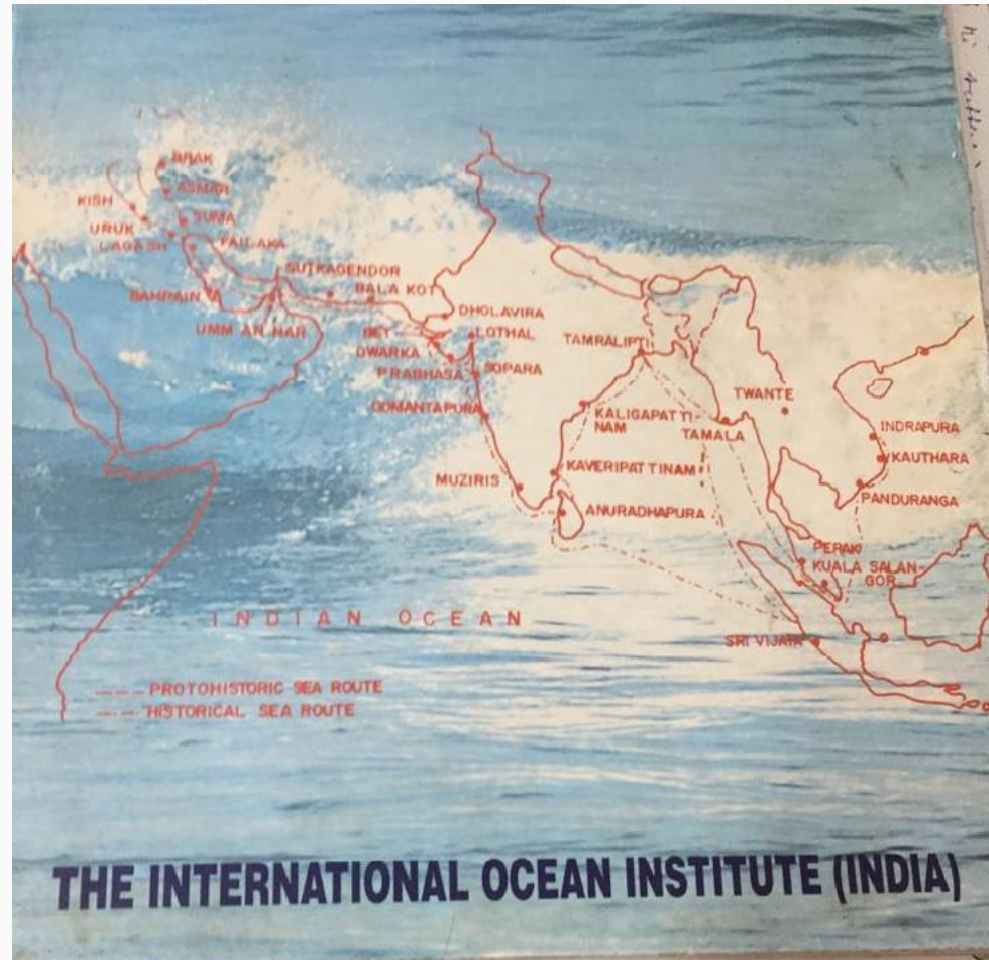
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Research in Maritime Studies

- Maritime discipline is a vast subject .
- Huge scope for research and specialisation in MT Studies in India.
- India has large Ocean Area. 7500km. Coastline.
- An Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ) of 2.2 Million Sq Km.
- All resources of this vast marine zone belong to India.



Areas for Maritime Research

- Marine Resources: Seabed minerals like Cobalt manganese oil and gas; Fisheries
- These resources are great source of wealth (Sagara Sampada) for India's economic development and growth
- Indian Government in recent years has introduced important plans for leveraging Ocean resources for National progress

Major subjects/Topics

Major subjects/Topics for Research in Maritime Studies include the following issues:

- Info's Maritime History;
- Marine Energy exploration;
- Status of Indian Ports;
- Indian shipping ;
- Maritime tourism etc.
- Maritime security;
- Role of Navy and Coast Guard;
- Maritime Laws of India;
- India's Maritime Power

Project proposal for Thesis writing

Sagarmala: Development of Ports

- Chapterisation
- Objectives of Sagarmala
- Port led industrialisation
- Port Connectivities
- Role of private sector in port development
- Investment in Port modernisation
- Coastal community development

Research Methodology

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