



Course Description for Knowledge: Contested, Contextualized, Confirmed

Name of Institute: Symbiosis School Of Liberal Arts

Course Name: Knowledge: Contested, Contextualized, Confirmed

(UG/PG): UG, Elective

Number Of Credits: 4 (60 Hrs)

Level:

Course Description:

This course is designed to help the reflect systematically and with greater self-awareness, on the historical and cultural origins of these epistemological contestations, by framing our discussions within a series of shifts in knowledge paradigms/models. These shifts occurred with the birth and growth of modernity, displacing individuals and societies from religion-centred, traditional knowledge paradigms that had sustained their worldviews and ways of life, ushering in what is called a scientific worldview.