

**COURSE STRUCTURE UNDER CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS)
FOR
SEM- I, SEM-II, SEM-III, SEM- IV, SEM- V, SEM- VI
IN
POLITICAL SCIENCE (HONOURS)**

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**DETAILS SEMESTERWISE COURSE STRUCTURE****TOTAL MARKS =1300****SEMESTER - 6****CREDITS =142**

COURSES	SEM I	SEM II	SEM III	SEM IV	SEM V	SEM VI	TOTAL
CORE COURSES	12	12	18	18	12	12	84
DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE	-	-	-	-	12	12	24
GENERIC ELECTIVE / INTERDISCIPLINARY COURSE	6	6	6	6	-	-	24
ABILITY ENHANCEMENT COMPULSORY COURSE (AECC)	4	2	-	-	-	-	6
SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSES (SEC)	-	-	2	2	-	-	4
TOTAL	22	20	26	26	24	24	142

**SCHEMES OF COURSES****SEMESTER – I**

Course Code	Course Title	Credit	Marks			No. of Hours		
			I.A.	ESE	Total	Lec.	Tu.	Pr.
AHPLS-101/C-1	Understanding Political Theory	6	10	40	50	05	01	-
AHPLS-102/C-2	Constitutional Government & Democracy in India	6	10	40	50	05	01	-
AHPLS 103/GE-1 (To be opted by students from other departments)	Fundamentals of Political Theory	6	10	40	50	05	01	-
ACSHP/104/AECC-1	Environmental Studies	4	10	40	50	04	-	
Total in Semester – I		22	40	160	200	19	03	

**SEMESTER –II**

Course Code	Course Title	Credit	Marks			No. of Hours		
			I.A.	ESE	Total	Lec.	Tu.	Pr.
AHPLS-201/C-3	Political Theory: Concepts & Debates	6	10	40	50	05	01	
AHPLS-202/C-4	Political Process in India	6	10	40	50	05	01	
AHPLS 203/GE-2 (To be opted by students from other departments)	Major Aspects of the Indian Constitution	6	10	40	50	05	01	
ACSHP/204/AECC-2	English/Hindi /MIL	2	10	40	50	02	-	
Total in Semester – II		20	40	160	200	17	03	

**SEMESTER – III**

Course Code	Course Title	Credit	Marks			No. of Hours		
			I.A.	ESE	Total	Lec.	Tu.	Pr.
AHPLS-301/C-5	Western Political Thought: Ancient & Medieval	6	10	40	50	05	01	
AHPLS-302/C-6	Indian Political Tradition - I	6	10	40	50	05	01	
AHPLS-303/C-7	International Relations: Theories & Basic Concepts	6	10	40	50	05	01	
AHPLS-304/GE-3 (To be opted by students from other departments)	An Introduction to Comparative Government and Politics	6	10	40	50	05	01	
AHPLS-305/SEC-1	Legislative Practices & Procedures	2	10	40	50	02	-	
Total in Semester – III		26	50	200	250	22	04	

**SEMESTER – IV**

Course Code	Course Title	Credit	Marks			No. of Hours		
			I.A.	ESE	Total	Lec.	Tu.	Pr.
AHPLS-401/C-8	Western Political Thought: Modern	6	10	40	50	05	01	
AHPLS-402/C-9	Indian Political Tradition –II	6	10	40	50	05	01	
AHPLS-403/C-10	Introduction to Comparative Government & Politics	6	10	40	50	05	01	
AHPLS-404/GE-4 (To be opted by students from other departments)	International Relations: Basic Concepts	6	10	40	50	05	01	
AHPLS-405/SEC-2	Democratic Awareness with Legal Literacy	2	10	40	50	02	-	
Total in Semester – IV		26	50	200	250	22	04	

**SEMESTER – V**

Course Code	Course Title	Credit	Marks			No. of Hours		
			I.A.	ESE	Total	Lec.	Tu.	Pr.
AHPLS-501/C-11	Public Administration	6	10	40	50	05	01	
AHPLS-502/C-12	Emergent Issues in Post-Cold War Global Politics	6	10	40	50	05	01	
AHPLS-503/DSE-1	Human Rights in a Comparative Perspective OR, Citizenship in a Globalizing World	6	10	40	50	05	01	
AHPLS-504/DSE-2	Understanding South Asia OR, Social Movements in Contemporary India: Major Issues	6	10	40	50	05	01	
Total in Semester – V		24	40	160	200	20	04	

**SEMESTER – VI**

Course Code	Course Title	Credit	Marks			No. of Hours		
			I.A.	ESE	Total	Lec.	Tu.	Pr.
AHPLS-601/C-13	Public Policy & Administration in India	6	10	40	50	05	01	
AHPLS-602/C-14	Political Processes & Institutions in Comparative Perspectives	6	10	40	50	05	01	
AHPLS-603/DSE-3	India's Foreign Policy in a Globalizing World Or, Women, Power & Politics	6	10	40	50	05	01	
AHPLS-604/DSE-4	Political Sociology Or, Dilemmas in Politics	6	10	40	50	05	01	
Total in Semester – VI		24	40	160	200	20	04	

AH=Arts Honours, PLS = POLITICAL SCIENCE, ACSHP= Arts Commerce Science Honours Pass, C= Core Course, AECC= Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course, SEC= Skill Enhancement Course, GE= Generic Elective, DSE= Discipline Specific Elective IA= Internal Assessment, ESE= End-Semester Examination, Lec. = Lecture, Tu. = Tutorial, and Prc. = Practical



SEMESTER- I

Course Title (Core Course): Understanding Political Theory

Course Code: AHPLS- 101/C-1

Credit: 06

Contact Hours/week: 06

Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)

Examination Duration: 2 Hours

Course Objective: This course is divided into two units. Unit I introduces the students to the idea of political theory, its history and approaches, and an assessment of its critical and contemporary trends. Unit II is designed to reconcile political theory and practice through reflections on the ideas and practices related to democracy.

Unit- I: Introducing Political Theory

- a. Political Theory: Meaning and Importance. Decline and Resurgence of Political Theory.
- b. Approaches: Normative, Behavioural and Post-behavioural.
- c. Critical and Contemporary perspectives in political theory: Feminist and Postmodern.

Unit- II: Political Theory and Practice

The Grammar of Democracy

- a. Democracy: The history of an idea.
- b. Procedural democracy and Substantive democracy.
- c. Deliberative democracy.
- d. Participatory Democracy and Representative Democracy.

Essential Readings:

Bhargava, R. (2008) 'What is Political Theory', in Bhargava, R and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 2-16.

Bellamy, R. (1993) 'Introduction: The Demise and Rise of Political Theory', in Bellamy, R.



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- Chapman, J. (1995) 'The Feminist Perspective', in Marsh, D. and Stoker, G. (eds.) *Theory and Methods in Political Science*. London: Macmillan, pp. 94-114.
- Bhargava, R. 'Why Do We Need Political Theory', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 17-36.
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- Srinivasan, J. (2008) 'Democracy', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 106-128.
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- Roy, A. 'Citizenship', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 130-146.
- Brighouse, H. (2008) 'Citizenship', in Mckinnon, C. (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*, New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 241-258.

**SEMESTER- I****Course Title (Core Course): Constitutional Government and Democracy in India****Course Code: AHPLS- 102/C-2****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

Course objective: This course acquaints students with the constitutional design of state structures and institutions, and their actual working overtime. The Indian Constitution 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.

Unit- I: Philosophy of the Indian Constitution:

- a. Social and Political Ideas Behind Indian Constitution: Constituent Assembly Debates.
- b. Features of the Constitution, the Preamble.

Unit- II: The Fundamentals of Indian Constitution

- a. Fundamental Rights.
- b. Directive Principles of State Policy.
- c. Fundamental Duties.

Unit- III: Organs of Government

- a. The Legislature: Union (Parliament) and State (Vidhan Sabha and Vidhan Parishad).
- b. The Executive: Union (President, Vice-President and Prime Minister) and State (Governor and Chief Minister).
- c. The Judiciary: Supreme Court and the High Court.

**Unit- IV: Federalism and Decentralisation**

- a. Federalism: Division of Powers, Emergency Provisions, Changing Dynamics of Centre-State Relations.
- b. Local Self-Government institutions in India: Urban Administration in West Bengal (Municipalities and Municipal Corporations) and Rural Administration in West Bengal (Panchayati Raj Systems).

Essential Readings:

- 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.
- D. Basu, (2012) *Introduction to the Constitution of India*, New Delhi: Lexis Nexis.
- S. Chaube, (2009) *The Making and Working of the Indian Constitution*, Delhi: National Book Trust.
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SEMESTER- I

Course Title (Generic Elective): Fundamentals of Political Theory

AHPLS-103/GE-1

(To be opted by students from other departments)

Credit: 06

Contact Hours/week: 06

Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)

Examination Duration: 2 Hours

Course Objective: This course aims to introduce certain key aspects of conceptual analysis in political theory and the skills required to engage in debates surrounding the application of the concepts.

1. a. What is Politics?
b. What is Political Theory and what is its relevance?
2. Concepts: Democracy, Liberty, Equality, Justice and Rights.
3. Debates in Political Theory:
 - a. On what grounds is censorship justified and what are its limits?
 - b. Should the State intervene in the institution of the family?

Essential Readings:

Bhargava, R. (2008) 'What is Political Theory', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 2-17.

Bhargava, R. (2008) 'Why Do We Need Political Theory', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 18-37.

Sriranjani, V. (2008) 'Liberty', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An*



Introduction. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 40-57.

Acharya, A. (2008) 'Equality', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 58-73.

Menon, K. (2008) 'Justice', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 74-82.

Talukdar, P.S. (2008) 'Rights', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 88-105.

Srinivasan, J. (2008) 'Democracy', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 106-128.

Roy, A. 'Citizenship', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 130-147.

Das, S. (2008) 'State', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 170-187.

Singh, M. (2008) 'Civil Society', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 188-205.

Menon, N. (2008) 'Gender', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 224-235.

Shorten, A. (2008) 'Nation and State', in McKinnon, C. (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*, New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 33-55.

Christiano, Thomas. (2008) 'Democracy', in McKinnon, C. (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*, New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 80-96.

Riley, J. (2008) 'Liberty', in McKinnon, C. (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*, New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 103-125.

Casal, P. & William, A. (2008) 'Equality', in McKinnon, C. (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 149- 165.

Wolf, J. (2008) 'Social Justice', in McKinnon, C. (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 172-193.



Brighouse, H. (2008) 'Citizenship', in McKinnon, C. (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 241-259.

Chambers, C. (2008) 'Gender', in McKinnon, C. (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 241-288.

Swift, A. (2001) *Political Philosophy: A Beginners Guide for Students and Politicians*. Cambridge: Polity Press.

Sen, A. (2003) 'Freedom Favours Development,' in Dahl, R., Shapiro, I. and Cheibub, A. J. (eds.) *The Democracy Sourcebook*. Cambridge, Massachusetts: MIT Press, pp. 444-446.

Prezowrski, A., et al. (2003) 'Political Regimes and Economic Growth,' in Dahl, R., Shapiro, I. and Cheibub, A. J. (eds.) *The Democracy Sourcebook*. Cambridge, Massachusetts: MIT Press, pp. 447-454.

Sethi, A. (2008) 'Freedom of Speech and the Question of Censorship', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 308-319.

Acharya, A. (2008) 'Affirmative Action', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 298-307.

Frances E O. (1985) 'The Myth of State Intervention in the Family', *University of Michigan Journal of Law Reform*. 18 (4), pp. 835-64.

Jha, M. (2001) 'Ramabai: Gender and Caste', in Singh, M.P. and Roy, H. (eds.) *Indian Political Thought: Themes and Thinkers*, New Delhi: Pearson.

**SEMESTER- II****Course Title (Core Course): Political Theory--- Concepts and Debates****Course Code: AHPLS- 201/C-3****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

Course Objective: This course is divided into two sections. Section A 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. Section B 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.

Section A:**Unit- I: Concept of Freedom**

a. Negative Freedom and Positive Freedom.

Important issue: Freedom of belief, expression and dissent

Unit- II: Importance of Equality

a. Formal Equality and Equality of Opportunity.

b. Egalitarianism: Background Inequalities and Differential Treatments.

Important Issue: Affirmative Action

Unit- III: Indispensability of Justice

a. Procedural Justice.

b. Distributive Justice.



Important Issue: Capital Punishment

Unit- IV: The Universality of Rights

- a. Natural Rights: Social Contract Theory.
- b. Rights and Political Obligation: T. H. Green
- c. Three Generations of Rights.

Important Issue: Right of the Girl Child

Section B:

Unit- V: Major Debates

- a. Why Should We Obey the State? Issues of Political Obligation and Civil Disobedience.
- b. Should Offensive Speech be Regulated?
- c. Can Military Intervention in Other Countries be Justified on Humanitarian Grounds?

Essential Readings:

Riley, Jonathan. (2008) 'Liberty' in Mckinnon, Catriona (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*, New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 103-119.

Knowles, Dudley. (2001) *Political Philosophy*. London: Routledge, pp. 69- 132.

Swift, Adam. (2001) *Political Philosophy: A Beginners Guide for Student's and Politicians*. Cambridge: Polity Press, pp. 51-88.

Carter, Ian. (2003) 'Liberty', in Bellamy, Richard and Mason, Andrew (eds.). *Political Concepts*. Manchester: Manchester University Press, pp. 4-15.

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Casal, Paula & William, Andrew. (2008) 'Equality', in McKinnon, Catriona. (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 149- 165.



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- Menon, Krishna. (2008) 'Justice', in Bhargava, Rajeev and Acharya, Ashok. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 74-86.
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- Bedau, Hugo Adam. (2003) 'Capital Punishment', in LaFollette, Hugh (ed.). *The Oxford Handbook of Practical Ethics*. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 705-733.
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- Menlowe, M.A. (1993) 'Political Obligations', in Bellamy Richard.(ed.) *Theories and Concepts of Politics*. New York: Manchester University Press, pp. 174-194.
- Amoah, Jewel. (2007) 'The World on Her Shoulders: The Rights of the Girl-Child in the Context of Culture & Identity', in *Essex Human Rights Review*, 4(2), pp. 1-23.
- 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.txt](http://www.crin.org/docs/Girl's%20infanticide%20CSW%202007.txt)
- Hyums, Keith. (2008) 'Political Authority and Obligation', in Mckinnon, Catriona. (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*, New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 9-26
- Martin, Rex. (2003) 'Political Obligation', in Bellamy, Richard and Mason, Andrew. (eds.) *Political Concepts*, Manchester: Manchester University Press, pp. 41-51.
- Campbell, Tom. (2008) 'Human Rights' in Mckinnon, Catriona. (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 194-210.
- Mookherjee, Monica, 'Multiculturalism', in Mckinnon, Catriona. (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 218- 234.

**SEMESTER- II****Course Title (Core Course): Political Process in India****Course Code: AHPLS- 202/C-4****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

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.

Unit- I: The Changing Nature of the Indian State

- a. Developmental.
- b. Welfare.

Unit- II: Political Parties and the Party System

- a. Trends in the Party System; From the Congress System to Multi-Party Coalitions.
- b. Determinants of Voting Behaviour: Caste and Religion.

Unit- III: Regional Aspirations

- a. The Politics of Secession and Accommodation: Gorkhaland and Telengana.

Unit- IV: Religion and Politics

- a. Debates on Secularism; Communalism.

**Unit- V: Caste and Politics**

a. Rise of Dalits and OBCs in Indian Politics; Politics of Reservations.

Essential Readings:

R. Kothari, (2002) 'The Congress System', in Z. Hasan (ed.) *Parties and Party Politics in India*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp 39-55.

E. Sridharan, (2012) 'Introduction: Theorizing Democratic Consolidation, Parties and Coalitions', in *Coalition Politics and Democratic Consolidation in Asia*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

Y. Yadav and S. Palshikar, (2006) 'Party System and Electoral Politics in the Indian States, 1952-2002: From Hegemony to Convergence', in P. deSouza and E. Sridharan (eds.) *India's Political Parties*, New Delhi: Sage Publications, pp. 73-115.

Y. Yadav, (2000) 'Understanding the Second Democratic Upsurge', in F. Frankel, Z. Hasan, and R. Bhargava (eds.) *Transforming India: Social and Political Dynamics in Democracy*, New

Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 120-145.

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R. Deshpande, (2004) 'How Gendered was Women's Participation in Elections 2004?', *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol. 39, No. 51, pp. 5431-5436.

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M. Chadda, (2010) 'Integration through Internal Reorganisation', in S. Baruah (ed.). *Ethnonationalism in India: A Reader*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 379-402.

P. Brass, (1999) 'Crisis of National Unity: Punjab, the Northeast and Kashmir', in *The Politics of India Since Independence*, New Delhi: Cambridge University Press and Foundation Books, pp.192-227.

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N. Menon and A. Nigam, (2007) 'Politics of Hindutva and the Minorities', in *Power and Contestation: India since 1989*, London: Fernwood Publishing, Halifax and Zed Books, p.36-60.



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- M. Weiner, (2001) 'The Struggle for Equality: Caste in Indian Politics', in Atul Kohli (ed.) *The Success of India's Democracy*, New Delhi: Cambridge University Press, pp. 193-225.
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- M. Galanter, (2002) 'The Long Half-Life of Reservations', in Z. Hasan, E. Sridharan and R. Sudarshan (eds.) *India's Living Constitution: Ideas, Practices, Controversies*, New Delhi: Permanent Black, pp. 306-318.
- C. Jaffrelot, (2005) 'The Politics of the OBCs', in *Seminar*, Issue 549, pp. 41-45.
- M. John, (2011) 'The Politics of Quotas and the Women's Reservation Bill in India', in M. Tsujimura and J. Steele (eds.) *Gender Equality in Asia*, Japan: Tohoku University Press, pp. 169-195.
- S. Palshikar, (2008) 'The Indian State: Constitution and Beyond', in R. Bhargava (ed.) *Politics and Ethics of the Indian Constitution*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 143-163.
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**SEMESTER- II****Course Title (Generic Elective): Major Aspects of the Indian Constitution****AHPLS-203/GE-2****(To be opted by students from other departments)****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

Course Objective: This course will try to give an outline to the students with the Constitutional arrangements and processes in India. It focuses on some of the fundamental institutional arrangements that guide the state policy and protect people's rights. Emphasis will be given on the origin and development of such mechanisms in India.

Unit- I: The Constituent Assembly and the Constitution

- a. Composition and Role of the Constituent Assembly.
- b. Features of the Constitution, the Preamble.

Unit- II: The Fundamentals of Indian Constitution

- a. Fundamental Rights.
- b. Directive Principles of State Policy.
- c. Fundamental Duties.

Unit- III: Organs of Government

- a. The Legislature: Union (Parliament) and State (Vidhan Sabha and Vidhan Parishad).
- b. The Executive: Union (President, Vice-President, Prime Minister and Council of Ministers) and State (Governor, Chief Minister and Council of Ministers).
- c. The Judiciary: Supreme Court and the High Court.

Unit- IV: Federalism and Decentralisation

- a. Federalism: Division of Powers, Emergency Provisions, Changing Dynamics of Centre-State Relations.
- b. Local Self-Government institutions in India: Urban Administration in West Bengal (Municipalities and Municipal Corporations) and Rural Administration in West Bengal (Panchayati Raj Systems).



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- D.D. Basu, *An Introduction to the Constitution of India*. (New Delhi, Prentice Hall)
- P. Bakshi, *Constitution of India*. (New Delhi, Prentice Hall)
- P.R. Brass, *The Politics of India Since Independence*. (Delhi, Foundation Books)
- R.L. Hardgrave & L.S. Kochanek, *India: Government and politics in a Developing Nation*. (New York, USA, Harcourt Brace and World)
- M.V. Pylee, *Introduction to the Constitution of India*. (New Delhi, Vikash)
- S.C. Kashyap (ed.), *Perspectives on the Constitution*. (Delhi, Shipra Publications)
- J.C. Johari, *Indian Government and Politics (2 vols.)*. (Delhi , Vishal Pub.)
- Dr. Hiregowdader B.C. and Maheshwarappa G. *Indian Constitution: An Introduction*. Orient Blackswan.
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SEMESTER- III

Course Title (Core Course): Western Political Thought--- Ancient and Medieval

Course Code: AHPLS- 301/C-5

Credit: 06

Contact Hours/week: 06

Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)

Examination Duration: 2 Hours

Objectives: The syllabus is designed to understand political philosophical traditions as they evolved in Europe from ancient to the medieval era. Contributions of the Greeks, Romans and Medieval Philosophers are to be examined through this course.

Unit- I: Greek Political Thought

- a. Features of Greek Political Thought: Ideas and Institutions
- b. Plato: Justice, Communism, Philosopher King, Notion of Ideal State.
- c. Aristotle: State, Slavery, Citizenship.

Unit-II: Roman Political Thought

- a. General Features with Special Reference to Citizenship and Law.

Unit-III: Medieval Political Thought

- a. Main Features.
- b. Saint Augustine.
- c. St. Thomas Aquinas.
- d. Marsilio of Padua.

Essential Readings:

J.P. Sudha, A History of Political Theory, K. Nath & Co. (latest edition).



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Shefali Jha, Western Political Thought, Pearson, 2010.

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C. C. Maxey, Political Philosophies, Macmillan.

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**SEMESTER- III****Course Title (Core Course): Indian Political Tradition- I****Course Code: AHPLS- 302/C-6****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

Course objective: This course is designed to provide an understanding of the Ancient, Medieval and Liberal-Reformist Indian political thought. The basic focus of study in this course 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.

Unit- I: Ancient and Medieval Political Thought:

- a. Ancient Indian Political Thought: Nature and Features.
- b. Kautilya: Diplomacy, Dandaneeeti, Saptanga (Statecraft).
- c. Medieval Political Thought: Basic Tenets.

Unit- II: Liberal-Reformists Trends in Nationalist Thought:

- a. Rammohan Roy: Elements of Liberalism and Social Justice.
- b. Bankim Chandra: Nationalism.
- c. Rabindranath Tagore: Nation, Nationalism and Internationalism.
- d. Vivekananda: Society and State.
- e. Aurobindo: Passive Resistance.

Essential Readings:



- B. Parekh, (1986) 'Some Reflections on the Hindu Tradition of Political Thought', in T. Pantham, and K. Deutsch (eds.), *Political Thought in Modern India*, New Delhi: Sage Publications, pp. 17- 31.
- A. Altekar, (1958) 'The Kingship', in *State and Government in Ancient India*, 3rd edition, Delhi: Motilal Banarsidass, pp. 75-108.
- M. Shakir, (1986) 'Dynamics of Muslim Political Thought', in T. Pantham, and K. Deutsch (eds.), *Political Thought in Modern India*, New Delhi: Sage Publications, pp. 142- 160
- G. Pandey, (1978) *Sraman Tradition: Its History and Contribution to Indian Culture*, Ahmedabad: L. D. Institute of Indology, pp. 52-73.
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- B. Gokhale, (1966) 'The Early Buddhist View of the State', in *The Journal of Asian Studies*, Vol. XXVI, (1), pp. 15- 22.
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- M. Alam, (2004) 'Sharia Akhlaq', in *The Languages of Political Islam in India 1200- 1800*, Delhi: Permanent Black, pp. 26- 43
- A. Fazl, (1873) *The Ain-i Akbari* (translated by H. Blochmann), Calcutta: G. H. Rouse, pp. 47- 57.
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V. Mehta, (1992) *Foundation of Indian Political Thought*, Delhi: Manohar, pp. 157- 183.

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SEMESTER- III

Course Title (Core Course): International Relations--- Theories and Basic Concepts

Course Code: AHPLS-303/C-7

Credit: 06

Contact Hours/week: 06

Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)

Examination Duration: 2 Hours

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 and basic concepts on foreign policy for studying international relations.

Unit- I: Foundation of International Relations

- a. Evolution of international relations as an autonomous discipline.
- b. Major Theories: Idealism vs. Realism and Neo-Realism, Liberalism and its variants, World System.
- c. Behavioural Theory: Systems Theory, Decision-Making Theory, Communication Theory.

Unit- II: Major Elements of International Relations

- a. Basic Concepts: Balance of Power, Collective Security, Bipolarity and Unipolarity, Non-Alignment, Disarmament and Arms Control.
- b. Foreign Policy: Definition and Determinants--- Meaning and Types of Diplomacy.

Essential Readings:

M. Nicholson, (2002) *International Relations: A Concise Introduction*, New York: Palgrave, pp. 1-4.

R. Jackson and G. Sorensen, (2007) *Introduction to International Relations: Theories and Approches*, 3rd Edition, Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 2-7

S. Joshua. Goldstein and J. Pevehouse, (2007) *International Relations*, New York: Pearson Longman, 2007, pp. 29-35

C. Brown and K. Ainley, (2009) *Understanding International Relations*, Basingstoke: Palgrave, pp. 1-16.

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R. Mansbach and K. Taylor, (2008) *Introduction to Global Politics*, New York: Routledge, pp. 2-32.

**SEMESTER- III****Course Title (Generic Elective): Introduction to Comparative Government and Politics****Course Code: AHPLS- 304/GE-3****(To be opted by students from other departments)****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

Course objective: The purpose of this course 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.

1. The nature, scope and methods of comparative political analysis.
2. Comparing Regimes: Authoritarian and Democratic.
3. Classifications of political systems:
 - a) Parliamentary and Presidential: UK and USA.
 - b) Federal and Unitary: USA and France.
4. Electoral Systems: First past the post, proportional representation, mixed systems.
5. Party Systems: one-party, two-party and multi-party systems.
6. Contemporary debates on the nature of state: From state centric security to human centric security and the changing nature of nation-state in the context of globalization.

Essential Readings:

Bara, J & Pennington, M. (eds.). (2009) *Comparative Politics*. New Delhi: Sage.

Caramani, D. (ed.). (2008) *Comparative Politics*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Hague, R. and Harrop, M. (2010) *Comparative Government and Politics: An Introduction*. (Eight Edition). London: Palgrave MacMillan.



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- Newton, K. and Deth, Jan W. V. (2010) *Foundations of Comparative Politics: Democracies of the Modern World*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
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- Webb, E. (2011) 'Totalitarianism and Authoritarianism', in Ishiyama, J. T. and Breuning, M. (eds.) *21st Century Political Science: A Reference Book*. Los Angeles: Sage, pp. 249-257.
- Hague, R. and Harrop, M. (2004) *Comparative Government and Politics: An Introduction*. London: Palgrave MacMillan, pp. 36-50, 51-68.
- Hague, R and Harrop, M. (2004) 'The Political Executive', in *Comparative Government and Politics: An Introduction*. London: Palgrave MacMillan, pp. 268-290.
- Evans, Jocelyn A.J. (2009) 'Electoral Systems', in Bara, J. and Pennington, M. (eds.) *Comparative Politics*. New Delhi: Sage, pp. 93-119.
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- Caramani, D. (2008) 'Party Systems', in Caramani, D. (ed.) *Comparative Politics*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 293-317, 318-347.
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- "Theoretical Foundations of Comparative Politics" by Subrata Mukherjee and Sushila Ramaswamy. Orient BlackSwan. 2017.

**SEMESTER- III****Course Title (Skill Enhancement Course): Legislative Practices and Procedures****Course Code: AHPLS-305/SEC-1****Credit: 02****Contact Hours/week: 02****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

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.

I. Legislative process:

Question: Rules of Putting Questions to the Minister: Types of Questions (written and verbal; supplementary).

Others: Rules Relating to Calling Attention, Mention, Adjournment, Resolution, Discussion including Short Discussion, Censure and No-Confidence.

How a bill becomes law, role of the Standing committee in reviewing a bill, legislative consultants, the framing of rules and regulations.

II. Supporting the Legislative Committees:

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

III. Reading the Budget Document:

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

Essential Readings:

M. Madhavan, and N. Wahi, (2008) *Financing of Election Campaigns* PRS, Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi, Available at:

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H. Kalra, (2011) *Public Engagement with the Legislative Process* PRS, Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi, Available at:

<http://www.prsindia.org/administrator/uploads/media/Conference%202011/Public%20Engagement%20with%20the%20Legislative%20Process.pdf>, Accessed: 19.04.2013.

Government of India (Lok Sabha Secretariat), (2009) *Parliamentary Procedures (Abstract Series)*, Available at <http://164.100.47.132/LssNew/abstract/index.aspx>, Accessed: 19.04.2013

Government of India, (Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs), (2009) *Legislation, Parliamentary Procedure*, Available at http://mpa.nic.in/Manual/Manual_English/Chapter/chapter-09.htm, Accessed: 19.04.2013

Government of India, (Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs) (2009), *Subordinate Legislation, Parliamentary Procedure*, Available at:

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D. Kapur and P. Mehta, (2006) 'The Indian Parliament as an Institution of Accountability', *Democracy, Governance and Human Rights*, Programme Paper Number 23, United Nations Research Institute for Social Development, Available at:

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B. Debroy, (2001) 'Why we need law reform' *Seminar* January.

P. Mehta, 'India's Unlikely Democracy: The Rise of Judicial Sovereignty', *Journal of Democracy*, Vol. 18(2), pp.70-83.

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K. Sanyal, (2011) *Strengthening Parliamentary Committees* PRS, Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi, Available at:



<http://www.prsindia.org/administrator/uploads/media/Conference%202011/Strengthening%20Parliamentary%20Committees.pdf>, Accessed: 19.04.2013

A. Celestine, (2011) *How to Read the Union Budget* PRS, Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi, Available at <http://www.prsindia.org/parliamenttrack/primers/how-to-read-theunion-budget-1023/>, Accessed: 19.04.2013

G. Rose, (2005) 'How to Be a Media Darling: There's No getting Away from It', *State Legislatures*, Vol. 31(3).

N. Jayal and P. Mehta (eds), (2010) *The Oxford Companion to Politics in India*, Oxford University Press: New Delhi,

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N. Singh, 'Some Economic Consequences of India's Institutions of Governance: A Conceptual Framework', Available at:

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<http://164.100.47.132/LssNew/abstract/index.aspx>, website: www.loksabha.nic.in, Accessed: 19.04.2013.

Committees of Lok Sabha, Available at:

http://164.100.47.134/committee/committee_list.aspx Accessed: 19.04.2013.

Ethics Committee of Rajya Sabha, available at:



http://rajyasabha.nic.in/rsnew/publication_electronic/ethics_committee.pdf, Accessed: 19.04.2013.

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**SEMESTER- IV****Course Title (Core Course): Western Political Thought--- Modern****Course Code: AHPLS-401/C-8****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

Course objective: The course seeks to promote a critical understanding of the main philosophical themes in Western Political Thought as represented by select thinkers primarily from the modern period. It emphasizes on their life and works and their major theoretical and philosophical contributions.

Unit- I: Renaissance

a. Machiavelli: Separation of Politics and Ethics, Human Nature.

Unit- II: Social Contractualists

a. Thomas Hobbes: State of Nature, Social Contract, Nature and Attributes of Sovereignty.

b. John Locke: State of Nature, Social Contract, Natural Rights, Nature and Functions of State.

c. Jean-Jacques Rousseau: State of Nature, Social Contract and General Will.

Unit- III: Utilitarians

a. Jeremy Bentham: Utilitarian Principles.

b. John Stuart Mill: Revision of Utilitarianism, On Liberty and Representative Government.

Unit- IV: Idealists and Socialists

a. Hegel: Dialectics and State, Idea of Freedom.

b. Karl Marx: State.

c. V. I. Lenin: Imperialism.

Essential Readings:

I. Kant. (1784) 'What is Enlightenment?' available at <http://theliterarylink.com/kant.html>, Accessed: 19.04.2013

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- A. Skoble, and T. Machan, (2007) *Political Philosophy: Essential Selections*, New Delhi: Pearson Education, pp. 286-327.
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**SEMESTER- IV****Course Title (Core Course): Indian Political Tradition -II****Course Code: AHPLS- 402/C-9****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

Course objective: Primarily 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.

Unit- I: Understanding Diverse Trains of Nationalist Thought

- a. Gandhi: State, Trusteeship and Satyagraha.
- b. M. N. Roy: Transition from Marxism to New-Humanism.
- c. B. R. Ambedkar: Views on Caste and Untouchability.
- d. J. L. Nehru: Socialism.
- e. Sir Syed Ahmed Khan: Views on Modernism.

Unit- II: Currents of Nationalist Movements

- a. Major Trends:

I. Partition of Bengal and Swadeshi Movement.

II. Movements led by Indian National Congress: Non-Cooperation, Civil-Disobedience, Quit-India Movement.

III. Alternatives to Congress Politics: (a) Revolutionary Nationalism and (b) the Forward Bloc.

Essential Readings:

“Nationalist Movement in India--- A Reader” by Sekhar Bandyopadhyay. OXFORD. 2008.



V. Mehta and T. Pantham (eds.), (2006) '*A Thematic Introduction to Political Ideas in Modern India: Thematic Explorations, History of Science, Philosophy and Culture in Indian civilization*'

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SEMESTER- IV

Course Title (Core Course): Introduction to Comparative Government and Politics

Course Code: AHPLS- 403/C-10

Credit: 06

Contact Hours/week: 06

Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)

Examination Duration: 2 Hours

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.

Unit- I: Understanding Comparative Politics

- a. Transition from Comparative Government to Comparative Politics; Nature and Scope.
- b. Approaches: Institutional and Neo-institutional.

Unit- II: Major Governing Principles

- a. Constitutionalism, Conventions, Parliamentary Sovereignty, Separation of Powers, Judicial Review, Referendum and Initiative.

Unit- III: Comparative Studies of Government [United Kingdom (U.K), United States of America (U.S.A) and France]

- a. Legislature, Executive and Judiciary: UK, USA and France.
- b. Parliamentary and Presidential systems: UK and USA.

Unit- IV: Party System

- a. Party System in UK and USA.

Essential Readings:

J. Kopstein, and M. Lichbach, (eds), (2005) *Comparative Politics: Interests, Identities, and Institutions in a Changing Global Order*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, pp.1-5; 16-36; 253-290.

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- R. Suresh, (2010) *Economy & Society -Evolution of Capitalism*, New Delhi, Sage Publications, pp. 151-188; 235-268.
- G. Ritzer, (2002) 'Globalization and Related Process I: Imperialism, Colonialism, Development, Westernization, Easternization', in *Globalization: A Basic Text*. London: Wiley-Blackwell, pp. 63-84.
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- E. Wood, (2002) 'The Agrarian origin of Capitalism', in *Origin of Capitalism: A Long View*. London: Verso, pp. 91-95; 166-181.
- A. Hoogvelt, (2002) 'History of Capitalism Expansion', in *Globalization and Third World Politics*. London: Palgrave, pp. 14-28.
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- P. Rutland, (2007) 'Britain', in J. Kopstein and M. Lichbach. (eds.) *Comparative Politics: Interest, Identities and Institutions in a Changing Global Order*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, pp. 39-79.

**SEMESTER- IV****Course Title (Generic Elective): International Relations--- Basic Concepts****Course Code: AHPLS-404/GE-4****(To be opted by students from other departments)****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

Course Objective: This Course is designed to give students a sense of some important theoretical approaches to understand international relations; a history from 1945 onwards to the present; and an outline of the evolution of Indian foreign policy since independence and its possible future trajectory.

1. Evolution and Approaches to International Relations:

- a. Evolution of international relations as an autonomous discipline.
- b. Major Theories: Realism and Neo-Realism and Liberalism.
- c. Behavioural Theory: Systems Theory and Decision-Making Theory.

2. Cold War and Post-Cold War Era:

- (a) Origins and Phases of Cold War; End of Cold War and Collapse of the Soviet Union.
- (b) Post Cold- War Era and Emerging Centers of Power (European Union, China and Russia)

3. India's Foreign Policy:

- (a) Basic Determinants (Historical, Geo-Political, Economic, Domestic and Strategic).
- (b) India's Policy of Non-alignment.
- (c) India's Relationship with USA and Pakistan.

Essential Readings:

William, P., Goldstein, D. M. and Shafritz, J. M. (eds.) (1999) *Classic Readings of International*

Relations. Belmont: Wadsworth Publishing Co, pp. 30-58; 92-126.

Art, R. J. and Jervis, R. (eds.) (1999) *International Political Enduring: Concepts and Contemporary Issues*. 5th Edition. New York: Longman, pp. 7-14; 29-49; 119-126.

Jackson, R. and Sorenson, G. (2008) *Introduction to International Relations: Theories and Approaches*. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 59-96.

Goldstein, J. and Pevehouse, J.C. (2009) *International Relations*. New Delhi: Pearson, pp. 81-111.

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Mewmillians, W.C. and Piotrowski, H. (2001) *The World Since 1945: A History of International Relations*. Fifth edition. London: Lynne Rienner Publishers.

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**SEMESTER- IV****Course Title (Skill Enhancement Course): Democratic Awareness with Legal Literacy****Course Code: AHPLS-405/SEC-2****Credit: 02****Contact Hours/week: 02****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

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.

Unit I:

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 magistracy in criminal law administration.

Alternate dispute mechanisms such as Lok Adalats, non-formal mechanisms.

Unit II:

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.

Laws relating to criminal jurisdiction: provision relating to filing an FIR, arrest, bail search and some understanding of the questions of evidence and procedure in Cr. P.C. and related laws, offences against women, juvenile justice, prevention of atrocities on Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes.

Concepts of Principles of Natural Justice, Fair comment under Contempt laws.

Laws relating to consumer rights.

Laws relating to cybercrimes.

Anti-terrorist laws: implications for security and human rights.

**Unit III:****Access to courts and enforcement of rights:**

Legal Services Authorities Act and right to legal aid.

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; 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.

Essential Readings:

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

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Indian Social Institute, New Delhi, *Legal Literacy Series Booklets*.

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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.

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- Rule of law and the Criminal Justice System in India Andrew, (1996) 'Arbitrary Government and the Rule of Law', in *Arguing About the Law, An Introduction to Legal Philosophy*, Wordsworth, Boston., pp.3-19.
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- K. Sankaran and U. Singh, (2008) 'Introduction', in *Towards Legal Literacy*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. xi – xv.
- Laws relating to criminal justice administration.
- 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.
- Equality and non-discrimination 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- V****Course Title (Core Course): Public Administration****Course Code: AHPLS-501/C-11****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

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 theories. The course also explores some of the recent trends with an attempt to provide the students a comprehensive understanding on contemporary administrative developments.

Unit- I: Public Administration as a Discipline

- a. Evolution.
- b. Nature and Scope.
- c. Difference between 'Public' and 'Private' Administration.
- d. Challenges: Emergence of New Public Administration

Module-II: Theories of Organisation

- a. Classical Approach: Henri Fayol, Luther Gulick and Lyndall Urwick
- b. Scientific Management Approach: F. W. Taylor
- c. Bureaucracy: Max Weber and Karl Marx
- d. Human Relations Approach: Elton Mayo
- e. Behavioural Approach: Herbert A. Simon

Unit- III: Major Concepts of Administration

- a. Hierarchy.
- b. Unity of Command.
- c. Span of Control.
- d. Authority.
- e. Centralisation and Decentralisation.
- f. Line and Staff.

**Essential Readings:**

- Public Administration as a Discipline: Meaning, Dimensions and Significance of the Discipline. Nicholas Henry, *Public Administration and Public Affairs*, Prentice Hall, 1999
- D. Rosenbloom, R. Kravchuk. and R. Clerkin, (2009) *Public Administration: Understanding Management, Politics and Law in Public Sector*, 7th edition, New Delhi: McGraw Hill, pp. 1-40
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- M. Bhattacharya, *Restructuring Public Administration: A New Look*, New Delhi: Jawahar Publishers, 2012
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- A. Singh, *Public Administration: Roots and Wings*. New Delhi: Galgotia Publishing Company, 2002
- F. Riggs, *Administration in Developing Countries: The Theory of Prismatic Society*. Boston: Houghton Mifflin, 1964
- Innovation and Entrepreneurship. Peter Drucker, *Innovation and Entrepreneurship*, Harper Collins, 1999.
- Peter F. Drucker , *The Practice of Management*, Harper Collins, 2006.
- T. Dye, (1984) *Understanding Public Policy*, 5th Edition. U.S.A: Prentice Hall, pp. 1-44
- The Oxford Handbook of Public Policy* ,OUP,2006.
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- Mary Jo Hatch and Ann .L. Cunliffe *Organisation Theory : Modern, Symbolic and Postmodern Perspectives*, Oxford University Press,2006
- Michael Howlett, *Designing Public Policies : Principles And Instruments*, Rutledge, 2011
- The Oxford Handbook Of Public Policy*, Oxford University Press, 2006
- Prabir Kumar De, *Public Policy and Systems*, Pearson Education, 2012
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- M. Bhattacharya, 'Chapter 2 and 4', in *Social Theory, Development Administration and Development Ethics*, New Delhi: Jawahar Publishers, 2006
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**SEMESTER- V****Course Title (Core Course): Emergent Issues in Post-Cold War Global Politics****Course Code: AHPLS-502/C-12****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

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.

Unit- I: Understanding Post Cold-War Period

- a. Post Cold-War Order.
- b. Role of the United Nations Organisation (UNO) in post cold-war period.

Unit- II: Major Issues in Post Cold-War Politics

- a. Terrorism: Causes, Interpretations and Preventives.
- b. Environment: Climate Change and Global Warming.
- c. Human Rights: Meaning, Evolution and Importance; Challenges to Human Rights.
- d. Globalisation: Meaning, Dimension and its impact on National Sovereignty.

Unit-III: Regional Organisations in Post Cold-War Era

- a. Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN).
- b. South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC).
- c. European Union (EU).

Essential Readings:

- G. Ritzer, (2010) *Globalization: A Basic Text*, Sussex: Wiley-Blackwell, pp. 33-62.
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**SEMESTER- V****Course Title (Discipline Specific Elective): Human Rights in a Comparative Perspective****Course Code: AHPLS-503/DSE-1**
(Students to choose one of the two Courses)**Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

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.

I. Human Rights- Theory and Institutionalization:

- a. Understanding Human Rights: Three Generations of Rights
- b. Institutionalization: Universal Declaration of Human Rights
- c. Rights in National Constitutions: South Africa and India

II. Issues:

- a. Torture: USA and India
- b. Surveillance and Censorship: China and India
- c. Terrorism and Insecurity of Minorities: USA and India

III. Structural Violence:

- a. Caste and Race: South Africa and India
- b. Gender and Violence: India and Pakistan
- c. Adivasis/Aboriginals and the Land Question: Australia and India.

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OR,

**Course Title (Discipline Specific Course): Citizenship in a Globalizing World****AHPLS-503/DSE-1****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

Course Objective: The idea of citizenship holds a prominent place in human history. It defines who belongs to a political community and who does not. Citizenship assigns a legal status, a set of rights, immunities and protections in the modern age. In many ways, the trajectory of the debates surrounding citizenship have delved into the heart of justice in a community, namely the relationship between the individual and the collective, the meaning of membership, and the distribution of benefits and burdens of that membership. Some concerns about these normative dimensions of citizenship have changed over time.

The contemporary revival of interest in the concept of citizenship is a response to developments such as the disintegration of the Soviet Bloc and the rise of independent states in its wake, the rise of new forms of virulent nationalism and sub-nationalism, and globalization and migration. In addition, demands for political recognition by minorities based on new sources and forms of identity have wrought significant changes in the way we conceive of citizenship. States are scrambling to deal with tensions created in increasingly complex and diverse societies and the idea of citizenship seeks to simultaneously cross national boundaries.

This course will explore theories of citizenship, the historical development of the concept and its practice of in an increasingly globalizing world.

1. Classical conceptions of citizenship: Greek and Roman.
2. The Evolution of Citizenship and the Modern State: Renaissance and Modern Times.
3. Citizenship and Diversity.
4. Citizenship beyond the Nation-state: Globalization and Global Justice.
5. The idea of cosmopolitan citizenship.

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**SEMESTER- V****Course Title (Discipline Specific Elective): Understanding South Asia****AHPLS-504/DSE-2****(Students to Choose one of the two Courses)****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

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 appraises students of the common challenges and the strategies deployed to deal with them by countries in South Asia.

I. South Asia- Understanding South Asia as a Region:

(a) Historical and Colonial Legacies (b) Geopolitics of South Asia.

II. Politics and Governance:

(a) Regime types: democracy, authoritarianism, monarchy.

(b) Emerging constitutional practices: federal experiments in Pakistan; constitutional debate in Nepal and Bhutan; devolution debate in Sri Lanka.

III. Socio-Economic Issues:

(a) Identity politics and economic deprivation: challenges and impacts (case studies of Pakistan, Bangladesh, Nepal, Sri Lanka).

IV. Regional Issues and Challenges:

(a) South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC): Problems and Prospects.

(b) Terrorism.

(c) Migration.

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OR,



**Course Title (Discipline Specific Course): Social Movements in Contemporary India---
Major Issues**

Course Code: AHPLS-504/DSE-2

Credit: 06

Contact Hours/week: 06

Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)

Examination Duration: 2 Hours

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.

Unit – I

Features and Dynamics of Social Movements.

Evolution of New Social Movements.

Unit-II

Traditional Social Movements in India: Peasant Movement, Trade Union Movement, Anti-caste Movements.

Unit-III

New Social Movements in India: Dalit Movement; Women's Movement, Ecological & Environmental Movement.

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**SEMESTER- VI****Course Title (Core Course): Public Policy and Administration in India****Course Code: AHPLS-601/C-13****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

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 administration in India. 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.

Unit- I: Development and Public Policy

- a. Social Indicators of Development.
- b. 'Planning Commission' to 'National Institution for Transforming India Aayog' (NITI Aayog).

Unit- II: Public Financial Management in India

- a. Budgetary Process: Preparation, Enactment and Execution.
- b. Performance Evaluation (Parliamentary Financial Committees: Public Accounts Committee, Estimates Committee and Committee on Public Undertaking).
- c. Centre-State Finance: Finance Commission; Allocation of Resources.

Unit- III: Organisation of the Government in India: Union and State Level

- a. Union: Prime Minister's Office (PMO) and Cabinet Secretariat.
- b. State: Chief Secretary, Relations between Secretariat and Directorate.

Unit- IV: Citizen and Administration

- a. Role of Lokpal and Lokayukta.
- c. Comptroller and Auditor General (CAG).

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Girden,E.J.(1987) 'Economic Liberalisation in India: The New Electronics Policy' in *Asian Survey*. California University Press. Volume 27, No.11. Available at - www.jstor.org/stable/2644722.

**SEMESTER- VI****Course Title (Core Course): Political Processes and Institutions in Comparative Perspectives****Course Code: AHPLS-602/C-14****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

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.

Unit- I: Electoral System:

- a. Definition and Procedures.
- b. Types: First Past the Post, Proportional Representation, Mixed Representation.

Unit- II: Nation-State:

- a. What is Nation-state?
- b. Nation-State in Post-Colonial Context.
- c. The Future of Nation-State.

Unit- III: Federalism:

- a. Historical Context.
- b. Federation and Confederation: Debates around Territorial Division of Power.

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R. Watts, (2008) 'Introduction', in *Comparing Federal Systems*. Montreal and Kingston: McGill Queen's University Press, pp. 1-27

R. Saxena, (2011) 'Introduction', in Saxena, R (eds.) *Varieties of Federal Governance: Major*

Contemporary Models. New Delhi: Cambridge University Press, pp. xii-x1.

**SEMESTER- VI****Course Title (Discipline Specific Course): India's Foreign Policy in a Globalizing World****Course Code: AHPLS-603/DSE-3**
(Students to choose one of the two courses)**Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

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.

I. India's Foreign Policy: Evolution, Salient Features and Determinants.

II. India and the Major Powers: USA, Russia and China.

III. Foreign Policy of India towards South Asian Countries: Pakistan, Bangladesh, Nepal and Sri Lanka.

IV. India's Negotiating Style and Strategies: Trade, Environment and Security Regimes.

V. India in the Contemporary Multipolar World.

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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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- 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.
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- M. Pardesi, (2005) 'Deducing India's Grand Strategy of Regional Hegemony from Historical and Conceptual Perspectives', IDSS Working Paper, 76, Available at <http://www.rsis.edu.sg/publications/WorkingPapers/WP76.pdf>, Accessed: 19.04.2013.
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- 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.
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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/

Indian Council of World Affairs: www.icwa.in/

Institute of Peace and Conflict Studies: www.ipcs.org/



Indian Council for Research on International Economic Relations: www.icrier.org/

Or,

**Course Title (Discipline Specific Course): Women, Power and Politics****Course Code: AHPLS-603/DSE-3****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

Course objective: This course opens up the question of women's agency, taking it beyond 'women's empowerment' and focusing on women as radical social agents. It attempts to question the complicity of social structures and relations in gender inequality. This is extended to cover new forms of precarious work and labour under the new economy. Special attention will be paid to feminism as an approach and outlook. The course is divided into broad units, each of which is divided into three sub-units.

I. Groundings:

1. Patriarchy

a. Sex-Gender Debates

b. Public and Private

c. Power

2. Feminism: History; Feminist Political Thought.

3. Family, Community, State

a. Family: Gender Socialisation and Family; Gender Relations in Family.

b. Community: Forms of Community; Social Reform of the Women's Question.

c. State: Ideologies of the State (Paternalistic and Patriarchal); Women, Law and Citizenship.

II. Movements and Issues:

1. History of the Women's Movement in India

2. Violence against women

3. Work and Labour

a. Visible and Invisible work--- Unpaid Work.

b. Reproductive and care work.

c. Sex work.

**Essential Readings:**

T. Shinde, (1993) 'Stree Purusha Tulna', in K. Lalitha and Susie Tharu (eds), *Women Writing in India*, New Delhi, Oxford University Press, pp. 221-234

U. Chakravarti, (2001) 'Pitrasatta Par ek Note', in S. Arya, N. Menon & J. Lokneeta (eds.) *Naarivaadi Rajneeti: Sangharsh evam Muddey*, University of Delhi: Hindi Medium Implementation Board, pp.1-7

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M. Kosambi, (2007) *Crossing the Threshold*, New Delhi, Permanent Black, pp. 3-10; 40-46

N. Menon, (2008) 'Power', in R. Bhargava and A. Acharya (eds), *Political Theory: An Introduction*, Delhi: Pearson, pp.148-157

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R. Palriwala, (2008) 'Economics and Patriliney: Consumption and Authority within the Household' in M. John. (ed) *Women's Studies in India*, New Delhi: Penguin, pp. 414-423.

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J. Tronto, (1996) 'Care as a Political Concept', in N. Hirschmann and C. Stephano, *Revisioning the Political*, Boulder: Westview Press, pp. 139-156



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N. Jameela, (2011) 'Autobiography of a Sex Worker', in P. Kotiswaran, *Sex Work*, New Delhi: Women Unlimited, pp. 225-241.

J. Ghosh, (2009) *Never Done and Poorly Paid: Women's Work in Globalising India*, Delhi: Women Unlimited *Justice Verma Committee Report*, Available at <http://nlrd.org/womens-rightsinitiative/justice-verma-committee-report-download-full-report>, Accessed: 19.04.2013.

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V. Bryson, (1992) *Feminist Political Theory*, London: Palgrave-MacMillan, pp. 175-180; 196-200

M. Mies, (1986) 'Colonisation and Housewifisation', in *Patriarchy and Accumulation on a World Scale* London: Zed, pp. 74-111, Available at <http://caringlabor.wordpress.com/2010/12/29/maria-mies-colonization-andhousewifization/>, Accessed: 19.04.2013.

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Saheli Women's Centre (2001) 'Reproductive Health and Women's Rights, Sex Selection and feminist response' in S Arya, N. Menon, J. Lokneeta (eds), *Nariwadi Rajneeti*, Delhi, pp. 284-306

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**SEMESTER- VI****Course Title (Discipline Specific Course): Political Sociology****Course Code: AHPLS-604/DSE-4**
(Students to choose one of the two courses)**Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

Course Objective: Politics is nothing but about power and authority. The course will try to focus on how is power exerted? Where is it, and how is it gained and lost? How do power centers get challenged? In this course, we will examine such question. Major themes will include the nation-state and its challengers. Students will also become aware of various criticisms and debates in political sociology – as well as its limitations through this course.

Unit I- Historical Development:

a. Political Sociology: Nature and Scope; Evolution as a Discipline.

Unit II- Political Culture:

- a. Concept of political culture.
- b. Components of political culture.
- c. Types of political culture

Unit III- Socialization:

- a. Meaning of socialization
- b. Agencies of socialization
- c. Role of socialization

Unit IV: Concept of Political Development:

- a. Meaning and nature of political development.
- b. Modernization and political development.
- c. Political culture and political development.

Essential Readings:

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Lipset S.M. 1983. Modern Political Analysis, Printice Hall, New Delhi

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Or,

**Course Title (Discipline Specific Course): Dilemmas in Politics****Course Code: AHPLS-604/DSE-4****Credit: 06****Contact Hours/week: 06****Maximum Marks: 50 (ESE-40; IA-10)****Examination Duration: 2 Hours**

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.

I. The Politics of Exclusion.

II. Debates on Human Rights.

III. Ecology and Political Responsibility.

IV. Global Justice and Cosmopolitanism.

V. Legitimacy of Humanitarian Intervention.

Essential Readings:

Gunn, R. (1993) 'Politics and Violence', in Bellamy, R. (ed.) *Theories and Concepts in Politics: An Introduction*. New York: Manchester University Press, pp. 265-292.

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