Unit 1: Defining Corporate Social Responsibility- Introduction, Definitions of CSR, The effects of organisational activity, the principles of CSR

Unit2: The principles of CSR – Introduction, The prominence of CSR, Changing emphasis in companies, Sustainability, Environmental issues and their effects and, implications, Externalising costs, The Social Contract, Stakeholders & the social contract, What is a stakeholder? Multiple stakeholding, classification of stakeholders, Stakeholder Theory, Regulation and its implications, Risk Reducing

Unit3: Issues concerning Sustainability, Introduction, Defining sustainability, The Brundtland Report, Critiquing Brundtland, Sustainability and the Cost of Capital, Redefining sustainability, Distributable sustainability, Summarising Sustainability

Unit 4: Ethics, CSR and Corporate Behavior, Introduction, What is Ethics? The Why?, Ethical philosophies, The Gaia Hypothesis, Corporate Behaviour, CSR, Ethics and Corporate Behavior, Corporate Reputation, CSR Strategy and Leadership

Unit 5: Performance Evaluation and Performance Reporting, Introduction, What is performance?, Social accounting, Aspects of performance, The balanced scorecard, The environmental audit, The Measurement of Performance, The Evaluation of Performance, Multi-dimensional performance management, Globalisation and CSR

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