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Preamble

The undergraduate course in Political Science has been designed to train the students in the subject and enable them to use the skills and disciplinary insights to critically examine, assess, and explain the political phenomenon. Woven into a coherent structure, with a wide range of disciplinary, interdisciplinary and trans-disciplinary modules and themes, the course provides a solid foundation to the students who can take forward their learned skills and knowledge for higher research in the discipline and its associated domains. Like many other knowledge domains, political Science also engages with relevant ethical and normative questions towards building a better society; a free, fair, equitable, enabling, and a just society to live in. The students would also be exposed to research methods and empirical research-driven modules, which would help them getting employment in the system. And above all, it would produce an active, participatory, and responsible citizen strengthening the functioning of the democratic system.

SEMESTER-WISE COURSE STRUCTURE

Semester	Course Type	Paper Code	Paper Title	Credits	
I	Major-1	Pol-Maj- 01	Understanding Politics	4	
	Minor-1	Pol-Min- 01	Understanding Politics	4	
	MDC - 1	Pol-MDC - 01	Indian Polity	3	
	AEC - 1	Pol-AEC-01		4	
	SEC-1	Pol - SEC01	Managing Election and	3	
			Campaign		
	VAC - 1	POL – VAC - 01	Democracy in India	2	
Total Credit					
	Major-2	Pol –Maj -02	Indian Constitution	4	
II	Minor-2	Pol –Min -02	Indian Constitution	4	
	MDC - 2	Pol –MDC - 02	Understanding Political Concepts and Processes	3	
	AEC - 2	Pol-AEC-02	•	4	
	SEC-2	Pol-SEC-02	Public policy Management	3	
	VAC - 2	Pol – VAC -02	Indigenous System of Governance	2	
Total Cred	20				
	Major-3	Pol – Maj-03	Ancient Indian Political Thought	4	
	Major-4	Pol –Maj- 04	Political Theory	4	
III	Minor-3	Pol –Min-03	Political Theory	4	
	MDC - 3	Pol – MDC -03	Understanding Politics in Arunachal Pradesh	3	
	SEC-3	Pol-SEC-03	Environmental Studies	3	
	VAC- 3	Pol-VAC-03	Local Self Government	2	
Total Cree	20				
IV	Major-5	Pol –Maj-05	Comparative Government And Politics	4	
	Major-6	Pol –Maj-06	Theories Of International Relations	4	
	Major-7	Pol –Maj-07	Public Administration	4	
	Major-8	Pol –Maj-08	Western Political Thinker	4	
	Minor-4	Pol –Min-04	Comparative Government And Politics	4	

Total Cro	edit			20	
	Major-9	Pol –Maj-09	Party politics in India	4	
	Major-10	Pol –Maj-10	Public Policy	4	
V	Major-11	Pol –Maj-11	Modern Indian Political Thinker (C-11)	4	
	Major-12	Pol –Maj-12	Government And Politics In Arunachal Pradesh + Internship/field study	2+2	
	Minor-5	Pol –Min-05	Government And Politics In Arunachal Pradesh	4	
Total Credit					
	Major-13	Pol –Maj-13	India's Foreign Policy	4	
	Major-14	Pol –Maj-14	State Politics In India	4	
VI	Major-15	Pol –Maj-15	Politics in North East India	4	
	Major-16	Pol –Maj-16	Politics In India	4	
	Minor-6	Pol –Min-06	Politics In India	4	
Total Credit					
	Major-17	Pol –Maj-17	Understanding Gandhi	4	
	Major-18	Pol –Maj-18	Feminism	4	
	Major-19	Pol –Maj-19	International Laws	4	
VII	Major-20	Pol –Maj-20	Research Methodology	4	
	Minor-7	Pol –Min-07	Research Methodology	4	
Total Credit					
	Major-21	Pol –Maj-21	Human Rights	4	
	Major-22	Pol –Maj-22	Comparative Constitution	4	
VIII	Major-23	Pol –Maj-23	Colonialism and Nationalism in India	4	
	Major-24	Pol –Maj-24	Research Publication Ethics	4	
	Minor-8	Pol –Min-08	Research Publication Ethics	4	
Total Credit					

B.A. SEMESTER I

POL-Maj-01: UNDERSTANDING POLITICS

Course Objective:

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Learning Outcomes:

- a) The students would be able to explain different approaches to politics and build their own understanding of politics.
- b) They will be able to answer why the state plays so much central place in the discourses on politics.
- c) They will be able to make a distinction between nation and state.
- d) They will come to know about different theories on nationalism.
- e) Students would be able to answer what are social movements and make a distinction between the old and new social movements.

UNIT I: Introduction to Politics

- What is politics
- Different approaches to understand politics

UNIT II: State

- Meaning of State
- Changing role of state in the era of Globalization

UNIT III: State and Nation

- How state is different from nation?
- Concept of Nationalism

UNIT IV: Democracy

- Meaning
- Theories of Democracy

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Arblaster, A. (1994). *Democracy*. (2nd edition). Buckingham: Open University Press.

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UNIT I: Introduction to Politics

- Politics Meaning and definition
- Approaches to understand politics (Traditional and Modern)

UNIT II: State

- State Meaning
- Elements of state

UNIT III: State and Nation

- How state is different from nation?
- Concept of Nationalism

UNIT IV: Democracy

- Meaning
- Theories of Democracy (Liberal and Marxist)

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POL-MDC-01: Indian Polity

Course Objective:

This course is designed to develop a sound understanding of the basic structure of the Indian Political system. They will be able to explain the basic structures and ideological bases of the Indian political system. The course is also design to make the students to know about different the rights and duties and understand the working of constitution.

Learning Outcomes:

- a) The students would be able to explain Structure of Indian Political System.
- b) They will be able to explain the basic objectives and philosophy of the constitution of India.
- c) They will be able to make a distinction between Fundamental Rights and DPSP
- d) They will come to know about different Rights and Duties.
- e) Students would be able to understand the political system of India and working of Indian constitution.

UNIT I: Preamble to Constitution of India

- Sources
- Philosophy
- Objectives

UNIT II: Fundamental Rights and Duties

- Features
- Types
- Changing Notion

UNIT III: Directive Principles of State Policy

- Features
- Types of DPSP
- Relevance

Readings:

Ahmad, S., & Ali, M. (2006). Social Justice and the Constitution of India. *The Indian Journal of Political Science*, 67(4), pp. 767-782.

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POL-SEC-01: MANAGING ELECTIONS AND ELECTION CAMPAIGN

Course Objective:

This course exposes students to a wide range of couceptual and practical issues and elements pertaining to electoral democracy in India. Elections and their nature have changed significantly with the support of social media and new technologies. Parties are using these mediums and techniques and adjusting to the new nuances emerging from it. Election management has become a crucial element of electoral democracy wherein parties use all their human and material resources at their disposal. This module exposes the students to the techniques of man and material resources to manage the elections.

Learning Outcomes:

- a. They will learn about how to file election nominations and the technical issues involved in it.
- b. They will be able to explain the election code of conduct including the ethics to be maintained in expenditure and elections campaign.
- c. They will be made aware of the role of new media and technology involved in election campaign.
- d. They will get to know about the required skills for media management during the elections.
- e. They will be able to answer what are debates on state funding of political parties in elections.

Unit I: Electoral Democracy and Management of Elections

- Electoral Democracy: A Theoretical Perspective
- How Crucial is Management of Elections?

Unit II: Elections and Model Code of Conducts

- Model Code of Conducts: What it is?
- Filling Election Nominations and Election Affidavits
- Knowing your Candidates

Unit III: Management of Election Campaign

- Traditional methods of Electoral Campaign; Poster, Pamphlets
- Use of New Techniques and Methods in Election Campaign
- Ethics in Electoral Campaign, Studies in use and abuse of communication

Readings:

- Lambert, P. (2000). A Decade of Electoral Democracy: Continuity, Change and Crisis in Paraguay. *Bulletin of Latin American Research*, 19(3), pp. 379-396.
- Krouse, R., & Marcus, G. (1984). Electoral Studies and Democratic Theory Reconsidered. *Political Behavior*, 6(1), pp. 23-39.
- Varshney, A. (2007). India's Democratic Chasllenge. Foreign Affairs, 86(2). Pp. 93-106.
- Houser, W., & (1986). The Democratic Rite: Celebration and Participation in the Indian Elections. *Asian Survey*, 26(9), pp. 941-958.
- Yadav, Y. (1999). Electoral Politics in the Time of Change: India's Third Electoral System, 1989-99. *Economic and Political Weekly*, 34(34/35), pp. 2393-2399.
- Herrnson, P. (1988). The Importance of Party Campaigning. *Policy*, 20(4), pp. 714-719.
- West, D. (1994). Television Advertising in Election Campaigns. *Political Science Quarterly*, 109(5), pp. 789-809.
- Goldstein, K., & Freedman, P. (2002). Campaign Advertising and Voter Turnout: New Evidence for a Stimulation Effect. *The Journal of Politics*, 64(3), pp. 721-740.
- Kahn, K., & Kenney, P. (1999). Do Negative Campaign Mobilize or Suppress Turnout? Clarifying the Relationship between Negativity and Participation. *The American Political Science Review*, 93(4), pp. 877-889.
- Rogers, L. (1949). Notes on the Language of Politics. *Political Science Quarterly*, 64(4), pp. 481-506.
- Paul, S. (2003). Right to Information on Candidates: How Will the Voters Know? *Economic and Political Weekly*, 38(15), pp. 1449.
- Kumar, V. (2005). People's Right to Know Antecedents of Their Election Candidates: A Critique of Constitutional Strategies. *Journal of the Indian Law Institute*, 47(2), pp.135-157.

POL-VAC-01: Democracy in India

Course Objective:

This course is designed to develop a sound understanding of the working of democracy in India. It will enable the students to learn Indian democratic traditions and the electioneering process. The course will equip the students to learn and handle the processes of campaigning and mobilization during elections.

Learning Outcomes:

- a) The students would be able to explain the ancient democratic traditions of India
- b) They will be able to understand how the elections are conducted in India.
- c) The course will make them to understand the election processes and the implementation of Model Code of Conduct, which, in turn, give them the idea about the working of democracy in India.

UNIT I: Indian Democratic Traditions

- Sabha, Samiti and Janapada
- Saptanga theory of Kautilya

UNIT II: Election Process

- Filling of election nomination
- Model Code of Conduct
- Campaigning and Mobilisation

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B.A SEMESTER II

POL-Maj-02: INDIAN CONSTITUTION

Course Objective:

The purpose of the course is to familiarize the students with the key elements of Indian constitution and enable them to critically assess the working of government institutions in the broader framework of constitutionality and factors and forces which attempts to influence them. The course has been designed to cover the journey of the map of India that emerged from partition to subsequent integration of Princely states and how the decision on key significant symbols such as national flag, national song, national anthem, etc. of the constitution was arrived at through comprehensive debates in the constituent Assembly

Learning Outcomes:

- a. Students will be able to understand the terms of partition and how princely states were integrated.
- b. They will be able to answer how princely states of Junagarh, Hyderabad, Goa, and Kashmir were integrated into India.
- c. They will come to know the importance of the preamble in the constitutional design of India.
- d. They will be able to answer how constituent assembly decided about our National flag, National song, and Anthem and how debates unfolded on National language and Minority rights in the Constitution.
- e. They will be able to answer questions pertaining to the function and role of the president, Prime minister, Governor, Chief Minister, parliament and state legislature, and the courts in the Constitutional design of India.

UNIT I: Making of Indian Constitution and Constituent Assembly

- Philosophy and Preamble of Indian Constitution
- Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy
- Procedure in the Constitutional Amendment

UNIT II: Structure of the Central and State Governments.

- President and Governor
- Parliament and State Legislature
- Prime Minister and Chief Minister

UNIT III: Judiciary in India

- Supreme Court: Structure and Functions
- High Courts: Structure and functions
- Judicial activism and Legal Aid.

UNIT IV: Centre State Relations in India

- Legislative Relation
- Executive Relation
- Financial Relation

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POL-MDC-02: Understanding Political Concepts and Processes

Course Objective:

This course is designed to develop a better understanding of politics by learning the basic political concepts and processes. The critical engagements with the basic concept and processes will allow the students to develop their own interpretation of politics

Learning Outcomes:

- a. The students would be able to explain different political concepts and processes and build their own understanding of politics.
- b. They will be exposed to the understanding of divergent political ideologies.
- c. They will have the idea about different political processes.

UNIT I: Basic Concepts

- -Equality (Meaning and Types)
- Liberty (Meaning and Types)
- Justice (Meaning and Types)

UNIT II: Basic Political Ideologies

- Democracy (Meaning and Elements)
- Socialism (Meaning and Elements)
- Secularism (Meaning and Features)

UNIT III: Political Processes

- Political Culture (Meaning and Types)
- Political Socialisation (Meaning and Agents)
- Political Participation (Meaning and Types)

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POL-SEC-02: PUBLIC POLICY MANAGEMENT

Course Objective:

The purpose of paper is to provide conceptual as well as practical skills to the students to manage the public policies. They will be exposed to formulations, implementations and regulatory mechanism involved in public policy. They will be imparted skills to monitor and evaluate the working of the public policies. The course will have an interdisciplinary approach in which the students will come to know about the tools of empirically evaluate the success and failures of the policies. This course make a solid grounding of the students in the management of public policy which requires a lot of skills in man, material and procedure monitoring and follow up actions to make the policy successful.

Learning Outcomes:

The student will be able to:

- a. To understand the processes and complexities involved in the decision making
- b. To learn the skill of project monitoring and project evaluation
- c. To develop skills to manage policy implementation.

Unit I: Introduction to Public Policy Management

- What is Public Policy?
- Public Policy making

Unit II: Public Policy Implementation

- Policy Implementation and Bureaucracy
- Legal and Regulatory and shared Governance
- Special Care in implementation of Public Policy

Unit III: Public Policy Monitoring

- Meaning and Significance of Policy Monitoring
- Monitoring of Public Policies and Good Governance
- Approaches to Policy monitoring
- Limitations in Policy Monitoring

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POL-VAC-02 Indigenous System of Governance in Arunachal Pradesh

Course Objective:

This course is designed to develop a sound understanding of how the communities of Arunachal Pradesh traditionally governed themselves through the indigenous institutions. The indigenous way of governance and administration of justice, without eternal interference, are presented in this course.

Learning Outcomes:

- a. The students would be able to explain and appreciate the indigenous system of governance.
- b. They will be exposed the working of different traditional political institutions in Arunachal Pradesh.
- c. They will be to understand the administration of customary laws in delivery of justice. .

UNIT I: Village Councils

- Types
- Functions
- Relevance

UNIT II: Administration of Justice

- Sources of Customary Laws
- Relevance of Customary Laws
- Interface between traditional and modern

Readings:

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B.A III SEMESTER

Course No : Major-3/ POL-Maj-03

Course Title : Ancient Indian Political Thought

Course Objective The course intends to acquaint students with the vast ideas and institutions produced by ancient Indian philosophers on politics and management of statecraft. In ancient India philosophers produced huge treasures of wisdom on politics, kingship, functioning of government including the monarchy and bureaucracy and their relationship with the people.

Learning Outcomes

- a) The students will come to know about the ideas of ancient Indian Philosophers on politics and functioning of government.
- b) The students will be able to understand the ideas on key political questions and institutions of ancient India.

CONTENT :

Unit I : The Idea of Statecraft

-Arthashastra of Kautilya -Saptang theory of Kautilya

Unit II : Idea on Monarchy

Manu Kautilya

Unit III : Dealing with Friends and Enemy States

-Spy system of Kautilya -Mandal theory of Kautilya

Unit IV : Conception of Justice

-Laws of Manu

- Judicial administration in Arthashastra

Basic Readings:

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Bhandarkar, D.R. (1929). *Some Aspects of Ancient Indian Hindu Polity*. Varanasi: Banaras Hindu University.

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Course No : Major-4/Pol-Maj-04

Course Title : Political Theory

Course

The course has been designed to introduce the students with the basic

Objective concepts and ideas in Political theory.

Learning Outcomes

a) The students will be able to learn key concepts needed to understand the Political phenomenon.

b) They will come to know how Liberal and Marxist understand politics.

c) They will learn what is Liberty and how does it in operate society.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Understanding Political Science

-Meaning and Nature of Political Science

-Scope of Political Science

Unit II : Approaches to the study of Political Science

-Historical and Philosophical -Behavioural and Marxian

Unit III : Relations with other Social Sciences

-Relations with Geography -Relations with Economics -Relations with History

Unit IV : Concepts

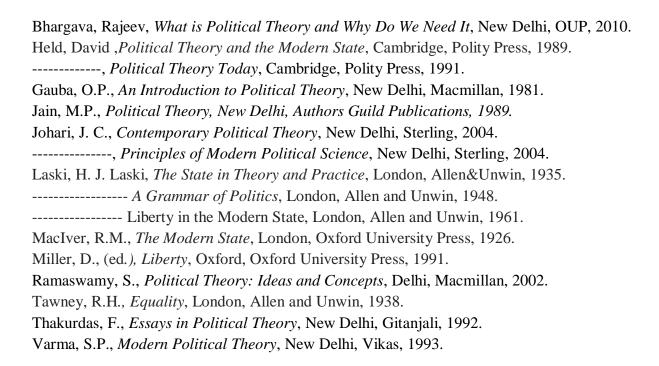
-Rights- Liberty- Justice

Basic Readings:

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Course No : Minor-3/ Pol-Min-03

Course Title : Political Theory

Course

The course has been designed to introduce the students with the basic

Objective concepts and ideas in Political theory.

Learning
Outcomes

a) The students will be able to learn key concepts needed to understand the Political phenomenon.

b) They will come to know how Liberal and Marxist understand politics.

c) They will learn what is Liberty and how does it in operate society.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Understanding Political Science

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Unit IV : Concepts

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Course No : MDC-3/POL-MDC-03

Course Title : Understanding Politics in Arunachal Pradesh

Course : This course is designed to make the students to understand politics in

Objective Arunachal Pradesh. The course will help the students to understand the evolution of Arunachal Pradesh as state and working of political

parties and pressure groups in the state.

Learning : d. The students would be able to explain the evolution of state.

Outcomes e. They will be able to understand the administrative and constitutional development of the state.

f. They will be able to understand the local self-government.

g. They will come to know about the working of pressure groups

and different political processes.

h. Students would be exposed to understand the state politics.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Evolution of Arunachal Pradesh as a State

- The North- East Frontier Areas, (Administration) Regulation,

1954

- The North-East Frontier Agency (Administration), 1965

- The State of Arunachal Pradesh Act. 1986

Unit II : Local Self-Government

- Daying Ering Committee, 1964

- The NEFA Panchayati Raj Regulation, 1967

The Arunachal Pradesh Panchayat Act, 1997

Unit III : Political Parties and Pressure Groups

- BJP, INC, PPA

- AAPSU, APWWS

Basic Readings:

Bath Nani, Party Politics in Arunachal Pradesh, Himalayan, New Delhi, 2016

Bose, M.L., Historical and Constitutional Documents of North Eastern India (1824-1975). Omsons Publishing Company, Delhi, 1979.

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Course No : SEC-3/ POL-SEC-03

Course Title : Environmental Studies

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Course : The course aims to train learners to cater to the need for ecological objective citizenship through developing a strong foundation on the critical

linkages of ecology-society-economy trio.

Learning

Outcomes

CONTENT :

Unit I : Introduction: Environmental Studies

- Meaning, Nature, Scope, Importance and Limitations; Ecosystems; Biodiversity and Natural Systems; Natural Cycles and flows—material and energy; Levels of biological diversity: genetic, species and ecosystem diversity; Bio-geographic Zones of India; Biodiversity patterns and global biodiversity hotspots. Salient Features: Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972; Water (Prevention and control of pollution) Act, 1974; Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980; Air (Prevention and control of pollution) Act, 1981; Environmental Protection Act, 1986.

Unit II : Environmental Concerns:

- Human Systems and Human impact on natural systems, Climate Change, Air Issues: Ozone Depletion, Smog, Water issues: Water quality/access, Pollution, Land Use Changes, Soil degradation, Waste: Quantity generated, Treatment, ex: landfills v. incinerators, E-waste. Threats to biodiversity: Habitat loss, poaching of wildlife, man wild life conflicts, biological invasions.

Unit III : Measurement and Reporting:

- ISO Standard 14001: Environmental Management System; Life Cycle Assessment; Environmental Product Declaration; Carbon Foot printing and Ecological Handprints; Environmental Impact Analysis, Environmental Impact Assessment in India: procedure & practices.

Unit IV : Green Business:

Concept and Evolution of Green Business; Drivers and Motivations; Model of Corporate Greening; Green Business Strategies; Planning and Policy Initiatives for Green Business; Capturing Green Consumers; Preparing for the future. Green Tax Incentives and Rebates (to Green Projects and Companies). Green Reporting. National Green Tribunal: Structure, composition and functions.

Unit V : Emerging Trends: Environmental Accounting

 Concept, Significance, and Types. Environmental Economics, KYOTO Protocol: Aim, Vision, and Functioning; Carbon Trading; Green HRM, Green Marketing, Green Finance. Environmental Ethics. Corporate Environmental Responsibility, Green Entrepreneurship.

Basic Readings:

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Course No : VAC-3/ POL-VAC-03

Course Title : Local Self Government

Course Objective This course is designed to develop a sound understanding of the concept of Local Self Government. It will enable the students to learn features and importance of Local Self Government. It will equip the students to learn about the views of Indian scholars on Local Self Government.

Learning Outcomes

a) The students will be able to explain the importance of Local Self Government.

b) It will make them understand the views of Indian Scholars about Local Self Government.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Concept of Local Self Government

-Meaning

-Importance of Local Self Government

-Salient features of Local Self Government

Unit II : Views on Local Government

-Gandhi -Nehru -Ambedkar

-Jayaprakash Narayan

Basic Reading:

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B.A. IV SEMESTER

Course No : Major -5/ POL-Maj-05

Course Title : Comparative Government and Politics

Course Objective The course will enable the students to understand the functioning of government and political systems in comparative perspectives. The political system has its own legal, economic, socio-political and cultural ambience in which it works. This course exposes the students to concepts and approaches which canapply to understand different political regimes.

Learning Outcomes

a. The students will be able to understand and apply different approaches to explain the functioning of different types of governing regimes.

b. They will be able to compare democratic systems and evaluate their functioning.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Understanding Comparative Politics

Meaning and nature of comparative politicsScope and significance of comparative politics

Unit II : Approaches

Traditional: Philosophical, Legal and InstitutionalModern: Behavioural and Post- Behavioural

Unit III : Forms of Government

Parliamentary and Presidential

- Unitary and Federal

Unit IV : Rule Making

UK and USA

Basic Readings:

Bowler, S. (2006). Electoral Systems. In Rhodes, R.A.W., Binder, S.A., & Rockman, B.A. (Eds.), *The Oxford Handbook of Political Institutions*. Oxford, pp. 577-594.

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Tilly, C. (2007). *Democracy*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, pp. 25-50.

Course No : Major-6/ Pol-Maj-06

Course Title : Theories of International Relations

Course Objective The key Course Objective of this course is to introduce the students to both the mainstream international relations approaches in liberalism and realism. It will help the students to understand the present world

order.

Learning Outcomes

- a. Familiarizing with the key concepts of the discipline of international relations.
- b. Understanding linkages between realism and geo-politics.
- c. Comprehensive understanding of the key assumptions and arguments of the mainstream international relations.
- d. Understanding the importance of non-western perspectives.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Understanding International Relations

- Meaning, Nature and Scope

Unit II : Mainstream International Theories

Liberalism and Realism

Unit III : Concepts in International Relations

National powerNational interest

Unit IV : World Order

UnipolarBipolarMultipolar

Basic Readings:

Bandhopadhaya, K., *North Over South: A Non-Western Perspective of International Relations*, New Delhi, South Asia Publishers, 1982.

Baylis, John and Steve, Smith (ed.), The Globalisation of World Politics, New Delhi, OUP,2003.

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Course No : Major -7/ POL-Maj-07

Course Title : Public Administration

Course Objective The course seeks to familiarize the students with meaning, key concepts and school of thoughts in public administration. The module deals with the structure and functioning of the organization and seeks to develop understanding in students why do we study public

administration.

Learning Outcomes

a. The students will understand the difference between public and private administration.

b. The students will be able to understand the functioning of organization.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Introducing Public Administration

- Meaning of Public Administration

- Growth of Public Administration as a discipline

- Difference between Public and Private Administration

New Public Administration, New Public Service

Unit II : Organisation

MeaningPrinciples

Basis

Unit III : Theories of Organisation

- Scientific Management: Frederick Winslow Taylor

Human Relations: Elton MayoEcological Approach: Fred Riggs

Unit IV : Motivation in the Organisation

- What is motivation

- Theories of motivation: Maslow and Herzberg

Basic Readings:

Avasthi, A. and Maheshwari S. R., Public *Administration*, Agra, Lakshmi NarainAggarwal, 2000.

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Course No : Major-8/POL-Maj-08

Course Title : Western Political Thinker

Course Objective The purpose of this module is to introduce to the students some classical political thinkers from the west who shaped the ideas and key concepts of political science. Developing a 'Just State' has been a perennial question for all civilizations. But the answers are not alike. They are different across civilizations and times. This course examines the ideas of some of the prominent classical political thinkers beginning from Plato.

Learning Outcomes

- a. The students will know the key ideas of all the political philosophers given in the course.
- b. They will be able to explain basic concepts of Plato.
- c. Students will understand the basic differences between the ideas of Hobbes and Locke.
- d. Students will learn the key ideas in Marxism.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Plato and Aristotle

Views on state

Unit II : Hobbes, Locke and Rousseau

- State of nature, Social contract

Unit III : Bentham and J.S. Mill

Utilitarianism

- Liberty, Representative Government

Unit IV : Karl Marx

- Historical Materialism

Class struggle

Basic Readings:

Barker, E., The Political Thought of Plato and Aristotle, New York, Dover Publications, 1959.

Berki, R.N., The History of Political Thought: A Short Introduction, London, Dent, 1977.

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Course No : Minor-4/POL-Min-04

Course Title : Comparative Government and Politics

Course Objective

The course will enable the students to understand the functioning of government and political systems in comparative perspectives. The political system has its own legal, economic, socio-political and cultural ambience in which it works. This course exposes the students to concepts and approaches which can be apply to understand different political regimes.

Learning Outcomes

- a. The students will be able to understand and apply different approaches to explain the functioning of different types of governing regimes.
- b. They will be able to compare democratic systems and evaluate their functioning.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Understanding Comparative Politics

Meaning and Nature of comparative politicsScope and Significance of comparative politics

Unit II : Approaches

Traditional: Philosophical, Legal and Institutional
 Modern: Behavioural and Post- Behavioural

Unit III : Forms of Government

Parliamentary and Presidential

Unitary and Federal

Unit IV : Rule Making

UK and USA

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B.A. V SEMESTER

Course No : Major-9/ POL-Maj-09

Course Title : Party Politics in India

Course

Objective

The course focuses on the study of political parties in India both at centre and state level. The study comprises of their organization, ideology and political support base, with the application of new technologies and new mass media, it is important to understand how the nature and magnitude of elections campaign have changed in India. The course allows the students to make a comparative study of elections manifestos of major political parties which will give insight into their commitments to the issues.

Learning Outcomes

- a. The students will be able to explain the origin and ideologies of main national political parties of India especially the BJP, the CPM and the INC
- b. The students will come to know how the regional parties emerged and how their emergence challenged the hegemony of the national party.
- c. They will be able to explain how politics and issues can be studied through slogans.

CONTENT :

Unit I : National Parties, Their Organization, Ideology and Support Base

- BJP, INC, CPI (M): Their origin and evolution, organizational structure, social base and ideologies
- Dynasty politics and family succession in parties

Unit II : Regional Parties

- Rise of regional parties: Regional or individual aspirations
- Nature of Regional Parties: Dynasty and family control

Unit III : Understanding Issues in Indian Politics

- Comparing current manifestos of the political parties
- Studies of ideology-based Slogans

Unit IV : Election Studies

- Election campaign
- Changing nature of political campaign
- Understanding voting behaviour

Basic Readings:

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Course No : Major 10/ POL-Maj-10

Course Title : Public Policy

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Course Objective This course provides thorough understanding of the public policy to the students. This module exposes the students to the world of different kinds of literatures which represent different theories and approaches to these issues. It also explains how citizen's participation is so important for effective implementation of the public policy.

Learning Outcomes

- a. Students will be able to explain about different theories on public policy.
- b. They will be able to explain how to design a good public policy.
- c. They will be able to answer what is needed to ensure the successful implementation of public policy.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Introduction to Public Policy

Meaning of public policy

- Theories of public policy: Elite theory, Incremental theory

Unit II : Public Policy Design and Implementation

- Policy monitoring: Tools and Techniques

- Policy implementation: Agents and Challenges

Unit III : Public Policy Evaluation

- Methods and Techniques of Evaluation

- Agencies of Policy Evaluation

Unit IV : Citizen Initiative and Accountability

- Social Audit

RTI and Citizen Charter

Consumer Protection Act

Basic Readings:

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Course No : Major -11/POL-Maj-11

Course Title : Modern Indian Political Thinkers

Course Objective

This course has been designed to familiarize the students with key ideas of some of political thinkers of modern India whose writings and ideas have impacted the society and polity significantly.

Learning Outcomes

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- a. Students will be able to understand Vivekananda's criticism of the west and his views on Indian nationalism.
- b. They will be able to explain the key ideas of Gandhi.
- c. Students will come to know about the socialistic idea of different Indian political thinkers of modern age.
- d. Students will have a proper understanding of the socio-political and economic ideas of Ambedkar.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Vivekananda and Aurobindo

Concept of Nationalism

Unit II : Ram Manohar Lohia and J.P. Narayan

- Socialist thought and Total Revolution

Unit III : Gandhi

Truth, Non-Violence and Swadeshi

Unit IV : Ambedkar

- Issues of social justice and empowerment of Dalits

Basic Readings:

Doctor, A. (1988). Lohia's Quest for an Autonomous Socialism. *The Indian Journal of Political Science*, 49(3), pp. 312-327.

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Course No : Major- 12/ POL-Maj-12

Course Title : Government and Politics in Arunachal Pradesh

Internship / Field Study

Course Objective

The course is designed to make the students understand politics in Arunachal Pradesh. The course will help the students to understand the evolution of Arunachal Pradesh as a state and working of political

parties.

Learning Outcomes

a. The students will be familiar with government and politics in Arunachal Pradesh

b. They will understand the nature and dynamics of Arunachal politics.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Indigenous Governance System

Characteristics and relevance.

- Assam Frontier (Administration of Justice) Regulation, 1945.

- Indigenous Institutions (Adi, Monpa and Wancho).

Unit II : Evolution pf Panchayati Raj

- Daying Ering Committee Report, 1965

- NEFA- Panchayati Raj Regulation, 1967

- Arunachal Pradesh Panchayati Raj Act, 1997

Unit III : Internship/ Field Study

- Indigenous Institutions of tribes of Arunachal Pradesh.

Political Parties

- Local Self Government (Rural and Urban)

Basic Readings:

Bath Nani, *Electoral Politics in Arunachal Pradesh*, Pilgrims, Varanasi, 2009 Gogoi P.D *NEFA Local Polity*, Unpublished Ph.D Thesis, Delhi University, 1971. Pandey, B.B al (ed), *Tribal Village Councils of Arunachal Pradesh*, Directorate of Research Government of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar, 1999.

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Course No : Minor-5/ POL-Min-05

Course Title : Government and Politics in Arunachal Pradesh

Course Objective

The course is designed to make the students understand politics in Arunachal Pradesh. The course will help the students to understand the evolution of Arunachal Pradesh as a state and working of political

parties.

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Learning Outcomes

a. The students will be familiar with government and politics in Arunachal Pradesh

b. They will understand the nature and dynamics of Arunachal politics.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Indigenous Governance System

- Characteristics and relevance

- Assam Frontier (Administration of Justice) Regulation, 1945

- Indigenous Institutions (Adi, Monpa and Wancho)

Unit II : Constitutional and Administrative Evolution

- Bengal Eastern Frontier Regulation, 1873

- North-East Frontier Agency (Administration) Regulation, 1954

- The State of Arunachal Pradesh Act, 1986

Unit III : Evolution pf Panchayati Raj

- Daying Ering Committee Report, 1965

- NEFA- Panchayati Raj Regulation, 1967

- Arunachal Pradesh Panchayati Raj Act, 1997

Unit IV : Political Party and Electoral Politics

- INC

- PPA

- Determinants of electoral politics

Basic Readings:

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B.A. VI SEMESTER

Course No : Major-13/POL-Maj-13

Course Title : India's Foreign Policy

Course : The course intends to acquaint the students on India's World view,

Objective Geopolitical vision and key principles of India's Foreign Policy.

Learning : a) India's World view, Geopolitical vision and key principles.

Outcomes b) India's Nuclear Policy and Strategy.

c) India's Look East and Act East Policy.

CONTENT :

Unit I : India's Foreign Policy: Principles and Strategies

- Panchsheel and Non-alignment

- Geo-economic Determinants

- Nuclear Doctrine

Unit II : India's Relations with Major Powers

Relations with USARelations with Russia

- Relations with China

Unit III : India: East and West Asia

India's Look East PolicyIndia and the Indian Ocean

India in West Asia- Iran and Israel

Unit IV : India in South Asia

Relations with AfghanistanRelations with PakistanRelations with Bangladesh

Basic Readings:

Brewster, D. (2018). *India & China at Sea: Competition for Naval Domination in the Indian Ocean.* New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

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Course No : Major-14/ POL-Maj-14

Course Title : State Politics in India

Course Objective The Course deals with the Politics in States in India. Besides understanding the different social, demographic, gender, ethnic, linguistic and other variations, which shape their Politics, the common issues of the States that influence the dynamics of Political Questions,

shall be made to understand.

Learning Outcomes

- a) Students will know the approach to understand and explain the State Politics in India
- b) They will be able to explain what are the key issues in State Politics.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Understanding State Politics

Nature and Scope of State PoliticsDeterminants of State Politics in India

Unit II : Issues in State Politics

- Regional Identity, Interest and Aspirations

- Caste and Community Polarization

- State Politics Responding to National Issues

Unit III : State and the Centre

- Emerging Trends in Centre-State Relations

Inter State CouncilSub-nationalism

Unit IV : Inter-State Conflicts

Inter-State Water DisputesInter-State Territory Conflicts

Basic Readings:

Dutt, S. (1998). Identities and the Indian State: An Overview. *Third World Quarterly*, 19(3), pp. 411-434. Mishra, A. (2011). *Rethinking State Politics in India: Regions within Regions*. New Delhi: Routledge.

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Course No : Major-15/ POL-Maj-15

Course Title : Politics in North East India

Course : This paper is intended to acquaint the students with the political

Objective developments and processes in the States of North East India.

Learning : a) Students will come to know about political development of Outcomes North East States.

b) They will have a proper understanding of separatist movements

c) They will come to know about the electoral politics of North

East States.

CONTENT:

Unit I : Political Development

- Bengal Eastern Frontier Regulation, 1873

- Sixth Schedule

Unit II : : Movements for New States

Naga MovementMizo Movement

Unit III : Political Parties and Electoral Politics

National Political Parties (INC and BJP)

- Regional Party (AGP,PPA)

- Students' Movements: All Assam Students' Union (AASU)

Unit IV : Identity Question and Problem of Insurgency

- Refugee Issues

Ethnic Issues and Insurgency

Basic Readings:

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Course No : Major-16/POL-Maj-16

Course Title : Politics in India

Course Objective This course provides students a solid grounding in Indian Politics where they study the extra-constitutional institutions, factors and forces which influence the political discourses and decisions in the

country.

Learning Outcomes

a) Students will be able to explain the ideology, social base and function of key political parties

- b) They will be able to examine and explain the development issues in India, especially in the farm and industrial sectors.
- c) They will be able to understand the electoral politics of India.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Parties and Party System

- Features of Indian Party System

- Coalition and Alliances

- Changing Nature of Regional Political Parties

Unit II : Electoral Politics and Indian Democracy

Election CommissionFree and Fair ElectionElectoral Reforms

Unit III : Identity Politics

Caste MobilizationLinguistic PoliticsDemands for Statehood.

Unit IV : Politics and Development Issues

- Effect of Green revolution on Peasants

Issue of Black MoneyDigital Economy.

Basic Readings:

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Course No : Minor-06/ POL-Min-06

Course Title : Politics in India

Course Objective This course provides students a solid grounding in Indian Politics where they study the extra-constitutional institutions, factors and forces which influence the political discourses and decisions in the country.

Learning Outcomes

a) Students will be able to explain the ideology, social base and function of key political parties

- b) They will be able to examine and explain the development issues in India, especially in the farm and industrial sectors.
- c) They will be able to understand the electoral politics of India.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Parties and Party System

- Features of Indian Party System

- Coalition and Alliances

- Changing Nature of Regional Political Parties

Unit II : Electoral Politics and Indian Democracy

Election CommissionFree and Fair ElectionElectoral Reforms

Unit III : Identity Politics

Caste MobilizationLinguistic PoliticsDemands for Statehood.

Unit IV : Politics and Development Issues

- Effect of Green revolution on Peasants

Issue of Black MoneyDigital Economy.

Basic Readings:

Andersen, W. K. (2014). The Bharatiya Janata Party: A Victory for NarendraModi. In Wallace, P. (Ed.), *India's 2014 Elections: A Modi-led BJP Sweep*. Sage.

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B.A. VII SEMESTER

Course No : Major-17/ POL-Maj-17

Course Title : Understanding Gandhi

Course

This course teaches students the core elements of Gandhian thought

and Gandhi's approach to the key issues of contemporary India.

Learning Outcomes

Objective

a. Students will come to know Gandhian Principles of Truth,

Non-violence and Satyagraha.

b. Students will have a proper understanding of Gandhi's secular

thought.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Core of Gandhian Philosophy

- Truth and Non-Violence

- Satyagraha

Unit II : Man, Machine development and Modern Human civilization

- Gandhi's criticism of Modern Civilization

- Gandhi on Nation and Nationalism

- Swadesh and Swaraj

Unit III : Issues in Indian Politics

- Hindu- Muslim Relation

- Untouchability and Caste Questions

- Gandhi on Women

Unit IV : Gandhi on Religion

- Gandhi's view on Religion and Politics

- Religious Conversion

Basic Readings:

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Coward, H. (2003). Gandhi, Ambedkar, and Untouchability. In Coward, H. (Ed.), *Indian Critiques of Gandhi*. New York: State University of New York Press, pp. 41-66.

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Kishwar, M. (1985). Gandhi on Women. Economic and Political Weekly, 20(41), pp. 1753-1758.

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Course No : Major-18/ POL-Maj-18

Course Title : Feminism

Course Objective The course seeks to understand the theories of feminism, core issues of the feminist movement and feminism in contemporary India.

Learning Outcomes

a) How different schools have understood patriarchy and feminist questions differently.

- b) The origin, evolution and key issues which are at the core of the feminist movement in India.
- c) How the immense contribution that women make to the family are neglected in computation.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Understanding Patriarchy

- Meaning of Patriarchy

- Theories of Feminism (Liberal, Marxist and Feminist)

Unit II : Feminism and Feminist movement

- Origin and Phases of feminist movement

- Feminist movement in India

Unit III : Feminism in contemporary India.

- Patrilineal and Matrilineal practices in Indian family

- Gender relations in family

- Computing women work at home

Unit IV : Violence and Discrimination against women

Sexual HarassmentWomen Trafficking

- Domestic Violence

- Deserted Women

Basic Readings:

Ahmad, S., Nilofer, & Parveen, G. (2008). Women's Political Participation and Changing Pattern of Leadership in Rural Areas of U.P. *The Indian Journal of Political Science*, 69(3), pp. 661-672.

Bannerji, H. (2016). Patriarchy in the Era of Neoliberalism: The Case of India. *Social Scientist*, 44(3/4), pp. 3-27.

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Srivastava, S. (2004). Sexual Harassment of Women at Work Place: Law and Policy. *Indian Journal of Industrial Relations*, 39(3), pp. 364-390.

Course No : Major-19/ POL-Maj-19

Course Title : International Laws

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Course Objective This course is an introduction to international law for the students. There is no aspect of world politics that can be fully understood today without some knowledge of international law and an awareness of how it operates as integral component of world affairs.

Learning Outcomes

- a. Students will be able to know about the existing international legal framework.
- b. Students will be able to understand core concept of international Law.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Nature of International Law

- International Law: Definition and Nature

- Sources of International law: Treaties, Customs and other sources.

Unit II : Recognition and Nationality

- Recognition of States: Theories and Consequences

- Nationality: Modes of acquiring and losing Nationality.

Unit III : International Intercourse

Extraditions: Definition and ConditionsAsylum: Meaning and kinds of Asylum

- Diplomatic Envoys: Functions, Immunities and Privileges

Unit IV : International Organizations

- International Court of Justice

- WTO: Dispute settlement mechanism

- International Labour Organization

Basic Readings:

Thomas Buergenthal, Sean D. Murphy, *Public International Law in a Nutshell* (West Group, 4th Edition, 2006)

Malcoln Nathan Shaw, International Law (Cambridge University Press, 6th Edition 2008)

David Harris, Cases and Materials on International Law (Sweet and Maxwell, 7th Edition 2010)

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Course No : Major-20/ POL-Maj-20

Course Title : Research Methodology

Course Objective The purpose of the course is to expose the student to the world of research in the social sciences and equip them with skills of data collection, data interpretations and use of different methods and

techniques of research.

Learning Outcomes

a. The students will be able to use different tools and techniques in their research

- b. They will learn different tools and techniques of data collection and analysis.
- c. The student will be able to design their research proposal.

CONTENT:

Unit I : Introduction to research in Social Sciences

- Meaning, Nature and Scope

- Sources of Knowledge

- Types of Research (Qualitative and Quantitative)

Unit II : Research Design

Selection and Formulation of a Research Problem

- Designing research proposal

Unit III : Techniques and Tools of data collection

- Sample: Techniques and types of Sampling

- Questionnaire Method

- Interview

- Observation Method

Unit IV : Writing dissertation

- Referencing Style

- Report Writing

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Creswell, J. W. (2003). Research Design: Qualitative, Quantitative, and Mixed Methods Approaches. Sage Publications.

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Course No : Minor-7/ POL-Min-07

Course Title : Research Methodology

Course Objective The purpose of the course is to expose the student to the world of research in the social sciences and equip them with skills of data collection, data interpretations and use of different methods and

techniques of research.

Learning Outcomes

a. The students will be able to use different tools and techniques in their research

- b. They will learn different tools and techniques of data collection and analysis.
- c. The student will be able to design their research proposal.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Introduction to research in Social Sciences

- Meaning, Nature and Scope

Sources of Knowledge

- Types of Research (Qualitative and Quantitative)

Unit II : Research Design

- Selection and Formulation of a Research Problem

- Designing research proposal

Unit III : Techniques and Tools of data collection

- Sample: Techniques and types of sampling

- Ouestionnaire method

- Interview

- Observation method

Unit IV : Writing dissertation

Referencing styleReport Writing

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B.A. VIII SEMESTER

Course No : Major 21/POL-Maj-21

Course Title : Human Rights

Course : This paper intents to provide knowledge about human rights to the

Objective student in a comprehensive manner.

Learning : a) To understand the different issues, problems and challenges of Outcomes human rights in the contemporary world.

b) To sensitise the students about human rights sufferings and identify the cases of human rights violation so that the students can be aware about the sources of remedies for justice.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Understanding Human Rights

- Meaning and development of Human Rights

- Human Rights violation by the state agencies, Police and Para-Military forces.

Unit II : Human Rights Movements in India

- Environmental Movement (Human Right violation and Hydropower)

- Women Movement

Dalit and Tribal Movements in India.

Unit III : Rights of Special Classes

- Persons with disabilities

- Rights of Minorities

- Rights of internally displaced persons

- Child labour and Bonded labour.

Unit IV : Human Rights Education

- Role of Civil Society

- Role of Media.

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Course No Major- 22/ POL-Maj- 22

Course Title **Comparative Constitution**

Course Objective This course gives insights into the structures and institutions of government and the workings of constitutions of some selected countries i.e., the USA, UK, China and Switzerland. These countries

represent a different set of governance.

Learning Outcomes

- a) Students would be able to explain how legislature, executive and Judiciary work in these countries. How they interact with each other in their respective political systems.
- b) They will be able to explain the ways in which the executive, legislature and Judiciary of one country differs from the other.

CONTENT

Unit I : Introduction to the American Constitution

Features of the Constitution

Legislature

Executive

Judiciary

Party System

Unit II **British Constitution**

Features of the Constitution

Legislature

- Executive

Judiciary

Party System

Swiss Constitution Unit III

Features of the Constitution

Legislature

Executive

Judiciary

Party System

Unit IV **Chinese Constitution** :

Features of Constitution

Legislature

Executive

Judiciary

Party System

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Course No : Major- 23/ POL-Maj- 23

Course Title : Colonialism and Nationalism in India

Course Objective The course will expose the students to different schools of understanding colonialism and nationalism in India. They will understand the key religious, cultural organisations and political ideologies and political formations which constituted to and impacted the national mayament of India.

the national movement of India.

Learning Outcomes

- a) The students will be able to examine and explain the impacts of British colonialism in India.
- b) They will know how Indian Nationalism is interpreted differently by different schools of thought.
- c) They will be able to understand why and on what basis the country was partitioned.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Colonialism and Nationalism

- Approaches to understand Colonialism: Liberals and Marxists
- Approaches to Understand Indian Nationalism: Imperialists, Nationalists and Marxists

Unit II : Impact of Colonial Rule in India

- Economic impacts: Theory of Drain of Wealth, Impact on Agriculture, Land and forest.
- Religious Reforms and Identity Consolidation: Arya Samaj, Brahmo Samaj, Indian Muslim League, Hindu Maha Sabha, Rashtriya Swayam Sevak Sangh.

Unit III : The National Movement against the British Rule

- Indian National Congress
- Gandhian Era: Non-Cooperation, Quit India Movement
- Role of Socialists
- Role of AzadHindFauz

Unit IV : Partition of the Country

- Politics of Indian Muslim League and Two Nation Theory
- Basis of Partition and Negotiation for Demarcation of Territory

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Course No : Major-24/ POL-Maj- 24

Course Title : Research Publication Ethics

Course Objective The course intends to identify research misconduct and predatory publications. At the end of the course, the students will have awareness

about publication ethics and publication misconduct.

Learning Outcomes

a) The students will be able to understand the importance of being ethical in carrying out research and publication activities.

b) Students will be able to differentiate between good and bad publishing practices.

CONTENT :

Unit I : Ethics

Meaning of EthicsMoral Philosophy

- Nature of Moral Judgments

Unit II : Scientific Conduct

- Ethics with respect to Social Science Research

Research Integrity

- Plagiarism

Unit III : Publication Ethics

Definition and ImportanceStandards Setting Guidelines

Unit IV : Violation of Publications Ethics

- Identification of Publication Misconduct

- Complaints and Appeals

- Predatory Publishers and Journals

Basic Readings:

Sana Love, Textbook of Research Ethics: Theory and Practice

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Course No : Minor-8/ POL-Min-08

Course Title : Research Publication Ethics

Course Objective The course intends to identify research misconduct and predatory publications. At the end of the course, the students will have

awareness about publication ethics and publication misconduct.

Learning Outcomes

a) The students will be able to understand the importance of being ethical in carrying out research and publication activities.

b) Students will be able to differentiate between good and bad publishing practices.

CONTENT:

Unit I : Ethics

Meaning of EthicsMoral Philosophy

- Nature of Moral Judgments

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