



**SYLLABUS AND SCHEME OF EXAMINATION**

**For**

**B.A. (Honours)**

**POLITICAL SCIENCE**

**UNDER CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS)**

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**SCHEME FOR CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM IN B.A (HONOURS)**

**POLITICAL SCIENCE**

<b>Semester</b>	<b>CORE COURSES (14)</b>	<b>Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC) (2)</b>	<b>Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) (2)</b>	<b>Elective: Discipline Specific DSE (4)</b>	<b>Elective: Generic (GE) (4)</b>
I	<b>C1 Understanding Political Theory</b>	AECC 1 Communicative English			GE-1A <b>Nationalism in India</b>  GE-1B <b>Contemporary Political Economy</b>
	<b>C2 Constitutional Government and Democracy in India</b>	AECC 2 MIL/Communicative Hindi/Alternative English			
II	<b>C3 Political Theory- Concepts and Debates</b>	AECC 3 Environmental Science			GE-2A <b>Feminism: Theory and Practice</b>  GE-2B <b>Gandhi and the Contemporary World</b>
	<b>C4 Political Process in India</b>				
III	<b>C5 Introduction to Comparative Government and Politics</b>		SEC-3A  <b>Democratic Awareness with Legal Literacy</b>		GE-3A <b>Understanding Ambedkar</b>  GE-3B <b>Governance: Issues and Challenges</b>
	<b>C 6 Perspectives on Public Administration</b>		SEC -3B		
	<b>C 7 Perspectives on International Relations and World History</b>		<b>Public Opinion and Survey Research</b>		
IV	<b>C 8 Political Processes and Institutions in Comparative Perspective</b>		SEC -4A <b>Legislative Practices and Procedures</b>		GE-4A  <b>Politics of Globalization</b>  GE-4B  <b>United Nations and Global Conflicts</b>
	<b>C 9 Public Policy and Administration in India</b>		SEC -4B <b>Peace and Conflict Resolution</b>		

	<b>C 10 Global Politics</b>				
V	<b>C 11 Classical Political Philosophy</b>			<b>DSE-1A Contemporary Politics in Assam DSE-1B Dilemmas in Politics</b>	
	<b>C 12 Indian Political Thought-I</b>			<b>DSE-2A Human Rights in a Comparative Perspective  DSE-2B Development Process and Social Movements in Contemporary India</b>	
VI	<b>C 13 Modern Political Philosophy</b>			<b>DSE-3A Public Policy in India  DSE-3B Understanding Global Politics</b>	
	<b>C 14 Indian Political Thought-II</b>			<b>DSE-4A India's Foreign Policy in a Globalizing world  DSE-4B Understanding South Asia</b>	

### Details of courses under B.A (Honours) Programme

Course	*Credits Theory + Tutorial
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<b><u>I. Core Course (6 Credits)</u></b> <b>(14 Courses)</b>	14X (5+1) =84

**Core Course Practical / Tutorial\***  
**(14 Papers)**

**II. Elective Course (6 Credits)**  
**(8 Courses)**

A.1. Discipline Specific Elective  
**(4 Courses)** 4X (5+1) =24

A.2. Discipline Specific Elective  
Practical / Tutorials\*  
**(4 Courses)**

B.1. Generic Elective/Interdisciplinary  
**(4 Courses)** 4X (5+1) =24

B.2. Generic Elective  
Practical / Tutorials\*  
**(4 Courses)**

**III. Ability Enhancement Courses**

AECC		SEC	
Course Title	Credit	Course Title	Credit
Environmental Studies/ Science	2	SEC I- Course I	2
Communicative English	2	SEC I- Course II/ SEC II	2
MIL/ Communicative Hindi/ Alternative English	2		
Total= 6 Credit		Total= 4 Credit	

**Total Credit Structure (Minimum)**

Core	DSE	GE	AECC	SEC	Total
14 Courses of 6 Credit	4 Courses of 6 Credit	4 Courses of 6 Credit	3 Courses of 2 Credit	4 Credits (2+2)	26 Courses
84	24	24	6	4	142

**\* Institute should evolve a system/policy about ECA/ General Interest/Hobby/Sports/  
NCC/NSS/related courses on its own.**

**\*\* Wherever there is a practical there will be no tutorial and vice-versa.**

## LIST OF COURSES

### B.A (HONOURS) POLITICAL SCIENCE

#### A) CORE COURSE (14)

- 1.1 Course I- Understanding Political Theory
- 1.2 Course II- Constitutional Government and Democracy in India
- 2.1 Course III – Political Theory-Concepts and Debates
- 2.2 Course IV- Political Process in India
- 3.1 Course V- Introduction to Comparative Government and Politics
- 3.2 Course VI –Perspectives on Public Administration
- 3.3 Course VII- Perspectives on International Relations and World History
- 4.1 Course VIII- Political Processes and Institutions in Comparative Perspective
- 4.2 Course IX- Public Policy and Administration in India
- 4.3 Course X- Global Politics
- 5.1 Course XI- Classical Political Philosophy
- 5.2 Course XII- Indian Political Thought-I
- 6.1 Course XIII- Modern Political Philosophy
- 6.2 Course XIV- Indian Political Thought-II

#### B) Generic Elective -4 (Interdisciplinary): Any Four

1. Nationalism in India
2. Contemporary Political Economy
3. Feminism: Theory and Practice
4. Gandhi and the Contemporary World
5. Understanding Ambedkar
6. Governance: Issues and Challenges
7. Politics of Globalization
8. United Nations and Global Conflict

#### C) Discipline Specific Elective-4 (DSE): Any Four

1. Contemporary Politics in Assam
2. Dilemmas in Politics

3. Human Rights in a Comparative Perspective
4. Development Process and Social Movements in Contemporary India
5. Public Policy in India
6. Understanding Global Politics
7. India's Foreign Policy in a Globalizing world
8. Understanding South Asia

D) Ability Enhancement-2 (AE Skill Based): Any Two

1. Democratic Awareness with Legal Literacy
2. Public Opinion and Survey Research
3. Legislative Practices and Procedures
4. Peace and Conflict Resolution

E) Ability Enhancement (Compulsory) Foundation: Two

1. Language-MIL/ENGLISH
2. Environmental Science

## 1.1 Course -I: Understanding Political Theory

**Course Objective:** This course is divided into five units. The units introduce the students to the idea of political theory, its history and approaches, and an assessment of its critical and contemporary trends. Further the last two units tend to reconcile political theory and practice through reflections on the ideas and practices related to State, Citizenship and Democracy.

### Total Lectures and Tutorials - 84

#### Unit-I: What is Politics: Theorizing the 'Political'

What is Theory? What is Political? Why do we need Political Theory? Evolution of Political Theory; Approaches to Political Theory-Normative, Historical and Empirical

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### Unit-II: Traditions of Political Theory

Liberal Tradition: Meaning, history of liberalism, Phases of liberalism and their features-**Classical**-contractarianism, **Modern**-individual autonomy, welfare state and Utilitarianism and distributive justice

Marxist tradition: Introducing Marxism- dialectical materialism, historical materialism and the concept of class war, dictatorship of proletariat and classless society.

Multiculturalism: meaning and evolution, models of multiculturalism- hybridity, constitutional diversity, right to cultural membership

Tutorials

13 Lectures and 4

#### Unit –III: Critical and Contemporary Perspectives in Political Theory: Feminist - Feminism:

Meaning, Types- Liberal, Marxist, Radical and Third World Feminisms: Features, Strength and Weakness; Postmodern- Meaning, Development, Difference between postmodernism and modernism

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### Unit-IV: Political Theory and Practice-I: Citizenship- meaning, types-active and passive

liberal and universal citizenship, feminism and citizenship, Marxist critique of citizenship; Types of State- Patriarchal State- Liberal and Marxist, State and Civil Society

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### Unit-V: Political Theory and Practice-II: Democracy- Direct, Liberal, Procedural,

Deliberative; Debates- Democracy and Difference, Representation and Participation, Democracy and Development

12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials



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- Gauba, O.P., *An Introduction to Political Theory*, MacMillan India Ltd, Delhi, 2007
- Dutta, Akhil Ranjan, *Political Theory: Issues and Debates*, Arun Prakashan, Guwahati, 2011

## 1.2 Course II: Constitutional Government and Democracy in India

**Course Objective:** This course acquaints the students with the constitutional design of States' structure and institutions, and their actual working over time. The Constitution of India accommodates conflicting impulses (of liberty and justice, territorial decentralization and a strong union, for instance) within itself. The course traces the embodiment of some of these conflicts in constitutional provisions, and shows how these have played out in political practice. It further encourages a study of state institutions in their mutual interaction, and in interaction with the larger extra-constitutional environment.

### Total Lectures and Tutorials - 84

#### UNIT: I. The Constituent Assembly and the Constitution 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

- a. Framing of the Constitution- Acts of 1909, 1919, 1935 and 1947; the Preamble and the major features of the Constitution
- b. Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles

#### UNIT: II. Organs of Government- I 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

- a. The Legislature: Parliament- Composition, Powers and Functions
- b. The Executive: President, Vice President, Prime Minister, Council of Ministers

#### UNIT: III. Organs of Government- 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

- a. The Judiciary: High Court and Supreme Court, Juridical Review
- b. Relation between Executive and Judiciary, Juridical Activism, Public Interest Litigation (PIL)

#### UNIT: IV. Federalism 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

- a. Federalism: Nature, Division of Powers, Emergency Provisions
- b. Centre-State Relations – Conflicts and Accommodation, Fifth and Sixth Schedules of the Constitution

#### UNIT: V. Decentralization and Local Government 12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

- a. Panchayati Raj, Municipalities
- b. 73<sup>rd</sup>, 74<sup>th</sup> Amendments and 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> Schedule of the Constitution

### READING LIST

- G. Austin, (2010) 'The Constituent Assembly: Microcosm in Action', in *The Indian Constitution: Cornerstone of a Nation*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 15th print, pp.1 25.
- R. Bhargava, (2008) 'Introduction: Outline of a Political Theory of the Indian Constitution', in R. Bhargava (ed.) *Politics and Ethics of the Indian Constitution*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 1-40.
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- Manor, (1994) 'The Prime Minister and the President', in B. Dua and J. Manor (eds.) *Nehru to the Nineties: The Changing Office of the Prime Minister in India*, Vancouver: University of British Columbia Press, pp. 20-47.
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- U. Baxi, (2010) 'The Judiciary as a Resource for Indian Democracy', *Seminar*, Issue 615, pp. 61-67.
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- B. Sharma, (2010) 'The 1990s: Great Expectations'; 'The 2000s: Disillusionment Unfathomable', in *Unbroken History of Broken Promises: Indian State and Tribal People*, Delhi: Freedom Press and Sahyog Pustak Kuteer, pp. 64-91.
- R. Dhavan and R. Saxena, (2006) 'The Republic of India', in K. Roy, C. Saunders and J. Kincaid (eds.) *A Global Dialogue on Federalism*, Volume 3, Montreal: Queen's University Press, pp. 166-197.
- R. Manchanda, (2009) *The No Nonsense Guide to Minority Rights in South Asia*, Delhi: Sage Publications, pp. 105-109.
- P. deSouza, (2002) 'Decentralization and Local Government: The Second Wind of Democracy in India', in Z. Hasan, E. Sridharan and R. Sudarshan (eds.) *India's Living Constitution: Ideas, Practices and Controversies*, New Delhi: Permanent Black, pp. 370-404.
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- Baviskar, B.S and George Mathew (eds.) 2009 *Inclusion and Exclusion in Local Governance: Field Studies from rural India*, New Delhi, Sage

## 2.1 Course III: Political Theory: Concepts and Debates

This course is divided into five units. The Course helps the student familiarize with the basic normative concepts of political theory. Each concept is related to a crucial political issue that requires analysis with the aid of our conceptual understanding. This exercise is designed to encourage critical and reflective analysis and interpretation of social practices through the relevant conceptual toolkit. Further this course introduces the students to the important debates in the subject. These debates prompt us to consider that there is no settled way of understanding concepts and that in the light of new insights and challenges, besides newer ways of perceiving and interpreting the world around us, we inaugurate new modes of political debates.

### Total Lectures and Tutorials - 84

**Unit-I: Freedom:** Negative Freedom: Liberty; Positive Freedom: Freedom as Emancipation and Development, freedom and other concepts- equality, rights, Freedom of belief, expression and dissent. 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-II: Equality** – Types- Formal, Procedural, Substantive, Equality of Opportunity; Political equality-in terms of political relations as citizens; equal distribution of political power and influence; Egalitarianism: Background inequalities and differential treatment and Affirmative action 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit- III. Indispensability of Justice** -Procedural Justice- justice as Entitlement; Distributive Justice-Justice as distribution and its communitarian critique; Justice as capabilities and freedom; feminist accounts of Justice; Difference between procedural and substantial justice 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit- IV. The Universality of Rights-** Natural Rights-features, contractual and teleological views of natural rights; Moral rights and legal rights-their difference from natural rights, Bill of Rights versus common law, UDHR as moral rights; Three Generation of Rights; Rights and Obligations 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-V: Major Debates** – Relationship between state, political obligation and civil disobedience; challenges to the sovereignty of the State; Universality of human rights and cultural relativism; multiculturalism and tolerance; multiculturalism and the new wars of Religion (clashes of civilization) 12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

### Reading List:

- Mckinnon, Catriona (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*, New York: Oxford University Press
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- Working Group on the Girl Child (2007), *A Girl's Right to Live: Female Foeticide and Girl Infanticide*, available on [http://www.crin.org/docs/Girl's infanticide CSW 2007](http://www.crin.org/docs/Girl's%20infanticide%20CSW2007)

## 2.2 Course IV: Political Process in India

**Course objective:** Actual politics in India diverges quite significantly from constitutional legal rules. An understanding of the political process thus calls for a different mode of analysis - that offered by political sociology. This course maps the working of 'modern' institutions, premised on the existence of an individuated society, in a context marked by communitarian solidarities, and their mutual transformation thereby. It also familiarizes students with the working of the Indian state, paying attention to the contradictory dynamics of modern state power.

### Total Lectures and Tutorials - 84

<b>Unit- I: Political Parties and the Party System</b>	13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
Trends in the Party System; From the Congress System to Multi-Party Coalitions to Single Party Majority System	
<b>Unit-II: Elections and Political Behaviour</b>	13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
Political Mobilization and Leadership Determinants of Voting Behaviour Caste, Class, Gender and Religion	
<b>Unit-III: Regional Aspirations</b>	13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
Politics of Regionalism The Politics of Secession and Accommodation	
<b>Unit-IV: Religion, Caste and Politics</b>	13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
Debates on Secularism; Minority and Majority Communalism Caste in Politics	
<b>Unit-V: The Changing Nature of the Indian State</b>	12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
Developmental, Welfare and Coercive Dimensions Globalization and the State	

### READING LIST

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- R. Kothari, (2002) 'The Congress System', in Z. Hasan (ed.) *Parties and Party Politics in India*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp 39-55.
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### 3.1 Course V: Introduction to Comparative Government and Politics

**Course objective:** This is a foundational course in comparative politics. The purpose is to familiarize students with the basic concepts and approaches to the study of comparative politics. More specifically the course will focus on examining politics in a historical framework while engaging with various themes of comparative analysis in developed and developing countries.

#### Total Lectures and Tutorials - 84

**Unit –I: Understanding Comparative Politics** 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials  
Development of comparative politics; Nature and scope; Going beyond Eurocentrism- Third World approaches to comparative politics

**Unit-II: Historical context of modern Government-I** 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials  
Capitalism: meaning and development; Globalization: Meaning and Development, its impact on government and politics, debates; Socialism: meaning, growth, developments, impact on government and politics.

**Unit-III: Historical context of modern government-II** 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials  
Colonialism and decolonization: meaning, context, forms of colonialism; anti-colonialism struggles, decolonization and its impact on government and politics

**Unit-IV: Themes for comparative analysis-I** 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials  
Constitutional development and political economy of Britain and the USA, Role and functions of the organs of the government- A comparative perspective

**Unit-V: Themes for comparative analysis II** 12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials  
Constitutional developments and political economy of Brazil, Nigeria and China

#### Readings:

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### 3.2 Course -VI: Perspectives on Public Administration

**Objective:** The course provides an introduction to the discipline of public administration. This paper encompasses public administration in its historical context with an emphasis on the various classical and contemporary administrative theories. The course also explores some of the recent trends, including feminism and ecological conservation and how the call for greater democratization is restructuring public administration. The course will also attempt to provide the students a comprehensive understanding on contemporary administrative developments.

#### Total Lectures and Tutorials - 84

**UNIT-I: PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AS A DISCIPLINE-** Meaning, Dimensions and Significance of the Discipline, Evolution of Public Administration, Public and Private Administration 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**UNIT-II: THEORETICAL PERSPECTIVES-** Classical Theories: Scientific Management (F.W.Taylor), Administrative Management (Gullick, Urwick and Fayol), Ideal-type Bureaucracy (Max Weber); Neo-Classical Theories- Human Relations Theory (Elton Mayo), Rational Decision-Making (Herbert Simon) 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**UNIT-III: THEORETICAL PERSPECTIVES-** Contemporary Theories: Ecological Approach (F. W. Riggs), Innovation and Entrepreneurship (Peter Drucker), Need Hierarchy (Abraham Maslow) 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**UNIT-IV: PUBLIC POLICY-** Concept, Relevance and Approaches, Formulation, Implementation and Evaluation, People's Participation 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**UNIT-V: MAJOR APPROACHES IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION-** New Public Management, New Public Service Approach, Good Governance, Feminist Perspectives 12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

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### 3.3 Course VII: Perspectives on International Relations and World History

**Course Objective:** This paper seeks to equip students with the basic intellectual tools for understanding International Relations. It introduces students to some of the most important theoretical approaches for studying international relations. The course begins by historically contextualizing the evolution of the international state system before discussing the agency structure problem through the levels-of-analysis approach. After having set the parameters of the debate, students are introduced to different theories in International Relations. It provides a fairly comprehensive overview of the major political developments and events starting from the twentieth century. Students are expected to learn about the key milestones in world history and equip them with the tools to understand and analyze the same from different perspectives. A key objective of the course is to make students aware of the implicit Euro - centricism of International Relations by highlighting certain specific perspectives from the Global South.

#### **Total Lectures and Tutorials - 84**

<b>Unit-I: Studying International Relations</b>	13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
Understanding International Relations: Levels of Analysis (Domestic, Regional and Systemic)	
<b>History and IR:</b> Emergence of the International State System	
Pre-Westphalia and Westphalia	
Post-Westphalia	
<b>Unit-II: Theoretical Perspectives</b>	13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
Classical Realism & Neo-Realism	
Liberalism & Neo-liberalism	
<b>Unit-III: Critical Perspectives</b>	13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
Marxist Approaches	
Feminist Perspectives	
Euro-centricism and Perspectives from the Global South	
<b>Unit-IV: An Overview of Twentieth Century IR History</b>	13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
World War I: Causes and Consequences	
Significance of the Bolshevik Revolution	
Rise of Fascism / Nazism	
World War II: Causes and Consequences	
<b>Unit-V: Cold War and Post-Cold War</b>	12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
Cold War: Different Phases	
Emergence of the Third World	
Collapse of the USSR and the End of the Cold War	
Post-Cold War Developments and Emergence of Other Centers of Power	

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#### 4.1 Course VIII: Political Processes and Institutions in Comparative Perspective

**Course objective:** In this course students will be trained in the application of comparative methods to the study of politics. The course is comparative in both what we study and how we study. In the process the course aims to introduce undergraduate students to some of the range of issues, literature, and methods that cover comparative political.

#### Total Lectures and Tutorials - 84

**Unit-I: Approaches to Studying Comparative Politics** 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

- a. Political Culture: meaning, role and significance in comparative political analysis
- b. New Institutionalism: meaning and nature

**Unit-II: Electoral and Party System** 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

Definition and procedures: Types of election system (First Past the Post, Proportional Representation, Mixed Representation)  
Historical contexts of emergence of the party system  
Political Parties: Types, ideology, structure, leadership  
Election and Coalition Politics

**Unit-III: Nation-state** 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

Understanding the concept of nation–state  
Historical evolution in Western Europe and postcolonial contexts  
'Nation' and 'State': debates

**Unit-IV: Democratization** 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

Process of democratization in postcolonial, post- authoritarian and post-communist Countries; Democratization in contemporary era: an assessment

**Unit-V: Federalism** 12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

Historical context, Federation and Confederation: debates around territorial division of power, Contemporary debates on Federalism

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## 4.2 Course -IX: Public Policy and Administration in India

Objective: The paper seeks to provide an introduction to the interface between public policy and administration in India. The essence of public policy lies in its effectiveness in translating the governing philosophy into programs and policies and making it a part of the community living. It deals with issues of decentralization, financial management, citizens and administration and social welfare from a non-western perspective.

### Total Lectures and Tutorials - 84

**Unit-I: Public Policy-**Definition, characteristics and models, Public Policy Processes in India  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-II: Decentralization-** Meaning, significance, approaches and types, Local Self  
Governance: Rural and Urban 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-III: Budget-** Concept and Significance of Budget, Budget Cycle in India, Approaches  
and Types of Budgeting 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-IV: Citizen and Administration Interface-** Public Service Delivery, Redressal of  
Public Grievances: RTI, Lokpal, Citizens' Charter and E-Governance  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-V: Social Welfare Administration-** Concept and Approaches of Social Welfare, Social  
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12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

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### 4.3 Course – X: Global Politics

**Course objective:** This course introduces students to the key debates on the meaning and nature of globalization by addressing its political, economic, social, cultural and technological dimensions. In keeping with the most important debates within the globalization discourse, it imparts an understanding of the working of the world economy, its anchors and resistances offered by global social movements while analyzing the changing nature of relationship between the state and trans-national actors and networks. The course also offers insights into key contemporary global issues such as the proliferation of nuclear weapons, ecological issues, international terrorism, and human security before concluding with a debate on the phenomenon of global governance.

#### **Total Lectures and Tutorials - 84**

**Unit- I Globalization: Conceptions and Perspectives** 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

- a. Understanding Globalization and its Alternative Perspectives
- b. Political: Debates on Sovereignty and Territoriality

**Unit- II. Issues and Institutions in Global Politics** 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

Global Economy: Its Significance and Anchors of Global Political Economy: IMF, World Bank, WTO  
Global Resistances (Global Social Movements- World Social Forum, Amnesty International and Green Peace)

**Unit- III. Contemporary Global Issues-I** 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons, NPT and CTBT  
International Terrorism: Non-State Actors and State Terrorism; Post 9/11 developments (The UN initiatives)

**Unit-IV. Contemporary Global Issues -II** 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

Ecological Issues: Historical Overview of International Environmental Agreements, Climate Change, Global Commons Debate; Migration; Human Security

**Unit-V. Global Shifts: Power and Governance** 12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

Concept of Global Governance; Role of Global Governance in Contemporary International Relations; Global North-South Debate

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## 5.1 Course - XI: Classical Political Philosophy

**Course objective:** This course goes back to Greek antiquity and familiarizes students with the manner in which the political questions were first posed. Machiavelli comes as an interlude inaugurating modern politics followed by Hobbes and Locke. This is a basic foundation course for students.

### Total Lectures and Tutorials - 84

**Unit-I: Text and Interpretation** – Approaches to the interpretation of text -Marxian, Totalitarian, Psychoanalytic, Feminist, Straussian, postmodernist interpretations and pluralistic and problem driven interpretations 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-II: Ancient Political Thought: Plato-**Philosophy and Politics, Theory of Forms, Justice, Philosopher King/Queen, Communism; **Aristotle-** Citizenship, Justice, State and Revolution 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit- III: Machiavelli-** Virtue, Religion, Republicanism, morality and statecraft 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-IV: Possessive Individualism-Hobbes:** Human nature, State of Nature, Social Contract, State; atomistic individuals. 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

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## 5.2 Course – XII: Indian Political Thought-I

**Course objective:** This course introduces the specific elements of Indian Political Thought spanning over two millennia. The basic focus of study is on individual thinkers whose ideas are however framed by specific themes. The course as a whole is meant to provide a sense of the broad streams of Indian thought while encouraging a specific knowledge of individual thinkers and texts. Selected extracts from some original texts are also given to discuss in class. The list of additional readings is meant for teachers as well as the more interested students.

### Total Lectures and Tutorials - 84

**Unit-I:** Traditions of Pre-colonial Indian Political Thought – Emergence of Brahmanic and Shramanic (Buddhist and Jainism Philosophies) traditions and their basic tenets; Emergence of Islamic Traditions in India and the development of Hindu-Muslim Syncretism. 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-II:** Rajadharma- Origin, Relation between Kinship and the State, Duties of the King; Kautilya- views on Statecraft, Elements of the State (The Saptanga Theory) 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit- III:** Manu: Social Laws –Sources, Dharma of the four Classes and governance, Rules relating to Law, Rules of Action in Terms of Adversity. 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit- IV:** Aggannasutta (Digha Nikaya)- Theory of kingship-Origin, Social Classes, Notion of Sovereignty, Views on State and Ideal State. 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-V:** Barani: Ideal Polity; Abul Fazal: Monarchy; Kabir: Syncretism 12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

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## 6.1 Course – XIII: Modern Political Philosophy

**Course objective:** Philosophy and politics are closely intertwined. We explore this convergence by identifying five main tendencies here. Students will be exposed to the manner in which the questions of politics have been posed in terms that have implications for larger questions of thought and existence.

### Total Lectures and Tutorials - 84

**Unit-I : Modernity and its discourses** – Concept of Modernity, Renaissance, Enlightenment; Modernity and liberalism, Modernity versus postmodernism, Gandhi's Critique to modern civilization 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-II: Romantics-** Jean Jacques Rousseau –Social Contract, General Will, local or direct democracy, self government, origin of inequality; Mary Wollstonecraft- Women and paternalism; critique of Rousseau's idea of education 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-III: Liberal socialist-**John Stuart Mill- Liberty, suffrage and subjection of women, right of minorities; utility principle. 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit IV. Radicals- (i)** Karl Marx -Alienation; difference with other kinds of materialism; Gramsci-Hegemony 13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-V: Radicals- (ii)** Alexandra Kollontai- Views on Morality; socialization of housework; disagreement with Lenin, Noam Chomsky- Manufacturing Consent 12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

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## 6.2 Course – XIV: Indian Political Thought-II

**Course objective:** Based on the study of individual thinkers, the course introduces a wide span of thinkers and themes that defines the modernity of Indian political thought. The objective is to study general themes that have been produced by thinkers from varied social and temporal contexts. Selected extracts from original texts are also given to discuss in the class. The list of additional readings is meant for teachers as well as the more interested students.

### Total Lectures and Tutorials - 84

**Unit-I:** Introduction to Modern Indian Political Thought: Trends and Genesis

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-II:** Reformist Political Thought- Rammohan Roy- Rights – Freedom of Press, Civil Liberties, Gender; Pandita Ramabai: Gender- Women’s Education, Sarada Sadan

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-III:** Nationalist Political Thought: Gandhi: Swaraj; Nehru: Secularism; Tagore: Critique of Nationalism

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-IV:** Thoughts For Social Change: Ambedkar: Social Justice; Lohia: Socialism, M.N. Roy: Radical Humanism

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-V:** Thoughts of Cultural Nationalism: Iqbal: Community; Savarkar: Hindutva

12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

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## Discipline Specific Electives

### Semester-V: DSE-1A: Contemporary Politics in Assam

#### Total Lectures and Tutorials - 84

**Objectives:** The primary aim of this paper is acquaint with the students with the politics of contemporary Assam and its neighbouring states. Moreover, being located in the Northeast region it is invariably the concern of the students to have proper understanding of the region.

**Unit – I :** Composite state of Assam and its Dismemberment- Geo-political features, Colonial Legacy, Social Heterogeneity, Assamese Nationality Question  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit – II:** Politics of Autonomy in Assam: Regionalism and sub-regionalism – Demand for Autonomous state, Demand for Separate State, Demand for Sixth Schedule  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit – III:** Politics of Ethnicity in Assam: Politics of migration and its impact on identity Movements – Language movements - Foreign national movement – Insurgency and Secessionist movements.  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit – IV:** Inter-State border disputes (Assam-Nagaland, Assam-Meghalaya, Assam-Arunachal Pradesh)  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit – V:** Politics of Development- Development induced Displacement, Environment- Large dams  
12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### Books Recommended:

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- Manirul Hussain : The Assam Movement : Class, Identity and Ideology, Manak Publications, New Delhi, 1993
- Sandhya Goswami : Language Politics in Assam, Ajanta, New Delhi, 1997
- K.M. Deka (ed.) : Nationalism and Regionalism in Northeast India, Dibrugarh University, 1985
- K.M. Deka & K.N. Phukon: Ethnicity in ASSAM, Dibrugarh University, 2001
- Girin Phukon : Assam's Attitude to Federalism, Sterling Publishers, New Delhi, 1984  
: Inter-Ethnic conflict in Northeast India, (South Asian Publishers, New Delhi, 2005)  
: Politics of Regionalism in Northeast India (Spectrum Publication, New Delhi, 2003).
- Girin Phukon & : Politics of Identity and Nation Building in Northeast India, South Asian N.L. Dutta (eds), Publishers, New Delhi, 1997
- A.K.Baruah: Social Tensions in Assam
- J.Upadhyay : Student Politics in Assam, 2017
- Monirul Hussain: Interrogating Development, Sage, 2008

- S.K. Chaube : Hill Politics in Northeast India, Orient Longman Ltd., New Delhi, 1999
- Meeta Deka : Student Movement in Assam, Vikas, New Delhi, 1996
- Samir Kr. Das : ULFA, (United Liberation Front of Assam) : A Political analysis, 1994
- B. Dutta Roy : Re-organisation of Northeast India since, 1947 (Concept Publishing Company, New Delhi, 1996)

**Semester-V:**  
**DSE-1B: Dilemmas in Politics**

**Course Objective:** This course is designed to explore, analyze and evaluate some of the central issues, values and debates in the/ contemporary world that has a bearing on normative political inquiry. The eight issues selected as dilemmas, though not exhaustive, are some of the salient ones discussed across societies.

**Total Lectures and Tutorials - 84**

**Unit-I:** Moral Economy of Violence, Politics of Exclusion

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-II:** Debates on Human Rights- Concepts and Relevance, Universalists vs. Relativists

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-III:** Ecology and Political Responsibility, Capabilities and the Politics of Empowerment

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-IV:** Global Justice and Cosmopolitanism, Legitimacy of Humanitarian Intervention

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-V:** Feminism and the Politics of Interpretation

12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Essential Readings I. The Moral Economy of Violence**

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**Additional Reading:**

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**II. The Politics of Exclusion**

Sen, A. (2000) *Social Exclusion: Concept, Application, and Scrutiny*. Social Development Papers No. 1 (June), Asian Development Bank. **I**

**II. Debates on Human Rights**

Orend, B. (2002) *Human Rights: Concept and Context*. Peterborough: Broadview Press, pp.15-190.

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**IV: Ecology and Political Responsibility**

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- Clark, M. (1993) 'Environmentalism', in Bellamy, R. (ed.) *Theories and Concepts in Politics: An Introduction*. New York: Manchester University Press, pp. 243-264.
- Bryant, R. L. & Bailey, S. (1997) *Third World Political Ecology: An Introduction*, London: Routledge, pp. 27-47.
- Jamieson, D. (2008) 'Environment', in McKinnon, C. (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*, New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 313-335.

#### **V: Capabilities and the Politics of Empowerment**

- Sen, A. (1995) *Inequality Reexamined*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 39-55, 73-87.
- Sen, A. (1998) *Development as Freedom*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 87-110.
- Weissberg, R. (1999) *The Politics of Empowerment*. London: Greenwood Publishing Group, pp. 1-86

#### **VI: Global Justice and Cosmopolitanism**

- Fabre, C. (2007) *Justice in a Changing World*. Cambridge: Polity Press, pp. 95-112.
- Held, D. (2005) 'Principles of Cosmopolitan Order', in Brock, G. and Brighouse, H. (eds.) *The Political Philosophy of Cosmopolitanism*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, pp. 10-38.
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#### **VII: Feminism and the Politics of Interpretation**

- Jaggar, A. (1983) *Feminist Politics and Human Nature*. Forbes Boulevard: Rowman and Littlefield, pp. 1-13; 353-394.
- Chambers, C. (2008) 'Gender', in McKinnon, C. (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 265-288.

#### **VIII: Legitimacy of Humanitarian Intervention**

- Keohane, R. O. (2003) 'Introduction', in Holzgrefe, J. L. and Keohane, R. O. (eds.), *Humanitarian Intervention: Ethical, Legal and Political Dilemmas*. New York: Cambridge University Press, pp. 1-14.
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## Semester-V:

### DSE-2A: Human Rights in Comparative Perspective

**Course objective:** This course attempts to build an understanding of human rights among students through a study of specific issues in a comparative perspective. It is important for students to see how debates on human rights have taken distinct forms historically and in the contemporary world. The course seeks to anchor all issues in the Indian context, and pulls out another country to form a broader comparative frame. Students will be expected to use a range of resources, including films, biographies, and official documents to study each theme. Thematic discussion of sub-topics in the second and third sections should include state response to issues and structural violence questions.

**Total Lectures and Tutorials – 84**

**Unit-I: Human Rights: Theory and Institutionalization:** Understanding Human Rights, Philosophical Foundations of Human Rights- Utilitarian Rights, Natural Rights, Positivist School, Asian Values, Three Generations of Rights

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-II: Institutional Arrangements-**United Nations, Universal Declaration of Human Rights, International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (ICCPR), International Covenant on Economic Social and Cultural Rights (ICESCR), Optional Protocols

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-III: Rights in National Constitutions:** South Africa and India

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-IV: Issues of Human Rights:** Torture: USA and India, Surveillance and Censorship: China and India, Terrorism and Insecurity of Minorities: USA and India

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-V:Structural Violence:** Caste and Race: South Africa and India, Gender and Violence: India and Pakistan, Adivasis/Aboriginals, the Land Question: Australia and India

12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

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- D. O'Byrne, (2007) *Human Rights: An Introduction*, Delhi: Pearson



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- U. Singh, (2007) 'The Unfolding of Extraordinariness: POTA and the Construction of Suspect Communities', in *The State, Democracy and Anti-terror Laws in India*, Delhi: Sage Publications, pp.165-219
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- K.Kannabiran (2012) 'Rethinking the Constitutional Category of Sex', in *Tools of Justice: Non-Discrimination and the Indian Constitution*, New Delhi, Routledge, pp.425-443
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- H. Goodall, (2011) 'International Indigenous Community Study: Adivasi Indigenous People in India', in A. Cadzow and J. Maynard (eds.), *Aboriginal Studies*, Melbourne: Nelson Cengage Learning, pp.254-259.
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- A. Laws and V. Iacopino, (2002) 'Police Torture in Punjab, India: An Extended Survey', in *Health and Human Rights*, Vol. 6(1), pp. 195-210

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- J. Nickel, (1987) *Making Sense of Human Rights: Philosophical Reflections on the Universal Declaration of Human Rights*, Berkeley: University of California Press.
- J. Goldman, (2005) 'Of Treaties and Torture: How the Supreme Court Can Restrain the Executive', in *Duke Law Journal*, Vol. 55(3), pp. 609-640.
- K. Tsutsui and C. Wotipka, (2004) Global Civil Society and the International Human Rights Movement: Citizen Participation in Human Rights International Nongovernmental Organizations, in *Social Forces*, Vol. 83(2), pp. 587-620.
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## Semester-V:

### DSE-2B: Development Process and Social Movements in Contemporary India

**Course objective:** Under the influence of globalization, development processes in India have undergone transformation to produce spaces of advantage and disadvantage and new geographies of power. The high social reproduction costs and dispossession of vulnerable social groups involved in such a development strategy condition new theatres of contestation and struggles. A variety of protest movements emerged to interrogate and challenge this development paradigm that evidently also weakens the democratic space so very vital to the formulation of critical consensus. This course proposes to introduce students to the conditions, contexts and forms of political contestation over development paradigms and their bearing on the retrieval of democratic voice of citizens.

**Total Lectures and Tutorials – 84**

#### UNIT- I: Development Process since Independence

- a. State and planning
- b. Liberalization and reforms

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### UNIT-II: Industrial Development Strategy and its Impact on the Social Structure

- a. Mixed economy, privatization, the impact on organized and unorganized labour
- b. Emergence of the new middle class

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### UNIT- III: Agrarian Development Strategy and its Impact on the Social Structure

- a. Land Reforms, Green Revolution
- b. Agrarian crisis since the 1990s and its impact on farmers

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### UNIT- IV: Social Movements-I

- a. Tribal, Peasant, Dalit
- b. Maoist challenge

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### UNIT-V: Social Movements-II

- a. Civil rights movements, Women's movements
- b. Environmental and Ecological Movements

12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### READING LIST

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- T. Singh, (1979) 'The Planning Process and Public Process: a Reassessment', *R. R. Kale Memorial Lecture*, Pune: Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics.
- A. Aggarwal, (2006) 'Special Economic Zones: Revisiting the Policy Debate', in *Economic and Political Weekly*, XLI (43-44), pp.4533-36.
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- F. Frankel, (2009) *Harvesting Despair: Agrarian Crisis in India*, Delhi: Perspectives, pp. 161- 169.
- J. Harriss, (2006) 'Local Power and the Agrarian Political Economy' in Harriss, J. (ed) *Power Matters: Essays on Institutions, Politics, and Society in India*, Delhi. Oxford University Press, pp. 29-32.
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## **Semester-VI:**

### **DSE 3A: Public Policy in India**

**Course Objective:** This course provides a theoretical and practical understanding of the concepts and methods that can be employed in the analysis of public policy. It uses the methods of political economy to understand policy as well as understand politics as it is shaped by economic changes. The course will be useful for students who seek an integrative link to their understanding of political science, economic theory and the practical world of development and social change.

#### **Total Lectures and Tutorials – 84**

- Unit-I: Public Policy and Analysis- Meaning and Concept, Models and Approaches**  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
- Unit-II: State and Public Policy-** Nature of State and Public Policy, State Directed Policy in India: Pre and Post Reform periods  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
- Unit-III: Political Economy and Policy: Interest Groups and Social Movements-** Global Financial Institutions and Public Policy in India, Interest Groups in India, Peoples' Movements and Public Policy in India  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
- Unit-IV: Policy Decision-Making in India-** Processes and Issues, Legislative Processes, Legal Dynamics  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
- Unit- V: Ideology and Policy:** Nehruvian Vision, Economic Liberalisation and recent developments (Inclusive Development, Disinvestment)  
12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

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## Semester-VI:

### DSE 3B: Understanding Global Politics

**Course Objectives:** This course aims to provide students a basic yet interesting and insightful way of knowing and thinking about the world around them. It is centered around three sets of basic questions starting with what makes the world what it is by instructing students how they can conceptualize the world and their place within it. The second module focuses on the basic fault lines that drives the world apart and the last one is designed to help students explore how and why they need to think about the 'world' as a whole from alternate vantage points.

**Total Lectures and Tutorials – 84**

**Unit-I: What Makes the World what it is?-The Sovereign State System-evolution of the state system, concept of Sovereignty**

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**UNIT-II: The Global Economy- the Bretton Woods Institutions and WTO-Ideological underpinnings, Transnational Economic Actors**

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**UNIT-III: Identity and Culture- culture and global politics, erosion of cultural identities under globalization**

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**UNIT-IV: What Drives the World Apart?- Global Inequalities, Violence: Conflict, War and Terrorism**

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**UNIT-V: Why We Need to Bring the World Together? - Global Environment, Global Civil Society**

12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### **Reading List**

#### **I. What Makes the World What it is?**

##### **a. The Sovereign State System**

Essential Readings:

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R. Mansbach and K. Taylor, (2012) 'The Evolution of the Interstate System and Alternative Global Political Systems', *Introduction to Global Politics*, 2nd edition, New York: Routledge, pp. 34-68.

D. Armstrong, (2008) 'The Evolution of International Society', in J. Baylis, S. Smith, and P. Owens (ed.) *The Globalization of World Politics: An Introduction to International Relations*, New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 36-52.

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### **b. The Global Economy**

Essential Readings:

V. Peterson, (2009) 'How Is The World Organized Economically?', in J. Edkins and M. Zehfuss

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A. Narlikar, (2005) *The World Trade Organization: A Very Short Introduction*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

J. Goldstein, (2006) *International Relations*, New Delhi: Pearson, pp. 327-368.

### **c. Identity and Culture**

Essential Readings:

A. Wibben, (2009) 'What Do We Think We Are?', in J. Edkins and M. Zehfuss (eds.) *Global Politics: A New Introduction*, New York: Routledge, pp. 70-96.

R. Collin and P. Martin, (eds.), (2013) 'Community and Conflict: A Quick Look at the Planet',

in *An Introduction To World Politics: Conflict And Consensus On A Small Planet*, New York: Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, pp. 67- 102.

Y. Isar, (2012) 'Global Culture', in B. Chimni and S. Mallavarapu (ed.) *International Relations:*

*Perspectives For the Global South*, New Delhi: Pearson, pp. 272-285.

## **II. What Drives the World Apart?**

### **a. Global Inequalities**

Essential Readings:

P. Chammack, (2009) 'Why are Some People Better off than Others?', in J. Edkins and M. Zehfuss (ed.) *Global Politics: A New Introduction*, New York: Routledge, pp. 294-319.

M. Pasha, (2009) 'How can we end Poverty?', in J. Edkins and M. Zehfuss (ed.) *Global Politics: A New Introduction*, New York: Routledge, pp. 320-343.

Additional Readings:

R. Wade, (2008) 'Globalisation, Growth, Poverty, Inequality, Resentment, and Imperialism', in J. Ravenhill (ed.), *Global Political Economy*, Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 373-409.

M. Duffield, (2011) *Development and Security the Unending War: Governing the World of Peoples*, Cambridge: Polity Press.

N. Adams, (1993) *World Apart: The North-South Divide and the International System*, London: Zed.

### **b. Violence: Conflict, War and Terrorism**

Essential Readings:

M. Dillon, (2009) 'What Makes The World Dangerous?' in J. Edkins And M. Zehfuss (eds.) *Global Politics: A New Introduction*, New York: Routledge, pp. 397-426.

R. Mansbach, and K. Taylor, (2012) 'Great Issues In Contemporary Global Politics', in *Introduction to Global Politics*, 2nd edition, New York: Routledge, 2012, pp. 206-247.

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R. Collin and P. Martin, 'Kinds Of Conflict: The World When Things Go Wrong', in *An Introduction To World Politics: Conflict And Consensus On A Small Planet*, London: Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, pp. 267-425.

### **III. Why We Need to Bring the World Together?**

#### **a. Global Environment**

Essential Readings:

S. Dalby, (2009) 'What Happens If We Do not Think In Human Terms?', in J. Edkins and M. Zehfuss (eds.), *Global Politics: A New Introduction*, New York: Routledge, pp. 45-69.

R. Collin and P. Martin, (2013) 'The Greening of A Blue Planet', in *An Introduction To World*

*Politics: Conflict And Consensus On A Small Planet*, Maryland: The Rowman & Littlefield Publication Group, pp. 527-570.

A. Heywood, (2011) 'Global Environmental Issues', in *Global Politics*, London: Palgrave, 2011, pp. 383-411.

N. Carter, (2007) *The Politics of Environment: Ideas, Activism, Policy*, 2nd edition, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, pp 13-81.

#### **b. Global Civil Society**

Essential Readings:

M. Zehfuss, (2009) 'What Can We Do To Change The World?', in J. Edkins and M. Zehfuss (eds.), *Global Politics: A New Introduction*, New York: Routledge, pp. 483-501.

N. Chandhoke, (2011) 'The Limits of Global Civil Society,' Available at [www.gcsknowledgebase.org/wp-content/uploads/2002chapter2.pdf](http://www.gcsknowledgebase.org/wp-content/uploads/2002chapter2.pdf), Accessed: 19.04.2013.

K. Mingst and J. Snyder (eds.), (2011) 'Transnational Issues', in *Essential Readings In World Politics*, 4th Edition, New York: W. W. Norton And Company, pp. 574-626.

M. Keck and K. Sikkink,(2007) 'Transnational Activist Networks,' in Robert J. Art and R. Jervis

(eds.) *International Politics: Enduring Concepts And Contemporary Issues*, 8th Edition, London: Pearson, pp. 532-538.

M. Naim, (2007) 'The Five Wars Of Globalization', in R. Art and R. Jervis (eds.) *International*

*Politics: Enduring Concepts And Contemporary Issues*, 8th Edition, London: Pearson, pp.

558- 566. S. Mallaby, (2007) 'NGOs: Fighting Poverty, Hurting the Poor', in R. Art and R. Jervis (eds.) *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*, 8th edition, New York: Pearson, pp. 539-545.

G. Lexter and S. Halperin (eds.), (2003) *Global Civil Society And Its Limits*, New York: Palgrave, pp. 1-21.

## **Semester: VI**

### **DSE 4A: India's Foreign Policy in a Globalizing World**

**Course objective:** This course's objective is to teach students the domestic sources and the structural constraints on the genesis, evolution and practice of India's foreign policy. The endeavour is to highlight integral linkages between the 'domestic' and the 'international' aspects of India's foreign policy by stressing on the shifts in its domestic identity and the corresponding changes at the international level. Students will be instructed on India's shifting identity as a postcolonial state to the contemporary dynamics of India attempting to carve its identity as an 'aspiring power'. India's evolving relations with the superpowers during the Cold War and after, bargaining strategy and positioning in international climate change negotiations, international economic governance, international terrorism and the United Nations facilitate an understanding of the changing positions and development of India's role as a global player since independence.

**Total Lectures and Tutorials – 84**

#### **Unit I. India's Foreign Policy: From a Postcolonial State to an Aspiring Global Power**

Basic Determinants: Geography, Economic Development, Political Traditions

Evolution of India's foreign policy: personality and structures of decision making

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### **Unit II. India's Relations with the USA and USSR/Russia**

Cold war years; Post-cold war; Changes and continuities

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### **Unit III. India's Engagements with China**

Nehruvian era; Post-Nehruvian era; Challenges in the post-cold war era: security and economic issues

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### **Unit IV India in South Asia: Debating Regional Strategies**

Bilateral: Pakistan, Bangladesh, Nepal, Bhutan, Sri Lanka

Institutional: SAARC, India and ASEAN

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### **Unit V India's Negotiating Style and Strategies**

Trade, Environment and Security Regimes: Nuclear, Climate Change, Foreign Economic Policy, WTO negotiations and India's role; India in the Contemporary Multipolar World: India role in the 21<sup>st</sup> century, India role in the UN

12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

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- Ch. Ogden, (2011) 'International 'Aspirations' of a Rising Power', in David Scott (ed.), *Handbook of India's International Relations*, London: Routledge, pp.3-31

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- H. Pant, (2008) 'The U.S.-India Entente: From Estrangement to Engagement', in H. Pant, *Contemporary Debates in Indian Foreign and Security Policy: India Negotiates Its Rise in the International System*, Palgrave Macmillan: London.
- D. Mistry, (2006) 'Diplomacy, Domestic Politics, and the U.S.-India Nuclear Agreement', in *Asian Survey*, Vol. 46 (5), pp. 675-698.
- H. Pant, (2011) 'India's Relations with China', in D. Scott (ed.), *Handbook of India's International Relations*, London: Routledge, pp. 233-242.
- A. Tellis and S. Mirski, (2013) 'Introduction', in A. Tellis and S. Mirski (eds.), *Crux of Asia: China, India, and the Emerging Global Order*, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace: Washington.
- S. Raghavan, (2013) 'Stability in Southern Asia: India's Perspective', in A. Tellis and S. Mirski (eds.), *Crux of Asia: China, India, and the Emerging Global Order*, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace: Washington.
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- D. Scott, (2009) 'India's "Extended Neighbourhood" Concept: Power Projection for a Rising Power', in *India Review*, Vol. 8 (2), pp. 107-143
- S. Cohen, (2002) 'The World View of India's Strategic Elite', in S. Cohen, *India: Emerging Power*, Brookings Institution Press, pp. 36-65.
- A. Narlikar, (2007) 'All that Glitters is not Gold: India's Rise to Power', in *Third World Quarterly*, Vol. 28 (5) pp. 983 – 996. N. Dubash, (2012) 'The Politics of Climate Change in India: Narratives of Enquiry and Cobenefits', Working Paper, New Delhi: Centre for Policy Research.

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- A. Anant, (2011) 'India and International Terrorism', in D. Scott (ed.), *Handbook of India's International Relations*, London: Routledge, pp. 266-277.
- R. Rajgopalan and V. Sahni (2008), 'India and the Great Powers: Strategic Imperatives, Normative Necessities', in *South Asian Survey*, Vol. 15 (1), pp. 5-32.
- C. Mohan, (2013) 'Changing Global Order: India's Perspective', in A. Tellis and S. Mirski (eds.), *Crux of Asia: China, India, and the Emerging Global Order*, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace: Washington.
- A. Narlikar, (2006) 'Peculiar Chauvinism or Strategic Calculation? Explaining the Negotiating Strategy of a Rising India', in *International Affairs*, Vol. 82 (1), pp. 59-76.
- P. Mehta, (2009) 'Still Under Nehru's Shadow? The Absence of Foreign Policy Frameworks in India', in *India Review*, Vol. 8 (3), pp. 209-233.

### **Online Resources:**

Government of India's Ministry of External Relations website at <http://www.mea.gov.in/> and specially its library which provides online resources at <http://mealib.nic.in/>

The Council of Foreign Relations has a regularly updated blog on India's foreign policy: <http://www.cfr.org/region/india/ri282>

Centre for Policy Research's blog on IR and strategic affairs though it is not exclusively on India's foreign policy. <http://www.cprindia.org/blog/international-relations-and-security-blog>  
 Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses: <http://www.idsa.in/>

*Research and Information System:* [www.ris.org.in/](http://www.ris.org.in/)

*Indian Council of World Affairs:* [www.icwa.in/](http://www.icwa.in/)

*Institute of Peace and Conflict Studies:* [www.ipcs.org/](http://www.ipcs.org/)

Indian Council for Research on International Economic Relations: [www.icrier.org/](http://www.icrier.org/)

**Semester: VI**  
**DSE 4B: Understanding South Asia**

**Course Objective:** The course introduces the historical legacies and geopolitics of South Asia as a region. It imparts an understanding of political regime types as well as the socioeconomic issues of the region in a comparative framework. The course also apprises students of the common challenges and the strategies deployed to deal with them by countries in South Asia.

**Total Lectures and Tutorials – 84**

**Unit-I:** Understanding South Asia as a Region

- a) Historical and Colonial Legacies
- b) Geopolitics of South Asia

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-II:** Politics and Governance

- a) Regime types: democracy, authoritarianism, monarchy
- b) Emerging Constitutional Practices: federal experiments in Pakistan, constitutional democracy in Nepal and Bhutan)

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-III:** Socio-Economic Issues- I

Identity Politics: Post-colonial nationalist and sub-nationalist movements (Case studies of Bangladesh Independence from Pakistan, Tamil nationalism in Sri Lanka, ULFA in India)

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-IV:** Socio-Economic Issues-II

Movements and conflicts over language, religion, ethnicity

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-V:** Regional Issues and Challenges

- a) Dispute over International Borders: migration, trade, smuggling
- b) Dispute over Internationally shared Rivers: Brahmaputra, Kosi, Indus
- c) SAARC: problems and perspectives

12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Essential Reading:**

- Hewitt, V. (1992) 'Introduction', in *The International Politics of South Asia*. Manchester: Manchester University Press, pp.1-10.
- Hewitt, V. (2010) 'International Politics of South Asia' in Brass, P. (ed.) *Routledge Handbook of South Asian Politics*. London: Routledge, pp.399-418.
- Muni, S.D. (2003) 'South Asia as a Region', *South Asian Journal*, 1(1), August-September, pp.1-6
- Baxter, C. (ed.) (1986) *The Government and Politics of South Asia*. London: Oxford University Press, pp.376-394.
- Baxter, C. (2010) 'Introduction', Brass, P. (ed.) *Routledge Handbook of South Asian Politics*. London: Routledge, pp.1-24
- De Silva, K.M. (2001) 'The Working of Democracy in South Asia', in Panandikar, V.A (ed.) *Problems of Governance in South Asia*. New Delhi: Centre for Policy Research & Konark Publishing House, pp. 46-88.
- Wilson, J. (2003) 'Sri Lanka: Ethnic Strife and the Politics of Space', in Coakley, J. (ed.) *The Territorial Management of Ethnic Conflict*. Oregon: Frank Cass, pp. 173-193.
- Mendis, D. (2008) 'South Asian Democracies in Transition', in Mendis, D. (ed.) *Electoral Processes and Governance in South Asia*. New Delhi: Sage, pp.15-52.
- Subramanyam, K. (2001) 'Military and Governance in South Asia', in V.A (ed.) *Problems of Governance in South Asia*. New Delhi: Centre for Policy Research & Konark Publishing House, pp.201-208.
- Habethi, K. and Gellner, D.N.(2010) 'Nepal : Trajectories of Democracy and Restructuring of the State', in Brass, P. (ed.) *Routledge Handbook of South Asian Politics*. London: Routledge, pp. 131-146.
- Kukreja, V. 2011. 'Federalism in Pakistan', in Saxena R. (ed.) *Varieties of Federal Governance*. New Delhi: Foundation Books, pp. 104-130.
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- Burki, S.J. (2010) 'Pakistan's Politics and its Economy', in Brass, P. (ed.) *Routledge Handbook of South Asian Politics*. London: Routledge, pp. 83-97.
- Kaul, N. (2008) 'Bearing Better Witness in Bhutan', *Economic and Political Weekly*, 13 September, pp. 67-69.
- Phadnis, U.(1986) 'Ethnic Conflicts in South Asian States', in Muni, S.D. et.al. (eds.) *Domestic Conflicts in South Asia : Political, Economic and Ethnic Dimensions*. Vol. 2. New Delhi: South Asian Publishers, pp.100-119.
- Kukreja, V. (2003) *Contemporary Pakistan*. New Delhi: Sage, pp. 75-111 and 112-153.
- Narayan, S. (2010) 'SAARC and South Asia Economic Integration', in Muni, S.D. (ed.) *Emerging dimensions of SAARC*. New Delhi: Foundation Books, pp. 32-50.
- Muni, S.D. and Jetley, R. (2010) 'SAARC prospects: the Changing Dimensions', in Muni, S.D. (ed.) *Emerging dimensions of SAARC*. New Delhi: Foundation Books, pp. 1-31.
- Baral, L.R. (2006) 'Responding to Terrorism: Political and Social Consequences in South Asia', in Muni, S.D. (ed.) *Responding to terrorism in South Asia*. New Delhi: Manohar, pp.301-332.
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- Hoyt, T.D. (2005) 'The War on Terrorism: Implications for South Asia', in Hagerty, D.T. (ed.) *South Asia in World Politics*. Lanham: Roman and Littlefield Publishers, pp.281-295.
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- Baxter, C. (ed.) (1986) *The Government and Politics of South Asia*. London: Oxford University Press.
- Rizvi, G. (1993) *South Asia in a Changing International Order*. New Delhi: Sage.
- Thakur, R. and Wiggin, O.(ed.) (2005) *South Asia and the world*. New Delhi: Bookwell.
- Hagerty, D.T. (ed.) (2005) *South Asia in World Politics*, Oxford: Rowman and Littlefield.
- Samaddar, R. (2002) 'Protecting the Victims of Forced Migration: Mixed Flows and Massive Flows', in Makenkemp, M. Tongern, P.V. and Van De Veen, H. (eds.) *Searching for Peace in Central and South Asia*. London:
- Lynne Reinner.\_Kukreja, V. and Singh, M.P. (eds) (2008) *Democracy, Development and Discontent in SouthAsia*. New Delhi: Sage.



## **Generic Elective Papers**

### **Semester-I**

#### **GE-1A: Nationalism in India**

**Course objective:** The purpose of this course is to help students understand the struggle of Indian people against colonialism. It seeks to achieve this understanding by looking at this struggle from different theoretical perspectives that highlight its different dimensions. The course begins with the nineteenth century Indian responses to colonial dominance in the form of reformism and its criticism and continues through various phases up to the events leading to the Partition and Independence. In the process, the course tries to highlight its various conflicts and contradictions by focusing on its different dimensions: communalism, class struggle, caste and gender questions.

**Total Lectures and Tutorials – 84**

#### **Unit-I: Approaches to the Study of Nationalism in India**

Nationalist, Imperialist, Marxist, and Subaltern Interpretations

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### **Unit-II: Reformism and Anti-Reformism in the Nineteenth Century**

Major Social and Religious Movements in 19th century

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### **Unit-III: Nationalist Politics and Expansion of its Social Base**

- a. Phases of Nationalist Movement: Liberal Constitutionalists, Swadeshi and the radicals; Beginning of Constitutionalism in India
- b. Gandhi and Mass Mobilisation: Non-Cooperation Movement, Civil Disobedience Movement, and Quit India Movement
- c. Socialist Alternatives: Congress Socialists, Communists

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### **Unit-IV: Social Movements**

- a. The Women's Question: Participation in the National Movement and its Impact
- b. The Caste Question: Anti-Brahminical Politics
- c. Peasant, Tribals and Workers Movements

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### **Unit-: Partition and Independence**

- a. Communalism in Indian Politics
- b. The Two-Nation Theory, Negotiations over Partition

12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

#### ***Reading List***

#### **I. Approaches to the Study of Nationalism in India**

Essential Readings:

- S. Bandopadhyay, (2004) *From Plassey to Partition: A History of Modern India*, New Delhi: Orient Longman, pp. 184-191.
- R. Thapar, (2000) 'Interpretations of Colonial History: Colonial, Nationalist, Post-colonial', in P. DeSouza, (ed.) *Contemporary India: Transitions*, New Delhi: Sage Publications, pp. 25-36.

## **II. Reformism and Anti-Reformism in the Nineteenth Century**

Essential Readings:

- S. Bandopadhyay, (2004) *From Plassey to Partition: A History of Modern India*, New Delhi: Orient Longman, pp.139-158, 234-276.
- A. Sen, (2007) 'The idea of Social Reform and its Critique among Hindus of Nineteenth Century India', in S. Bhattacharya, (ed.) *Development of Modern Indian Thought and the Social Sciences*, Vol. X. New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

## **III. Nationalist Politics and Expansion of its Social Base**

Essential Readings:

- S. Bandopadhyay, (2004) *From Plassey to Partition: A History of Modern India*. New Delhi: Orient Longman, pp. 279-311.
- S. Sarkar, (1983) *Modern India (1885-1947)*, New Delhi: Macmillan, P. Chatterjee, (1993) 'The Nation and its Pasts', in P. Chatterjee, *The Nation and its Fragments: Colonial and Postcolonial Histories*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 76- 115.

## **IV. Social Movements**

Essential Readings:

- S. Bandopadhyay, (2004) *From Plassey to Partition: A history of Modern India*. New Delhi: Orient Longman, pp. 342-357, 369-381.
- G. Shah, (2002) *Social Movements and the State*, New Delhi: Sage, pp. 13-31

## **V. Partition and Independence**

- A. Jalal, and S. Bose, (1997) *Modern South Asia: History, Culture, and Political Economy*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 135-156.
- A. Nandy, (2005) *Rashtravad banam Deshbhakti* Translated by A. Dubey, New Delhi: Vani Prakashan. pp. 23-33. (The original essay in English is from A. Nandy, (1994) New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 1-8.)

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## **GE-1B: Contemporary Political Economy**

**Course Objective:** Given the growing recognition worldwide of the importance of the political economy approach to the study of global order, this course has the following objectives: 1. To familiarize the students with the different theoretical approaches; 2. To give a brief overview of the history of the evolution of the modern capitalist world; 3. To highlight the important contemporary problems, issues and debates on how these should be addressed.

**Total Lectures and Tutorials – 84**

### **Unit-I: Approaches to Political Economy**

Classical Liberalism, Marxism, Welfarism, Neo-liberalism and Gandhian approach

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

### **Unit-II: Capitalist Transformation**

a. European Feudalism and Transition to Capitalism

b. Globalization: Transnational Corporations, World Trade Organization, Non-governmental Organizations (their role in development)

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

### **Unit-III: Issues in Development-I**

(i) Culture: Media and Television

(ii) Big Dams and Environmental Concerns

(iii) Military: Global Arms Industry and Arms Trade

(iv) Knowledge Systems

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

### **Unit-IV: Issues in Development-II**

(i) Development and Displacement

(ii) State, International Financial Institutions (IFIs) and Development

(iii) Interest Groups, State steered Development and Peoples' Movements

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

### **Unit-V: Globalization and Development Dilemmas**

(i) IT revolution and Debates on Sovereignty

(ii) Gender

(iii) Racial and Ethnic Problems

(iv) Migration

12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

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**Semester-II**  
**GE-2A: Feminism: Theory and Practice**

**Course Objective:** The aim of the course is to explain contemporary debates on feminism and the history of feminist struggles. The course begins with a discussion on construction of gender and an understanding of complexity of patriarchy and goes on to analyze theoretical debates within feminism. The paper also covers the history of feminism in the west, socialist societies and in anti-colonial struggles. Further a gendered analysis of Indian society, economy and polity with a view to understanding the structures of gender inequalities.

**Total Lectures and Tutorials – 84**

**Unit-I: Concepts in Feminism-** Sex/Gender distinction, Patriarchy, Gender Socialisation, Sexual Division of Labour, Private-Public Dichotomy, Biologism versus social constructivism, Feminism

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-II: Approaches to the study of Feminism**

Liberal, Socialist, Marxist, Radical feminism and Third World Approach

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-III Genesis of Feminist Movements in the West:**

Seneca Falls Convention; Black Feminist Movement, Suffragist Movement in USA, Britain and France; the French Revolution and the Declaration of the Rights of Women and Female Citizen

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-IV: Genesis of Feminist Movement in the East:**

Feminism and the Communist Revolution in China-Issues and Debates  
Movement for Women's Emancipation-Rosa Luxemburg, Alexandria Kollontai  
Feminist issues and women's participation in anti-colonial and national liberation movements in India

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-V: The Indian Experience:**

Contemporary issues in Feminism: Environment, Domestic Violence, Rape, Dowry, Sexual Harassment at Workplace, Right to Property and Customary versus Constitutional Law; Gender Relations in India: Family- Matrilineal and Patrilineal; Women and Work

12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

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**Semester-II**  
**GE-2B: Gandhi and the Cotemporary World**

**Course objective:** Locating Gandhi in a global frame, the course seeks to elaborate Gandhian thought and examine its practical implications. It will introduce students to key instances of Gandhi's continuing influence right up to the contemporary period and enable them to critically evaluate his legacy.

**Total Lectures and Tutorials – 84**

- Unit-I:** Gandhi on Modern Civilization and Ethics of Development.  
(a) Conception of Modern Civilisation and Alternative Modernity  
(b) Critique of Development: Narmada Bachao Andolan  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
- Unit-II:** Gandhi thought in Theory  
- Theories of Satyagraha and Ahimsa  
- Trusteeship  
- Critique of Caste  
- Vision of State  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
- Unit – III:** Gandhian thought in practice  
Satyagraha in Action – Kheda Satyagraha; Temple Entry Satyagraha; Dandi March; Bhoodan Movement  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
- Unit- IV:** Gandhi's Legacy  
(a) Tolerance: Anti- Racism Movements (Anti-Apartheid and Martin Luther king)  
(b) The Pacifist Movement - Disarmament Movement, Peace Brigades International 1981 (PBI); Peace & Ecology movement (Green peace Movement)  
(c) Women's Movements – Cipro Movement, Anti-liquor Movement Bodhgaya Struggle  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials
- Unit- V:** Gandhi and the idea of political  
(a) Swaraj  
(b) Swadeshi  
12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

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**Semester-III**  
**GE-3A: Understanding Ambedkar**

**Course objective:** This course is broadly intended to introduce Ambedkar's ideas and their relevance in contemporary India, by looking beyond caste. Ambedkar's philosophical contributions towards Indian economy and class question, sociological interpretations on religion, gender, caste and cultural issues; ideas on politics such as concepts of nation, state, democracy, law and constitutionalism are to be pedagogically interrogated and interpreted. This will help students to critically engage themselves with the existing social concerns, state and economic structures and other institutional mechanisms. This also will facilitate them to strengthen their creative thinking with a collective approach to understand ongoing social, political, cultural and economic phenomena of the society.

**Total Lectures and Tutorials – 84**

**Unit-I: Introducing Ambedkar**

Approach to Study Polity, History, Economy, Religion and Society

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-II: Caste and Religion**

- a. Caste, Untouchability and Critique of Hindu Social Order
- b. Religion and Conversion

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-III: Women's Question**

- a. Rise and Fall of Hindu Women
- b. Hindu Code Bill

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-IV: Political Vision and Economic Vision**

- a. Democracy and Citizenship
- b. Land and Labour

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-V: Constitutionalism**

- a. Rights and Representations
- b. Constitution as an Instrument of Social Transformation

12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

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**Semester-III**  
**GE-3B: Governance: Issues and Challenges**

**Objectives:** This paper deals with concepts and different dimensions of governance highlighting the major debates in the contemporary times. There is a need to understand the importance of the concept of governance in the context of a globalising world, environment, administration, development. The essence of governance is explored through the various good governance initiatives introduced in India.

**Total Lectures and Tutorials – 84**

**Unit-I: GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNANCE-** Meaning and Concepts, Difference between Government and Governance; Role of State in the era of Globalisation; State, Market and Civil Society

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-II: GOVERNANCE AND DEVELOPMENT-** Changing Dimensions of Development, Strengthening Democracy through Good Governance

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-III: ENVIRONMENTAL GOVERNANCE-** Human-Environment Interaction, Green Governance: Sustainable Human Development

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-IV: LOCAL GOVERNANCE-** Democratic Decentralisation, People's Participation in Governance

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-V: GOOD GOVERNANCE INITIATIVES IN INDIA: BEST PRACTICES-** Public Service Guarantee Acts, Electronic Governance, Citizens Charter & Right to Information, Corporate Social Responsibility

12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

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**Semester-IV**  
**GE-4A: Politics of Globalization**

**Course objective:** The objective of this generic elective paper is to make students from diverse background understand the process of globalization from a political perspective. This paper will create a broad understanding of the issues and processes globalization based on critical analysis of the various anchors and dimensions of globalization.

**Total Lectures and Tutorials – 84**

**Unit-I:** Concept of Globalisation: Globalisation debate; for and against, Approaches to understanding globalisation: a. Liberal approach b. Radical approach  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-II:** International Institutions/Regimes  
a. World Bank  
b. International Monetary Fund  
c. The World Trade Organisation  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-III:** Issues in Globalisation: Alternative Perspectives on its nature and character, critical dimensions: economic, political and cultural  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-IV:** Globalisation and democracy: State, sovereignty and the civil society, Globalisation and Politics in developing countries, Globalisation and social movements  
13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-V: Issues and Challenges:**  
Globalisation and the demise of Nation State,  
Globalisation and human migration  
The inevitability of globalisation: Domestic and Global responses  
12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

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4. Bernard Hoelkman and Michel Kostecki, the Political Economy of the World Trading System: From GATT to WTO, New York, OUP,

**Semester-IV**  
**GE-4B: United Nations and Global Conflicts**

**Course Objective:** This course provides a comprehensive introduction to the most important multilateral political organization in international relations. It provides a detailed account of the organizational structure and the political processes of the UN, and how it has evolved since 1945, especially in terms of dealing with the major global conflicts. The course imparts a critical understanding of the UN's performance until now and the imperatives as well as processes of reforming the organization in the context of the contemporary global system.

**Total Lectures and Tutorials – 84**

**Unit-I: The United Nations-I**

- (a) An Historical Overview of the United Nations
- (b) Principles and Objectives
- (c) Structures and Functions: General Assembly; Security Council, and Economic and Social Council; the International Court of Justice

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-II:** The specialised agencies -International Labour Organisation [ILO], United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation [UNESCO], World Health Organisation [WHO], and UN programmes and funds: United Nations Children's Fund [UNICEF], United Nations Development Programme [UNDP], United Nations Environment Programme [UNEP], United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees [UNHCR]

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-III:** Peace Keeping, Peace Making and Enforcement, Peace Building and Responsibility to Protect (e) Millennium Development Goals

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-IV: Major Global Conflicts since the Second World War**

- (a) Korean War
- (b) Vietnam War
- (c) Afghanistan Wars
- (d) Balkans: Serbia and Bosnia

13 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Unit-V: Assessment of the United Nations as an International Organisation:  
Imperatives of Reforms and the Process of Reforms**

12 Lectures and 4 Tutorials

**Essential Readings**

## **I. The United Nations (a) An Historical Overview of the United Nations**

Moore, J.A. Jr. and Pubantz, J. (2008) *The new United Nations*. Delhi: Pearson Education, pp. 39-62.

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Basu, Rumki (2014) *United Nations: Structure and Functions of an international organization*, New Delhi, Sterling Publishers

### **(b) Principles and Objectives**

Gareis, S.B. and Varwick, J. (2005) *The United Nations: An introduction*. Basingstoke: Palgrave, pp. 15-21.

### **(c) Structures and Functions: General Assembly; Security Council, and Economic and Social Council; the International Court of Justice and the specialised agencies**

**(International Labour Organisation [ILO], United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation [UNESCO], World Health Organisation [WHO], and UN**

**programmes and funds: United Nations Children's Fund [UNICEF], United Nations Development Programme [UNDP], United Nations Environment Programme [UNEP], United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees [UNHCR])**

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### **(d) Peace Keeping, Peace Making and Enforcement, Peace Building and Responsibility to Protect**

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White, B. et al. (eds.) (2005) *Issues in world politics*. 3rd edn. New York: Macmillan, pp. 113- 132.

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Moore, J.A. Jr. and Pubantz, J. (2008) *The new United Nations*. Delhi: Pearson Education, pp.264-266.

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United Nations Department of Public Information. (2008) *The United Nations Today*. New

York: UN.

## **II. Major Global Conflicts since the Second World War (a) Korean War**

Calvocoressi, P. (2001) *World Politics: 1945-200*. 3rd edn. Harlow: Pearson Education, pp. 116-124.

Armstrong, D., Lloyd, L. and Redmond, J. (2004) *International organisations in world politics*. 3rd edn. New York: Palgrave Macmillan, pp. 42-43.

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**(d) Balkans: Serbia and Bosnia** Ali, T. (ed.) (2000) *Masters of the Universe*. London: Verso, pp. 230-245 and 271-284.

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Viotti, P.R. and Kauppi, M.V. (2007) *International relations and world politics-security, economy, identity*. 3rd edn. New Delhi: Pearson Education, pp. 470-471.

Goldstein, J.S. (2003) *International relations*. 3rd edn. Delhi: Pearson Education, pp 43-51.

Moore, J.A. Jr. and Pubantz, J. (2008) *The new United Nations*. Delhi: Pearson Education, pp.24-27.

## **III. Political Assessment of the United Nations as an International Organisation: Imperatives of Reforms and the Process of Reforms**

Roberts, A. and Kingsbury, B. (eds.) (1994) *United Nations, Divided World*. 2nd edn. Oxford: Clarendon Press, pp. 420-436.

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South Asia Human Rights Documentation Centre. (2006) *Human rights: an overview*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

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## **Skill Enhancement Course (2 Credit)**

### **Semester-III**

#### **SEC-3A: Democratic Awareness with Legal Literacy**

**Course Objective:** The Proposed course aims to acquaint student with the structure and manner of functioning of the legal system in India.

**Expected Learning Outcome:** The student should be aware of the institutions that comprise the legal system - the courts, police, jails and the system of criminal justice administration. Have a brief knowledge of the Constitution and laws of India, an understanding of the formal and alternate dispute redressal (ADR) mechanisms that exist in India, public interest litigation. Have some working knowledge of how to affirm one's rights and be aware of one's duties within the legal framework; and the opportunities and challenges posed by the legal system for different sections of persons.

#### **Course Content:**

##### **Unit-I: Legal System In India**

- Outline of the Legal system in India
- System of courts/tribunals and their jurisdiction in India - criminal and civil courts, writ jurisdiction, specialized courts such as juvenile courts, Mahila courts and tribunals.
- Role of the police and executive in criminal law administration.
- Alternate dispute mechanisms such as lok adalats, non - formal mechanisms.

##### **Unit-II: Laws in India-I: Introduction and Constitution**

- Brief understanding of the laws applicable in India
- Constitution - fundamental rights, fundamental duties, other constitutional rights and their manner of enforcement, with emphasis on public interest litigation and the expansion of certain rights under Article 21 of the Constitution.

##### **Unit-III: Laws in India-II: Laws relating to criminal jurisdiction**

- provision relating to filing an FIR, arrest, bail search and seizure and some understanding of the questions of evidence and procedure in Cr. P.C. and related laws, important offences under the Indian Penal Code, offences against women, juvenile justice, prevention of atrocities on Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes.
- Concepts like Burden of Proof, Presumption of Innocence, Principles of Natural Justice, Fair comment under Contempt laws

#### **Unit-IV: Laws in India-III: Laws relating to Gender, Consumer Protection, Cyber Crimes, Anti-Terrorist Laws, Personal Laws, Laws under Practice.**

- Personal laws in India: Pluralism and Democracy
- Laws relating to contract, property and tenancy laws.
- Laws relating to dowry, sexual harassment and violence against women
- Laws relating to consumer rights
- Laws relating to cyber crimes
- Anti-terrorist laws: implications for security and human rights
- Practical application: Visit to either a (i) court or (ii) a legal aid centre set up by the Legal Services Authority or an NGO or (iii) a Lok Adalat, and to interview a litigant or person being counselled. Preparation of a case history.

#### **Unit-V: Access to courts and enforcement of rights**

- Critical Understanding of the Functioning of the Legal System
- Legal Services Authorities Act and right to legal aid, ADR systems

**Practical application :** What to do if you are arrested ; if you are a consumer with a grievance; if you are a victim of sexual harassment; domestic violence, child abuse, caste, ethnic and religious discrimination; filing a public interest litigation. How can you challenge administrative orders that violate rights, judicial and administrative remedies

- Using a hypothetical case of (for example) child abuse or sexual harassment or any other violation of a right, preparation of an FIR or writing a complaint addressed to the appropriate authority.

#### **• Suggested exercises for students**

1. Discuss the debates around any recent Ordinance, Bill or Act in Parliament.
2. How to file an FIR? In case there has been a theft in the neighbourhood how would you file the first Hand Information Report?
3. Under what circumstances can detention and arrest become illegal?
4. Discuss any contemporary practice or event that violates the equality and protection against discrimination laws.
5. Read Ordinance XV -D of University of Delhi and make a list of the kinds of conduct that would qualify as sexual harassment.
6. Your friend has shared with you an incident of unwelcome verbal remarks on her by a person of higher authority in your college, what would you do?
- 7 You have seen a lady in your neighbourhood being beaten up by her husband. Identify the concerned Protection Officer in case you want to provide information about this incident.

8. Read the Vishakha Guidelines as laid down by the Supreme Court and the Act against sexual harassment at the workplace. Discuss what constitutes sexual harassment and the mechanisms available for its redressal in your institution.

9 What is the procedure to file an RTI?

10. You bought a product from a nearby shop which was expired, the shop keeper refused to return it. Use your knowledge of Consumer Protection Act to decide what you do next?

11. What must you keep in mind as a consumer while making a purchase that may later help you make use of Consumer Protection Act? (Hint- Should you ask for a Bill?)

12. In your surroundings have you witnessed any incident that would be considered offensive under the SC and ST Act? Make a class- room presentation on it.

### Essential Reading

*Creating Legal Awareness*, edited by Kamala Sankaran and Ujjwal Singh (Delhi: OUP, 2007)  
Legal literacy: available amongst interdisciplinary courses on Institute of Life Long Learning (Delhi University) Virtual Learning Portal namely vle.du.ac.in

### Reading list for course on Legal Literacy

- Multiple Action Research Group, *Our Laws Vols 1-10*, Delhi. Available in Hindi also. Indian Social Institute, New Delhi, *Legal Literacy Series Booklets*. Available in Hindi also.
- S.K. Agarwala, *Public Interest Litigation in India*, K.M. Munshi Memorial Lecture, Second Series, Indian Law Institute, Delhi, 1985.
- S.P. Sathe, *Towards Gender Justice*, Research Centre for Womens' Studies, SNDT Women's University, Bombay, 1993  
Asha Bajpai, *Child Rights in India : Law, Policy, and Practice*, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 2003  
Agnes, Flavia *Law and Gender Equality*, OUP, 1997.  
Sagade, Jaga, *Law of Maintenance: An Empirical Study*, ILS Law College, Pune 1996.
- B.L. Wadhera, *Public Interest Litigation - A Handbook*, Universal, Delhi, 2003.
- Nomita Aggarwal, *Women and Law in India*, New Century, Delhi, 2002.
- P.C. Rao and William Sheffiled *Alternate Dispute Resolution: What it is and How it Works*, Universal Law Books and Publishers, Delhi, 2002
- V.N. Shukla's *Constitution of India* by Mahendra P. Singh, Eastern Book Co. 10th edition 2001.
- Parmanand Singh, 'Access to Justice and the Indian Supreme Court', 10 & 11 Delhi Law Review 156, 1981-82.
- J. Kothari, (2005) 'Criminal Law on Domestic Violence', *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol. 40(46), pp. 4843-4849.
- H. Mander, and A. Joshi, *The Movement for Right to Information in India, People's Power for the Control of Corruption*. Available at <http://www.rti.gateway.org.in/Documents/References/English/Reports/12.%20An%20article%20on%20RTI%20by%20Harsh%20Mander.pdf>.
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- M, Mohanty et al. (2011) *Weapon of the Oppressed, Inventory of People's Rights in India*. Delhi: Danish Books.\
- Centre for Good Governance, (2008) *Right to Information Act, 2005: A Citizen's Guide*, Available at <http://www.rtgateway.org.in/Documents/Publications/A%20CITIZEN'S%20GUIDE.pdf>
- A. Pandey, (2004) *Rights of the Consumer*. New Delhi: Indian Social Institute.
- Andrew, (1996) 'Arbitrary Government and the Rule of Law', in *Arguing About the Law, An Introduction to Legal Philosophy*, Wordsworth, Boston., pp.3-19.
- SAHRDC, (2006) 'Criminal Procedure and Human Rights in India' in *Oxford Handbook of Human Rights and Criminal Justice in India- The system and Procedure*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp.5-15.
- K. Sankaran and U. Singh, (2008) 'Introduction', in *Towards Legal Literacy*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. xi – xv.
- Pandey, (2008) 'Laws Relating to Criminal Justice: Challenges and Prospects', in K. Sankaran and U. Singh, *Towards Legal Literacy*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp.61-77.
- SAHRDC, (2006) 'Reporting a Crime: First Information Report', in *Oxford Handbook of Human Rights and Criminal Justice in India- The system and Procedure*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp.16-26.
- SAHRDC, (2006) 'Bail', in *Oxford Handbook of Human Rights and Criminal Justice in India- The system and Procedure*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp.59-71.
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- P. Mathew, (2003) *Your Rights if you are Arrested*, New Delhi. Indian Social Institute.
- Gender Study Group, (1996) *Sexual Harassment in Delhi University, A Report*, Delhi: University of Delhi.
- P. Mathew, (2002) *The Law on Atrocities Against Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes*, New Delhi: Indian Social Institute.
- K. Saxena, (2011) 'Dalits', in M. Mohanty et al., *Weapon of the Oppressed, Inventory of People's Rights in India*. Delhi: Danish Books, Pp.15-38
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## **Semester-III**

### **SEC-3B: Public Opinion and Survey Research**

**Course Objective:** This course will introduce the students to the debates, principles and practices of public opinion polling in the context of democracies, with special reference to India. It will familiarise the students with how to conceptualize and measure public opinion using quantitative methods, with particular attention being paid to developing basic skills pertaining to the collection, analysis and utilisation of quantitative data.

#### **Unit-I: Introduction to the course**

Definition and characteristics of public opinion, conceptions and characteristics, debates about its role in a democratic political system, uses for opinion poll

#### **Unit-II: Measuring Public Opinion with Surveys: Representation and sampling**

- a. What is sampling? Why do we need to sample? Sample design.
- b. Sampling error and non-response
- c. Types of sampling: Non random sampling (quota, purposive and snowball sampling); random sampling: simple and stratified

#### **Unit-III: Survey Research**

- a. Interviewing: Interview techniques pitfalls, different types of and forms of interview
- b. Questionnaire: Question wording; fairness and clarity.

#### **Unit-IV: Quantitative Data Analysis**

- a. Introduction to quantitative data analysis
- b. Basic concepts: correlational research, causation and prediction, descriptive and inferential Statistics

#### **Unit-V: Interpreting polls**

Prediction in polling research: possibilities and pitfalls  
Politics of interpreting polling

#### **READING LIST**

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### **Suggested Student Exercises:**

1. Discussion of readings and Indian examples.
2. Groups of students to collect examples of and discuss various sample based studies across many fields: e.g. consumer behaviour, unemployment rates, educational standards, elections, medicinal trials etc.
3. Non-random sampling: The students have to identify one group of people or behaviour that is unique or rare and for which snowball sampling might be needed. They have to identify how they might make the initial contact with this group to start snowball rolling.
4. Give the students the electoral list of an area in Delhi (<http://ceodelhi.gov.in>). The students have to draw a random sample of n number of respondents.
5. For this activity, working with a partner will be helpful. The class should first decide on a topic of interest. Then each pair should construct a five-item self report questionnaire. Of the five items, there should be at least one nominal response, one ordinal response and one interval. After the common questionnaire is constructed putting together the questions from everyone, working in pairs, the questionnaire should be administered on 10 different individuals.
6. Give the students a questionnaire from any public opinion survey and ask them to identify the type of variables.

## **Semester-IV**

### **SEC-4A: Legislative Practices and Procedures**

**Course objective:** To acquaint the student broadly with the legislative process in India at various levels, introduce them to the requirements of peoples' representatives and provide elementary skills to be part of a legislative support team and expose them to real life legislative work. These will be, to understand complex policy issues, draft new legislation, track and analyse ongoing bills, make speeches and floor statements, write articles and press releases, attend legislative meetings, conduct meetings with various stakeholders, monitor media and public developments, manage constituent relations and handle interoffice communications. It will also deepen their understanding and appreciation of the political process and indicate the possibilities of making it work for democracy.

#### **Course outline:**

***Unit-I: Powers and functions of people's representatives at different tiers of governance***

Members of Parliament, State Legislative Assemblies, functionaries of rural and urban local self government from Zila Parishads/Municipal Corporation to Panchayat/Ward.

***Unit-II: Supporting the legislative process:*** How a Bill becomes a Law, Role of the Standing Committee in reviewing a Bill, Legislative Consultations, amendments to a Bill, the framing of Rules and Regulations.

***Unit-III: Supporting the legislative committees***

Types of committees, Role of committees in reviewing government finances, policy, programmes, and legislation.

***Unit-IV: Reading the budget document:***

Overview of Budget Process, Role of Parliament in reviewing the Union Budget, Railway Budget, Examination of Demands for Grants of Ministries, Working of Ministries

***Unit-V: Support in media monitoring and communication:***

Types of media and their significance for legislators. Basics of communication in print and electronic media.

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## **Semester-IV**

### **SEC-4B: Peace and Conflict Resolution**

**Course Objective:** The objective of an undergraduate application course for common students in Peace and Conflict Studies will cover in-depth knowledge of conflict analysis, conflict resolution, conflict prevention, as well as the historical and cultural context of organized violence. Peace and Conflict Resolution addresses the sources of war, social oppression and violence and the challenges of promoting peace and justice internationally and domestically. It also introduces more equitable, cooperative and nonviolent methods that can be used to transform unjust, violent or oppressive world situations. This course provides students with an overview of the Peace and Conflict Studies discipline, including key concepts and related theories. The course is designed to familiarize students with the historical background of various peace movements, to analyze principles used to resolve conflict, and to provide a view of how peace and conflict resolution are being pursued today. The course will also cover extensive understanding of current research and development within the field of peace and conflict studies and perspective of the environment, gender, migration, and ethnicity.

**Unit-1:** International Peace and Conflict Resolution: What is Conflict; Conflict resolution: Background of Various Peace Movements and Concepts, Principles used to resolve conflict; Sources of War: International and Domestic Issues and Trends

**Unit-II:** International Conflict Resolution Theory: Models developed by Johan Galtung, Joseph Montville, Morton Deutsch, William Zartman, Levy Jack

**Unit-III:** Cross-border relationships between the world's peaceful and war-torn zones (migration and information flows, economic transactions, international rules and regulations, normative concepts and political decisions)

**Unit-IV:** Conflict Transformation: is Peace Possible? Resolve problems through conflict  
Analyses and instrumentation of peace concepts

**Unit-V:** Current perspective of peace and conflict resolution: Grass-roots level perspective on war and Peace

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