NIRMA UNIVERSITY

Institute:	Institute of Design				
Name of Programme:	Bachelor of Design in Industrial Design				
Course Code:	IDPR 314E				
Course Title:	Packaging Design				
Course Type:	(☐ Core/☐ Value Added Course/☐ Departmental Elective/				
	■ Institute Elective/□ University Elective/□ Open Elective				
	Any other)				
Year of introduction:	2019				

Credit Scheme

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Course Learning Outcomes (CLO):

At the end of the course the student will:

- 1. Develop packaging solutions for commodities and/or consumer goods
- 2. Build brand prominence of a company through packaging
- 3. Draft the technical grids and the requisite packaging structures
- 4. Develop ideational sketches and CAD renderings of packaging concepts based on the given brief
- 5. Demonstrate knowhow on various types of packaging materials, manufacturing processes and technologies involved and the statutory information required by law

Syllabus: Total Teaching hours: 105 Unit **Syllabus Teaching** hours Unit-I **Introduction to Packaging Design:** 1.1 Introduction to Packaging and types of packaging design 1.2 Samples and case-studies of good and innovative packaging designs 1.3 Study of different packaging materials and its properties, 24 their application, tools and production methods in use 1.4 Exploration/recreation of an existing packaging solution 1.5 Industry visits

Unit-II New Packaging Design Solutions

- 2.1 Articulation of a Design brief based on a hypothetical or real-life context
- 2.2 Brand research, market study and survey of the selected product category
- 2.3 Concept explorations of design ideas, renderings, mockups and computer modeling
- 2.4 Design development of proposed structural solutions and

visual branding propositions

Unit-III Developing the Prototype of the Design Solution

- 3.1 Layout and drafting of the packaging
- 3.2 Final prototype of the proposed Packaging Design

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- 3.3 Development of a system of packaging for the category of product
- 3.4 Communication on the packaging and documentation

Unit-IV User Testing

- 4.1 Testing for Structural Strength and durability
- 4.2 Trials of Use in Contextual situations

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- 4.3 Making changes in the Proposed packaging solution
- 4.4 Making Final Prototype

Self Study:

Suggested Readings/ References:

- 1. Packaging Design: Successful Product
 Branding from Concept to Shelf by Marianne
 Klimchuk and Sandra A. Krasovec, Publisher:
 John Wiley & Sons Inc., 2013
- 2. Structural Packaging: Design Your Own Boxes and 3-D Forms by Paul Jackson, Publisher: Laurence King Publishing, 2012
- 3. 50 Trade Secrets of Great Design: Packaging by Stafford Cliff, Rockport Publishers, 2002

Suggested List of Experiments:

Suggested Case List: