MSS in Development Studies Course Sequence

First Semester: 501 Introduction to Development Studies (4 credits) +) 02 Electives of 03 credits each from the following elective courses:

DST 601 The History of Development in Bangladesh (3 Credits)

DST 603 Hunger, Poverty and Development in Market Economies (3 Credits)

DST 605 Society, Culture, and Development in Bangladesh (3 Credits)

DST 607 Peoples' Knowledge, Development and Resource Management (3 Credits)

DST 611 Development Institutions, NGOs and Agencies (3 Credits)

DST 613 Micro-Credit and Development Management (3 Credits)

DST 620 Environment and Development (3 Credits)

DST 622 Environmental Problems in Bangladesh (3 Credits)

DST 624 Land and Water in Bangladesh (3 Credits)

DST 631 Organizational Communication in Development (3 Credits):

DST 633 Communication for Development (3 Credits)

DST 641 Population and Development (3 Credits)

DST 643 Migration and Mobility in Bangladesh (3 Credits)

(Total credits earned =10)

Second Semester: Foundation Course DST 503 Executive Skills for Development Professionals (4 Credits) + 02 Electives of 03 credits each from the following elective courses:

DST 651 Gender Issues in Development Studies (3 Credits)

DST 653 Human Rights, Law and Development (3 Credits)

DST 661 Urbanization and the Informal Sector in Bangladesh (3 Credits)

DST 663 Urbanization and Environmental Health (3 Credits)

DST 671 Regional Perspectives on Development in Bangladesh (3 Credits)

DST 673 Bangladesh Localities in a World of Globalization (3 Credits)

DST 675 Governance and Development in Bangladesh (3 Credits)

DST 677 Poverty Alleviation in Bangladesh (3 Credits)

DST 681 Business Enterprise and Development in Bangladesh (3 Credits)

DST 683 The Private and Public Sectors in Development (3 Credits)

DST 685 Rural Market and Development (3 Credits)

DST 693 Statistical Methods in Development Research (3 Credits)

(Total credits earned =10)

Third Semester: Foundation Course DST 505 Research Methods in Development Studies (4 Credits)

(Total credits earned =04)

Fourth Semester: Research/ Field Work for Master's Thesis (9 Credits)

(Total credits earned =09)