

# **Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)**

Department of Political Science  
Assam University

## **UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMME**

(TO BE EFFECTIVE FROM ACADEMIC YEAR 2016)

SYLLABUS OF  
B.A. HONOURS

(POLITICAL SCIENCE)

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

ASSAM UNIVERSITY

B.A. HONOURS ( POLITICAL SCIENCE)

Sem-ester	Core Course (CC) - 14	Discipline Specific Elective Course (DSEC) - 4	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC) - 2	Skill Enhancement Elective Course (SEC) - Skill Based -2	Generic Elective (GE) - 4
<b>I</b>	<b>PSC - C - 101</b>		<b>AECCI - 101</b>		<b>GE - 101</b>
	<b>PSC - C - 102</b>				
<b>II</b>	<b>PSC - C - 201</b>		<b>AECCII - 201</b>		<b>GE - 201</b>
	<b>PSC - C - 202</b>				
<b>III</b>	<b>PSC - C - 301</b>			<b>SEC - 301</b>	<b>GE - 301</b>
	<b>PSC - C - 302</b>				
	<b>PSC - C - 303</b>				
<b>IV</b>	<b>PSC - C - 401</b>			<b>SEC - 401</b>	<b>GE - 401</b>
	<b>PSC - C - 402</b>				
	<b>PSC - C - 403</b>				
<b>V</b>	<b>PSC - C - 501</b>	<b>DSE - 501</b>			
	<b>PSC - C - 502</b>	<b>DSE - 502</b>			
<b>VI</b>	<b>PSC - C - 601</b>	<b>DSE - 601</b>			
	<b>PSC - C - 602</b>	<b>DSE - 602</b>			
<b>Total</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>04</b>	<b>02</b>	<b>02</b>	<b>04</b>

## **B.A. HONOURS (POLITICAL SCIENCE)**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name of the Course</b>	<b>No. of Paper</b>	<b>Total Credit</b>
A	Core Course (CC)	14	14 x 6 = 84
B	Discipline Specific Elective Course (DSE)	04	4 x 6 = 24
C	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC I & II)	02	2 x 4 = 08
D	Skill Enhancement Elective Course (SEC)– Skill Based	02	2 x 4 = 08
E	Generic Elective(GE)-Unrelated from Discipline	04	4 x 6 = 24
<b>Total Credit</b>		<b>26</b>	<b>148</b>

**SEMESTER WISE STRUCTURE OF THE SYLLABUS**

<b>SEMESTER</b>	<b>NUMBER</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>COURSE</b>
<b>I</b>	PSC – C – 101	Understanding Political Theory	<b>Core Course -</b>
	PSC-H – C – 102	Constitutional Government & Democracy in India	<b>Core Course -</b>
	AECCI – 101	English Communication/MIL	<b>Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECCI)</b>
	GE/DSC – 101	INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL THEORY	<b>Generic Elective -I</b>
<b>SEMESTER</b>	<b>NUMBER</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>COURSE</b>
<b>II</b>	PSC-H-C-201	Political Theory: Concepts & Debates	<b>Core Course -</b>
	PSC-H-C-202	Political Process in India	<b>Core Course -</b>
	AECCII – 201	Environmental Studies	<b>Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECCII)</b>
	GE-H/DSC – 201	<b>INDIAN GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS</b>	<b>Generic Elective – II</b>
<b>SEMESTER</b>	<b>NUMBER</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>COURSE</b>
<b>III</b>	PSC-H-C-301	Introduction to Comparative Government & Politics	<b>Core Course -</b>
	PSC-H-C-302	Perspectives on Public Administration	<b>Core Course -</b>
	PSC-H-C-303	Perspectives on International Relations & World History	<b>Core Course -</b>
	SEC-H-301	Democratic Awareness with Legal Literacy	<b>Skill Enhancement Elective Course (SECI)-Skill Based</b>
	GE-H/DSC – 301	<b>COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS</b>	<b>Generic Elective – III</b>
<b>SEMESTER</b>	<b>NUMBER</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>COURSE</b>
<b>IV</b>	PSC-H-C-401	Political Processes and Institutions in Comparative Perspective	<b>Core Course -</b>
	PSC-H-C-402	Public Policy & Administration in India	<b>Core Course -</b>
	PSC-H-C-403	Global Politics	<b>Core Course -</b>
	SEC-H – 401	Public Opinion and Survey Research	<b>Skill Enhancement Elective Course (SECI)-Skill Based</b>

	GE-H/DSC – 401	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	<b>Generic Elective – IV</b>
<b>SEMESTER</b>	<b>NUMBER</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>COURSE</b>
<b>V</b>	PSC-H-C-501	Classical Political Philosophy	<b>Core Course -</b>
	PSC-H-C-502	Indian Political Thought – I	<b>Core Course -</b>
	DSE-H 501	India's Foreign Policy in a Globalizing World	<b>Discipline Specific Elective (DSE-I)</b>
	DSE-H 502	Human Rights in a Comparative Perspective	<b>Discipline Specific Elective (DSE-II)</b>
<b>SEMESTER</b>	<b>NUMBER</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>COURSE</b>
<b>VI</b>	PSC-H-C-601	Modern Political Philosophy	<b>Core Course - Paper – XIII</b>
	PSC-H-C-602	Indian Political Thought – II	<b>Core Course - Paper – XIV</b>
	DSE-H-601	Development Process and Social Movements in Contemporary India	<b>Discipline Specific Elective (DSE-III)</b>
	DSE-H-602	Freedom Movement in Northeast India	<b>Discipline Specific Elective (DSE-IV)</b>

**Note: Four Generic Elective (GE) Courses of Honours are the Discipline Specific Core (DSC) of Pass**

## A) CORE COURSE (CC)

<b>PSC-H-C- 101 UNDERSTANDING POLITICAL THEORY</b> <b>Credits: 06</b> <b>Full Marks: 100</b> <b>External (70) Internal (30)</b>		
<b>2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit</b>		
Unit	Topics	Lectures
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Political Theory: Meaning and Functions</li> <li>➤ Traditions of Political Theory: Liberal, Marxist, Anarchist and Conservative</li> </ul>	
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Approaches to Political Theory: Normative, Historical and Empirical</li> </ul>	
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Contemporary Perspectives in Political Theory: Feminist and Postmodern</li> </ul>	
4	<b>Political Theory and Practicel</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Democracy: The history of the idea</li> <li>➤ Procedural Democracy and its critique</li> </ul>	
5	<b>Political Theory and Practicell</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Deliberative Democracy</li> <li>➤ Participation &amp; Representation</li> </ul>	

### Essential Readings

#### I: Introducing Political Theory

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. (ed.) *Theories and Concepts of Politics*. New York: Manchester University Press, pp. 1-14.

Glaser, D. (1995) 'Normative Theory', in Marsh, D. and Stoker, G. (eds.) *Theory and Methods in Political Science*. London: Macmillan, pp. 21-40.

Sanders, D. (1995) 'Behavioral Analysis', in Marsh, D. and Stoker, G. (eds.) *Theory and Methods in Political Science*. London: Macmillan, pp. 58-75.

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.

Bannett, J. (2004) 'Postmodern Approach to Political Theory', in Kukathas, Ch. and Gaus, G. F. (eds.) *Handbook of Political Theory*. New Delhi: Sage, pp. 46-54.

Vincent, A. (2004) *The Nature of Political Theory*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2004, pp. 19-80.

## II: The Grammar of Democracy

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

Owen, D. (2003) 'Democracy', in Bellamy, R. and Mason, A. (eds.) *Political Concepts*. Manchester and New York: Manchester University Press, pp. 105-117.

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

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

Roy, A. 'Citizenship', in Bhargava, R. and Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 130-146.

<b>PSC-H-C-102- Constitutional Government and Democracy in India</b> <b>Credits: 06</b> <b>Full Marks: 100</b> <b>External (70) Internal (30)</b> <b>2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit</b>		
<b>Unit</b>	<b>Topics</b>	<b>Lectures</b>
1	a. Philosophy of the Constitution, the Preamble, and Features of the Constitution b. Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles	
2	The Executive: President, Prime Minister and Union Council of Ministers	
3	a. The Legislature: Parliament b. The Judiciary: Supreme Court	
4	Federalism: Centre-State relations, Division of Powers, Emergency Provisions	
5	Panchayati Raj, Municipalities and Fifth and Sixth Schedules	

## Essential Readings

### I. The Constituent Assembly and the Constitution

#### a. Philosophy of the Constitution, the Preamble, and Features of the Constitution

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.

#### Additional Reading:

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.

#### b. Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles

G. Austin, (2000) 'The Social Revolution and the First Amendment', in *Working a Democratic Constitution*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 69-98.

A. Sibal, (2010) 'From Niti to Nyaya,' *Seminar*, Issue 615, pp 28-34.

#### Additional Reading:

*The Constitution of India: Bare Act with Short Notes*, (2011) New Delhi: Universal, pp. 4-16.

### II. Organs of Government

#### a. The Legislature: Parliament

B. Shankar and V. Rodrigues, (2011) 'The Changing Conception of Representation: Issues, Concerns and Institutions', in *The Indian Parliament: A Democracy at Work*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 105-173.

V. Hewitt and S. Rai, (2010) 'Parliament', in P. Mehta and N. Jayal (eds.) *The Oxford Companion to Politics in India*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 28-42.

#### b. The Executive: President and Prime Minister

J. Manor, (2005) 'The Presidency', in D. Kapur and P. Mehta P. (eds.) *Public Institutions in India*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp.105-127.

J. Manor, (1994) 'The Prime Minister and the President', in B. Dua and J. Manor (eds.) *Nehruto the Nineties: The Changing Office of the Prime Minister in India*, Vancouver: University of British Columbia Press, pp. 20-47.

H. Khare, (2003) 'Prime Minister and the Parliament: Redefining Accountability in the Age of Coalition Government', in A. Mehra and G. Kueck (eds.) *The Indian Parliament: A Comparative Perspective*, New Delhi: Konark, pp. 350-368.

#### c. The Judiciary: Supreme Court

U. Baxi, (2010) 'The Judiciary as a Resource for Indian Democracy', *Seminar*, Issue 615, pp.61-67.

R. Ramachandran, (2006) 'The Supreme Court and the Basic Structure Doctrine' in B. Kirpalet.al (eds.) *Supreme but not Infallible: Essays in Honour of the Supreme Court of India*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 107-133.

#### Additional Reading:

L. Rudolph and S. Rudolph, (2008) 'Judicial Review Versus Parliamentary Sovereignty', in *Explaining Indian Institutions: A Fifty Year Perspective, 1956-2006: Volume 2: The Realm of Institutions: State Formation and Institutional Change*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 183-210.



### III. Federalism and Decentralization

#### a. Federalism: Division of Powers, Emergency Provisions, Fifth and Sixth Schedules

M. Singh, and R. Saxena (eds.), (2011) 'Towards Greater Federalization,' in *Indian Politics: Constitutional Foundations and Institutional Functioning*, Delhi: PHI Learning Private Ltd., pp.166-195.

V. Marwah, (1995) 'Use and Abuse of Emergency Powers: The Indian Experience', in B. Arora and D. Verney (eds.) *Multiple Identities in a Single State: Indian Federalism in a Comparative Perspective*, Delhi: Konark, pp. 136-159.

B. Sharma, (2010) 'The 1990s: Great Expectations'; 'The 2000s: Disillusionment Unfathomable', in *Unbroken History of Broken Promises: Indian State and Tribal People*,

Delhi: Freedom Press and Sahyog Pustak Kuteer, pp. 64-91. *The Constitution of India: Bare Act with Short Notes*, (2011) New Delhi: Universal, pp 192-213.

#### Additional Readings:

R. Dhavan and R. Saxena, (2006) 'The Republic of India', in K. Roy, C. Saunders and J. Kincaid (eds.) *A Global Dialogue on Federalism*, Volume 3, Montreal: Queen's University Press, pp.166-197.

R. Manchanda, (2009) *The No Nonsense Guide to Minority Rights in South Asia*, Delhi: Sage Publications, pp. 105-109.

#### b. Panchayati Raj and Municipalities

P. deSouza, (2002) 'Decentralization and Local Government: The Second Wind of Democracy in India', in Z. Hasan, E. Sridharan and R. Sudarshan (eds.) *India's Living Constitution: Ideas, Practices and Controversies*, New Delhi: Permanent Black, pp. 370-404.

M. John, (2007) 'Women in Power? Gender, Caste and Politics of Local Urban Governance', in *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol. 42(39), pp. 3986-3993.

Raghunandan, J. R (2012) *Decentralization and local governments: The Indian Experience*, Orient Black Swan, New Delhi

Baviskar, B.S and George Mathew (eds) 2009 *Inclusion and Exclusion in local governance: Field Studies from rural India*, New Delhi, Sage.

**PSC-H-C-201-POLITICAL THEORY – CONCEPTS AND DEBATES**

**Credits: 06**

**Full Marks: 100**

**External (70) Internal (30)**

**2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit**

<b>Units</b>	<b>Topics</b>	<b>Lectures</b>
1	<b><u>Section A: Core Concepts</u></b> Importance of Freedom a) Negative Freedom: Liberty b) Positive Freedom: Freedom as Emancipation and Development	
2	<b><u>Significance of Equality</u></b> a) Formal Equality: Equality of opportunity b) Political equality c) Egalitarianism: Background inequalities and differential treatment	
3	<b><u>Indispensability of Justice</u></b> a) Procedural Justice b) Distributive Justice c) Global Justice	
4	<b><u>The Universality of Rights</u></b> a) Natural Rights b) Moral and Legal Rights c) Three Generations of Rights	
5	<b><u>Section B: Major Debates</u></b> I. Human Rights: Universalism vs cultural relativism. II. Multiculturalism and Toleration.	

**Essential Readings**

**Section A: Core Concepts**

**I. Importance of Freedom**

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.

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

## **II. Significance of Equality**

Swift, Adam. (2001) *Political Philosophy: A Beginners Guide for Student's and Politicians*. Cambridge: Polity Press, pp. 91-132.

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

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

## **III. Indispensability of Justice**

Menon, Krishna. (2008) 'Justice', in Bhargava, Rajeev and Acharya, Ashok. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 74-86.

Wolf, Jonathan. (2008) 'Social Justice', in McKinnon, Catriona. (ed.) *Issues in Political Theory*. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 172-187.

Swift, Adam. (2001) *Political Philosophy: A Beginners Guide for Student's and Politicians*. Cambridge: Polity Press, pp. 9-48.

Knowles, Dudley. (2001) *Political Philosophy*. London: Routledge, pp. 177-238.

McKinnon, Catriona. (ed.) (2008) *Issues in Political Theory*. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 289-305.

Bedau, Hugo Adam. (2003) 'Capital Punishment', in LaFollette, Hugh (ed.). *The Oxford Handbook of Practical Ethics*. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 705-733.

## **IV. The Universality of Rights**

Seglow, Jonathan. (2003) 'Multiculturalism' in Bellamy, Richard and Mason, Andrew (eds.). *Political Concepts*. Manchester: Manchester University Press, pp. 156-168.

Tulkdar, P.S. (2008) 'Rights' in Bhargava, Rajeev and Acharya, Ashok. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Pearson Longman, pp. 88-104.

McKinnon, Catriona. (2003) 'Rights', in Bellamy, Richard and Mason, Andrew. (eds.) *Political Concepts*. Manchester: Manchester University Press, pp. 16-27.

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)

## **Section B: Major Debates**

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.

Seglow, Jonathan, 'Multiculturalism' in Bellamy, Richard and Mason, Andrew. (eds.) *Political Concepts*, Manchester: Manchester University Press, pp. 156-168.

<b>PSC-H-C-202 POLITICAL PROCESS IN INDIA</b>		
<b>Credits: 06</b>		
<b>Full Marks: 100</b>		
<b>External (70) Internal (30)</b>		
<b>2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit</b>		
<b>Units</b>	<b>Topics</b>	<b>Lectures</b>
1	Political Parties and the Party System, Trends in the Party System; From the Congress System to Multi-Party Coalitions	
2	Determinants of Voting Behaviour: Caste, Class, Gender and Religion	
3	Regional Aspirations: The Politics of Secession and Accommodation	
4	Religion and Politics: Debates on Secularism; Minority and Majority Communalism	
5	Caste and Politics: Caste in Politics and the Politicization of Caste/ Affirmative Action Policies: Women, Caste and Class	

### **Essential Readings**

#### **I. Political Parties and the Party System: Trends in the Party System; From the Congress System to Multi-Party Coalitions**

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.

#### **Additional Reading:**

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.

#### **II. Determinants of Voting Behaviour: Caste, Class, Gender and Religion**

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.

C. Jaffrelot, (2008) 'Why Should We Vote? The Indian Middle Class and the Functioning of World's Largest Democracy', in *Religion, Caste and Politics in India*, Delhi: Primus, pp. 604-619.

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

S. Kumar, (2009) 'Religious Practices Among Indian Hindus,' *Japanese Journal of Political Science*, Vol. 10, No. 3, pp. 313-332.

### **III. Regional Aspirations: The Politics of Secession and Accommodation**

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.

### **IV. Religion and Politics: Debates on Secularism: Minority and Majority Communalism**

T. Pantham, (2004) 'Understanding Indian Secularism: Learning from its Recent Critics', in R. Vora and S. Palshikar (eds.) *Indian Democracy: Meanings and Practices*, New Delhi: Sage, pp. 235-256.

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, pp.36-60.

#### **Additional Reading:**

N. Chandhoke, (2010) 'Secularism', in P. Mehta and N. Jayal (eds.) *The Oxford Companion to Politics in India*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 333-346.

### **V. Caste and Politics: Caste in Politics and the Politicization of Caste**

R. Kothari, (1970) 'Introduction', in *Caste in Indian Politics*, Delhi: Orient Longman, pp.3-25.

M. Weiner, (2001) 'The Struggle for Equality: Caste in Indian Politics', in AtulKohli (ed.) *The Success of India's Democracy*, New Delhi: Cambridge University Press, pp. 193-225.

G. Omvedt, (2002) 'Ambedkar and After: The Dalit Movement in India', in G. Shah (ed.) *Social Movements and the State*, New Delhi: Sage Publications, pp. 293-309.

### **VI. Affirmative Action Policies: Women, Caste and Class**

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.

### **VII. Changing Nature of the Indian State: Developmental, Welfare and Coercive Dimensions**

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.

R. Deshpande, (2005) 'State and Democracy in India: Strategies of Accommodation and Manipulation', Occasional Paper, Series III, No. 4, Special Assistance Programme, Department of Politics and Public Administration, University of Pune.

M. Mohanty, (1989) 'Duality of the State Process in India: A Hypothesis', *BhartiyaSamajikChintan*, Vol. XII (1-2)

#### **Additional Readings:**

T. Byres, (1994) 'Introduction: Development Planning and the Interventionist State Versus Liberalization and the Neo-Liberal State: India, 1989-1996', in T. Byres (ed.) *The State, Development Planning and Liberalization in India*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 1994, pp.1-35.

A. Verma, (2007) 'Police Agencies and Coercive Power', in S. Ganguly, L. Diamond and M. Plattner (eds.) *The State of India's Democracy*, Baltimore: John Hopkins University Press, pp.130-139.

<b>PSC-H-C 301-INTRODUCTION TO COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS</b> <b>Credits: 06</b> <b>Full Marks: 100</b> <b>External (70) Internal (30)</b> <b>2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit</b>		
Units	Topics	Lectures
1	a. Comparative Politics: Nature and scope b. Going beyond Eurocentrism	
2	Capitalism: meaning and development: globalization	
3	Socialism: meaning, growth and development	
4	Colonialism and decolonization: meaning, context, forms of colonialism; anti-colonialism, struggles and process of decolonization	
5	A comparative study of constitutional developments: Britain, Nigeria, Bangladesh and China	

## Essential Readings

### I. Understanding Comparative Politics

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.

M. Mohanty, (1975) 'Comparative Political Theory and Third World Sensitivity', in *Teaching Politics*, Nos. 1 and 2, pp. 22-38

### Additional Readings:

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<b>PSC-H-C-302- PERSPECTIVES ON PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION</b> <b>Credits: 06</b> <b>Full Marks: 100</b> <b>External (70) Internal (30)</b> <b>2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit</b>		
Units	Topics	Lectures
1	<b>PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AS A DISCIPLINE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Meaning, Dimensions and Significance of the Discipline</li> <li>➤ Public and Private Administration</li> <li>➤ Evolution of Public Administration</li> </ul>	
2	<b>THEORETICAL PERSPECTIVES</b> <b>CLASSICAL THEORIES</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Scientific management (F.W.Taylor)</li> <li>➤ Administrative Management (Gullick, Urwick and Fayol)</li> <li>➤ Ideal-type bureaucracy (Max Weber)</li> </ul>	
3	<b>NEO-CLASSICAL THEORIES</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Human relations theory (Elton Mayo)</li> <li>➤ Rational decision-making (Herbert Simon)</li> </ul> <b>CONTEMPORARY THEORIES</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Ecological approach (Fred Riggs)</li> <li>➤ Innovation and Entrepreneurship (Peter Drucker)</li> </ul>	
4	<b>PUBLIC POLICY</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Concept, relevance and approaches</li> <li>➤ Formulation, implementation and evaluation</li> </ul>	
5	<b>MAJOR APPROACHES IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ New Public Administration</li> <li>➤ New Public Management</li> <li>➤ New Public Service Approach</li> <li>➤ Good Governance</li> <li>➤ Feminist Perspectives</li> </ul>	

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#### Meaning, Dimensions and Significance of the Discipline.

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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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## **II. Theoretical Perspectives**

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### **Innovation and Entrepreneurship**

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## **III. Public Policy**

### **Concept, Relevance and Approaches**

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### **Formulation, implementation and evaluation**

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## **IV. Major Approaches in Public Administration**

### **a. Development administration**

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### **b. New Public Administration**

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### **e. Good Governance**

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**PSC-H-C-303-PERSPECTIVES ON INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND WORLD HISTORY**

**Credits: 06**

**Full Marks: 100**

**External (70) Internal (30)**

**2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit**

Units	Topics	Lectures
1	Understanding International Relations: Levels of Analysis ii. History and IR: Emergence of the International State System iii. Post-Westphalia	
2	i Classical Realism & Neo-Realism ii. Liberalism & Neoliberalism iii. Marxist Approaches iv. Feminist Perspectives	
3	i. World War I: Causes and Consequences ii. Significance of the Bolshevik Revolution iii. Rise of Fascism / Nazism iv. World War II: Causes and Consequences	
4	i Cold War: Different Phases ii. Emergence of the Third World iii. Collapse of the USSR and the End of the Cold War	
5	Post-Cold War Developments and Emergence of Other Power Centers	

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**(c) Rise of Fascism / Nazism**

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**(g) Collapse of the USSR and the End of the Cold War**

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**PSC-H-C-401-POLITICAL PROCESSES AND INSTITUTIONS IN COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVE**

**Credits: 06**

**Full Marks: 100**

**External (70) Internal (30)**

**2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit**

Unit	Topics	Lectures
1	<b>Approaches to Studying Comparative Politics</b> a. Political Culture b. New Institutionalism	
2	<b>Electoral System:</b> Definition and procedures: Types of election system (First Past the Post, Proportional Representation, Mixed Representation)	
3	<b>Party System:</b> Historical contexts of emergence of the party system and types of parties	
4	<b>Nation-state:</b> Historical evolution in Western Europe and postcolonial contexts 'Nation' and 'State': debates	
5	<b>Federalism:</b> Historical context of Federation and Confederation: debates around territorial division of power.	

**Essential Readings:**

**I: Approaches to Studying Comparative Politics**

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**VI: Federalism**

M. Burgess, (2006) *Comparative Federalism: Theory and Practice*. London: Routledge, pp. 135-161.

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

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**PSC-H-C-402-PUBLIC POLICY AND ADMINISTRATION IN INDIA**

**Credits: 06**

**Full Marks: 100**

**External (70) Internal (30)**

**2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit**

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Topics</b>	<b>Lectures</b>
1	<b>Public Policy</b> a. Definition, characteristics and models b. Public Policy Process in India	
2	<b>Decentralization</b> a. Meaning, significance and approaches and types b. Local Self Governance: Rural and Urban	
3	<b>Budget</b> a. Concept and Significance of Budget b. Budget Cycle in India c. Various Approaches and Types of Budgeting	
4	<b>Citizen and Administration Interface</b> a. Public Service Delivery b. Redressal of Public Grievances: RTI, Lokpal, Citizens' Charter and E-Governance	
5	<b>Social Welfare Administration</b> a. Concept and Approaches of Social Welfare b. Social Welfare Policies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Education: Right To Education,</li><li>• Health: National Health Mission, .</li><li>• Food: Right To Food Security</li><li>• Employment: MNREGA</li></ul>	

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Gabriel Almond and Sidney Verba, *The Civic Culture*, Boston: Little Brown, 1965

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Erik-Lane, J. (2005) *Public Administration and Public Management: The Principal Agent Perspective*. New York: Routledge

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<b>PSC-H-C-403 GLOBAL POLITICS</b>		
<b>Credits: 06</b>		
<b>Full Marks: 100</b>		
<b>External (70) Internal (30)</b>		
<b>2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit</b>		
<b>Unit</b>	<b>Topics</b>	<b>Lectures</b>
1	a. Understanding Globalization and its Alternative Perspectives b. Political: Debates on Sovereignty and Territoriality	
2	a Global Economy: Its Significance and Anchors of Global Political Economy: IMF, b. World Bank, WTO, TNCs c. Cultural and Technological Dimension d. Global Resistances (Global Social Movements and NGOs)	
3	a. Ecological Issues: Historical Overview of International Environmental Agreements, Climate Change b. Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons	
4	a International Terrorism: Non-State Actors and State Terrorism; Post 9/11 developments b Migration c. Human Security	
5	Global Politics: Relevance of U.N.O	

## **Essential Readings:**

### **I. Globalization – Conceptions and Perspectives**

#### **Understanding Globalization and its Alternative Perspectives**

G. Ritzer, (2010) *Globalization: A Basic Text*, Sussex: Wiley-Blackwell, pp. 33-62.

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D. Held et al, (1999) *Global Transformations: Politics, Economics and Culture*, California: Stanford University Press, pp. 242-282 (MNC).

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#### **Global Resistances (Global Social Movements and NGOs)**

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### **International Terrorism: Non-State Actors and State Terrorism; Post 9/11 developments**

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**PSC-H-C-501-CLASSICAL POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY**

**Credits: 06**

**Full Marks: 100**

**External (70) Internal (30)**

**2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit**

Unit	Topics	Lectures
1	Early Greek Political Thinkers; Socrates, Sophists	
2	Plato - Philosophy and Politics, Theory of Forms, Justice, Philosopher King/Queen, Communism	
3	Aristotle: Forms, Virtue, Citizenship, Justice, State and Household	
4	Machiavelli - Virtu, Religion, Republicanism	
5	Hobbes - Human nature, State of Nature, Social Contract, State Locke - Laws of Nature, Natural Rights, Property,	

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**I. Text and Interpretation**

T. Ball, (2004) 'History and Interpretation' in C. Kukathas and G. Gaus, (eds.) *Handbook of Political Theory*, London: Sage Publications Ltd. pp. 18-30.

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J. Coleman, (2000) 'Introduction', in *A History of Political Thought: From Ancient Greece to Early Christianity*, Oxford: Blackwell Publishers, pp. 1-20.

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R. Kraut, (1996) 'The Defence of Justice in Plato's Republic', in R. Kraut (ed.) *The Cambridge Companion to Plato*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, pp. 311-337

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D. Hutchinson, (1995) 'Ethics', in J. Barnes, (ed.), *The Cambridge Companion to Aristotle* Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, pp. 195-232.

### **III. Interlude:**

#### **Machiavelli**

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Q. Skinner, (2000) 'The Adviser to Princes', in *Machiavelli: A Very Short Introduction*, Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 23-53

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#### **Additional Reading:**

Q. Skinner, (2000) 'The Theorist of Liberty', in *Machiavelli: A Very Short Introduction*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 54-87.

### **IV. Possessive Individualism**

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D. Baumgold, (2009) 'Hobbes', in D. Boucher and P. Kelly (eds) *Political Thinkers: From Socrates to the Present*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 189-206.

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**PSC-H-C-502 INDIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT – I****Credits: 06****Full Marks: 100****External (70) Internal (30)**

**2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit**

Unit	Topics	Lectures
1	<b>Traditions of Pre-colonial Indian Political Thought</b> a. Brahmanic and Shramanic b. Islamic and Syncretic	
2	<b>Ved Vyasa (Shantiparva): Rajadharma</b>	
3	<b>Manu: Social Laws, Kautilya: Theory of State</b>	
4	<b>Barani: Political Philosophy</b>	
5	<b>Abul Fazal: Monarchy, Kabir: Syncretism</b>	

**Essential Readings:****I. Traditions of Pre-modern Indian Political Thought:**

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.

S. Saberwal, (2008) 'Medieval Legacy', in *Spirals of Contention*, New Delhi: Routledge, pp.1-

## **II. Ved Vyasa (Shantiparva): Rajadharma**

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V. Varma, (1974) *Studies in Hindu Political Thought and Its Metaphysical Foundations*, Delhi: Motilal Banarsidass, pp. 211- 230.

B. Chaturvedi, (2006) 'Dharma-The Foundation of Raja-Dharma, Law and Governance', in *The Mahabharata: An Inquiry in the Human Condition*, Delhi: Orient Longman, pp. 418- 464.

## **III. Manu: Social Laws**

Manu, (2006) 'Rules for Times of Adversity', in P. Olivelle, (ed. & trans.) *Manu's Code of Law: A Critical Edition and Translation of the Manava- Dharmasastra*, New Delhi: OUP, pp. 208-213.

V. Mehta, (1992) 'The Cosmic Vision: Manu', in *Foundations of Indian Political Thought*, Delhi: Manohar, pp. 23- 39.

R. Sharma, (1991) 'Varna in Relation to Law and Politics (c 600 BC-AD 500)', in *Aspects of Political Ideas and Institutions in Ancient India*, Delhi: Motilal Banarsidass, pp. 233- 251.

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## **IV. Kautilya: Theory of State**

Kautilya, (1997) 'The Elements of Sovereignty' in R. Kangle (ed. and trans.), *Arthashastra of Kautilya*, New Delhi: Motilal Publishers, pp. 511- 514.

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### **Additional Reading:**

J. Spellman, (1964) 'Principle of Statecraft', in *Political Theory of Ancient India: A Study of Kingship from the Earliest time to Circa AD 300*, Oxford: Clarendon Press, pp. 132- 170.

## **V. Agganna Sutta (Digha Nikaya): Theory of Kingship**

S. Collins, (ed), (2001) *Agganna Sutta: An Annotated Translation*, New Delhi: Sahitya Academy, pp. 44-49.

S. Collins, (2001) 'General Introduction', in *Agganna Sutta: The Discussion on What is Primary (An Annotated Translation from Pali)*, Delhi: Sahitya Akademi, pp. 1- 26.

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L. Jayasurya, 'Buddhism, Politics and Statecraft', Available at [ftp.buddhism.org/Publications/.../Voll1\\_03\\_Laksiri%20Jayasuriya.pdf](http://ftp.buddhism.org/Publications/.../Voll1_03_Laksiri%20Jayasuriya.pdf); Accessed: 19.04.2013.

## **VI. Barani: Ideal Polity**

I. Habib, (1998) 'Ziya Barni's Vision of the State', in *The Medieval History Journal*, Vol. 2, (1), pp. 19- 36.

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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

## **VII. Abul Fazal: Monarchy**

A. Fazl, (1873) *The Ain-i Akbari* (translated by H. Blochmann), Calcutta: G. H. Rouse, pp. 47-57.

V. Mehta, (1992) 'The Imperial Vision: Barni and Fazal', in *Foundations of Indian Political Thought*, Delhi: Manohar, pp. 134- 156.

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## **VIII. Kabir: Syncreticism**

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V. Mehta, (1992) *Foundation of Indian Political Thought*, Delhi: Manohar, pp. 157- 183.

G. Omvedt, (2008) 'Kabir and Ravidas, Envisioning Begumpura', in *Seeking Begumpura: The Social Vision of Anti Caste Intellectual*, Delhi: Navayana, pp. 91- 107.

### **Additional Reading:**

L. Hess and S. Singh, (2002) 'Introduction', in *The Bijak of Kabir*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 3- 35.

**PSC-H-C-601 MODERN POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY**

**Credits: 06**

**Full Marks: 100**

**External (70) Internal (30)**

**2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit**

Unit	Topics	Lectures
1	Jean Jacques Rousseau: General Will; local or direct democracy; self-government; origin of inequality.	
2	Mary Wollstonecraft: Women and paternalism; critique of Rousseau's idea of education; legal rights	
3	John Stuart Mill: Liberty, suffrage and subjection of women, right of minorities; utility principle	
4	Karl Marx: Historical Materialism; Alienation, class struggle	
5	Antonio Gramsci: State and Hegemony	

**Essential Readings:**

**I. Modernity and its discourses**

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S. Hall (1992) 'Introduction', in *Formations of Modernity* UK: Polity Press pages 1-16.

**II. Romantics**

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M. Keens-Soper, (2003) 'Jean Jacques Rousseau: The Social Contract', in M. Forsyth and M. Keens-Soper, (eds) *A Guide to the Political Classics: Plato to Rousseau*. New York: Oxford University Press, pp. 171-202.

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<b>PSC-H-C-602 INDIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT II</b> <b>Credits: 06</b> <b>Full Marks: 100</b> <b>External (70) Internal (30)</b> <b>2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit</b>		
Unit	Topics	Lectures
1	Introduction to Modern Indian Political Thought	
2	Rammohan Roy: Rights, Tagore: Critique of Nationalism , Vivekananda: Ideal Society	

3	Pandita Ramabai: Gender	
4	Gandhi: Swaraj, Ambedkar: Social Justice, Savarkar: Hindutva	
5	Iqbal: Community, Nehru: Secularism, Lohia: Socialism	

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**B) GENERIC ELECTIVE (GE) (Unrelated)**

<b>GE-H-101/DSC101: INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL THEORY</b>		
<b>Credits: 06</b>		
<b>Full Marks: 100</b>		
<b>External (70) Internal (30)</b>		
<b>2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit</b>		
<b>Units.</b>	<b>Topics</b>	<b>Lectures</b>
1	Politics, Political Theory: Meaning and relevance	
2	Concepts I: Democracy, Liberty, Equality, Justice	
3	Concepts II: Citizenship, Rights, Civil Society and State	
4	Debates in Political Theory I: a. Democracy and economic growth? b. Censorship: Justification and limits	

5	Debates in Political Theory I: a. Protective Discrimination; Meaning, Principles of fairness? b. State intervention in the institution of the family	

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<b>GE-H-201/DSC201: INDIAN GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS</b> <b>Credits: 06</b> <b>Full Marks: 100</b> <b>External (70) Internal (30)</b>		
<b>2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit</b>		
Units	Topics	Lectures
1	a. Indian Constitution: Philosophy, Basic features, Debates on b. Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles	
2	Institutional Functioning: President, Prime Minister, Parliament and Judiciary	
3	a. Power Structure in India: Caste, class and patriarchy b. Religion and Politics: Debates on secularism and communalism	

4	a. Parties and Party systems in India b. Social Movements : Workers, Peasants, Environmental and Women's Movement	
5	Strategies of Development in India since Independence: Planned Economy and Neo-liberalism	

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<b>GE-H- 301/DSC301: COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS</b> <b>Credits: 06</b> <b>Full Marks: 100</b> <b>External (70) Internal (30)</b> <b>2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit</b>		
Units	Topics	Lectures
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: Switzerland and China	
4	a) Electoral Systems: First past the post, proportional representation, mixed systems. b) Party Systems: one-party, two-party and multi-party systems	
5	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.	

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Poggi, Gianfranco. (2008) 'The nation-state', in Caramani, D. (ed.) *Comparative Politics*. Oxford: Oxford University Press pp. 85-107.

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**GE-H- 401/DSC401: INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS**

**Credits: 06**

**Full Marks: 100**

**External (70) Internal (30)**

**2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit**

Units	Topics	Lectures
1	<b>Approaches to International Relations:</b> a) Classical Realism (Hans Morgenthau) and Neo-Realism (Kenneth Waltz) b) Neo-Liberalism	

2	Structural Approaches: World Systems Approach (Immanuel Wallerstein) and Dependency School (Andre Gunder Frank)	
3	Cold War: Origin, Causes and Consequences, End of the Cold War	
4	India's Foreign Policy I: Basic Determinants (Historical, Geo-Political, Economic, Domestic and Strategic)	
5	India's Foreign Policy II: India's Policy of Non-alignment, India: An Emerging Power	

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Indian Foreign Service Institute. (1997, 1998) *India's Foreign Policy: An Agenda for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century* Vols. 1 & 2, New Delhi: Konark Publishers, pp. 3-41; 102-119.

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## C) Discipline Specific Elective

<b>DSE-H-501: INDIA'S FOREIGN POLICY IN A GLOBALIZING WORLD</b>		
<b>Credits: 06</b>		
<b>Full Marks: 100</b>		
<b>External (70) Internal (30)</b>		
<b>2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit</b>		
<b>Unit</b>	<b>Topics</b>	<b>Lectures</b>
1	India's Foreign Policy: From a Postcolonial State to an Aspiring Global Power	
2	India's Relations with the USA and the USSR/Russia	
3	India's Engagements with China	
4	India in South Asia: Debating Regional Strategies	
5	India's Negotiating Style and Strategies: Trade, Environment and Security Regimes- India in the Contemporary Multipolar World	

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

S. Mehrotra, (1990) 'Indo-Soviet Economic Relations: Geopolitical and Ideological Factors', in *India and the Soviet Union: Trade and Technology Transfer*, Cambridge University Press: Cambridge, pp. 8-28.

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**DSE-H- 502: HUMAN RIGHTS IN A COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVE****Credits: 06****Full Marks: 100****External (70) Internal (30)****2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit**

Unit	Topics	Lectures
1	<b>Human Rights: Theory and Institutionalization</b> a. Understanding Human Rights: Three Generations of Rights b. Institutionalization: Universal Declaration of Human Rights	
2	a. Rights in National Constitutions: South Africa and India	
3	<b>Issues</b> a. Torture: USA and India b. Surveillance and Censorship: China and India c. Terrorism and Insecurity of Minorities: USA and India	
4	<b>Structural Violence</b> a. Caste and Race: South Africa and India b. Gender and Violence: India and Pakistan	
5	Adivasis/Aboriginals and the Land Question: Australia and India	

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<b>DSE-H- 601: Development Process &amp; Social Movements in Contemporary India</b> <b>Credits: 06</b> <b>Full Marks: 100</b> <b>External (70) Internal (30)</b> <b>2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit</b>		
Unit	Topics	Lectures
1	<b>Development Process since Independence</b> a. State and planning b. Liberalization and reforms	
2	<b>Industrial Development Strategy and its Impact on the Social Structure</b> a. Mixed economy, privatization, the impact on organized and unorganized labour b. Emergence of the new middle class	
3	<b>Agrarian Development Strategy and its Impact on the Social Structure</b> a. Land Reforms, Green Revolution b. Agrarian crisis since the 1990s and its impact on farmers	
4	<b>Social Movements</b> a. Tribal, Peasant, Dalit and Women's movements	
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<b>DSE-H-602: FREEDOM MOVEMENT AND POLITICS IN NORTH EAST INDIA</b> <b>Credits: 06</b> <b>Full Marks: 100</b> <b>External (70) Internal (30)</b> <b>2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit</b>		
Unit	Topics	Lectures
1	a) Geopolitical and Historical Profile of North East in the 19 <sup>th</sup> . Century- British Annexation and the Amalgamation of Sylhet and Cachar to Assam and its Consequences b) Nature and Growth of Freedom Struggle in different parts of the North East in the 19 <sup>th</sup> Century	
2	a) Formation of the Indian National Congress-the Moderate and the Militant Phase and their Impact on the North East b) Gandhian Era and the Northeast - Non Cooperation Movement, Civil Disobedience Movement and Quit India Movement	
3	a) North East in the Twilight of Independence - Cabinet Mission, the Grouping Plan and Partition	
4	a) Congress and Muslim League Politics in the North East b) Referendum and the Transfer of Sylhet to Pakistan and its Consequences	
5	a) Politics of Immigration before and after Independence b) Language Politics and Re-organisation of Assam, Anti-foreigners Agitation in Assam and its Consequences in the North East c) Autonomy / Statehood Movements, Insurgency and its Impact	

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D) SKILL ENHANCEMENT ELECTIVE COURSE(SEC)- SKILL BASED

<b>SEC-H-301: DEMOCRATIC AWARENESS WITH LEGAL LITERACY</b> <b>Credits: 04</b> <b>Full Marks: 100</b> <b>External (70) Internal (30)</b> <b>2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit</b>		
Unit	Topics	Lectures
1	<b>Outline of the Legal system in India</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ 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.</li> <li>➤ Role of the police and executive in criminal law administration.</li> <li>➤ Alternate dispute mechanisms such as lok adalats, non - formal mechanisms.</li> </ul>	
2	<b>Brief understanding of the laws applicable in India</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Constitution - fundamental rights, fundamental duties, other constitutional rights and their manner of enforcement, with emphasis on public interest litigation and the expansion of certain rights under Article 21 of the Constitution.</li> </ul>	
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Laws relating to criminal jurisdiction - provision relating to filing an FIR, arrest, bail search and seizure and some understanding of the questions of evidence and procedure in Cr. P.C. and related laws, important offences under the Indian Penal Code, offences against women, juvenile justice, prevention of atrocities on Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes.</li> <li>➤ Laws relating to dowry, sexual harassment and violence against women</li> <li>➤ Laws relating to consumer rights, Access to Information (RTI)</li> <li>➤ Laws relating to cyber crimes</li> </ul>	
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Practical application: Visit to either a (i) court or (ii) a legal aid centre set up by the</li> <li>➤ Legal Services Authority or an NGO or (iii) a Lok Adalat, and to interview a litigant or person being counselled. Preparation of a Report.</li> </ul>	

5	<p>Access to courts and enforcement of rights</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Understanding of the Functioning of the Legal System</li> <li>➤ Legal Services Authorities Act and right to legal aid</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Practical application :</u></b></p> <p>What to do if you are arrested ; if you are a consumer with a grievance; if you are a victim of sexual harassment; domestic violence, child abuse, caste, ethnic and religious discrimination; filing a public interest litigation. How can you challenge administrative orders that violate rights, judicial and administrative remedies</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 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.</p>	
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### **Suggested exercises for students**

1. Discuss the debates around any recent Ordinance, Bill or Act in Parliament.
2. How to file an FIR? In case there has been a theft in the neighbourhood how would you file the first Hand Information Report?
3. Under what circumstances can detention and arrest become illegal?
4. Discuss any contemporary practice or event that violates the equality and protection against discrimination laws.
5. Read Ordinance XV -D of University of Delhi and make a list of the kinds of conduct that would qualify as sexual harassment.
6. Your friend has shared with you an incident of unwelcome verbal remarks on her by a person of higher authority in your college, what would you do?
7. You have seen a lady in your neighbourhood being beaten up by her husband. Identify the concerned Protection Officer in case you want to provide information about this incident.
8. Read the Vishakha Guidelines as laid down by the Supreme Court and the Act against sexual harassment at the workplace. Discuss what constitutes sexual harassment and the mechanisms available for its redressal in your institution.
9. What is the procedure to file an RTI?
10. You bought a product from a nearby shop which was expired, the shop keeper refused to return it. Use your knowledge of Consumer Protection Act to decide what you do next?
11. What must you keep in mind as a consumer while making a purchase that may later help you make use of Consumer Protection Act? (Hint- Should you ask for a Bill?)
12. In your surroundings have you witnessed any incident that would be considered offensive under the SC and ST Act? Make a class- room presentation on it.

### **Essential Reading**

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**SEC-H-401:PUBLIC OPINION AND SURVEY RESEARCH****Full Marks: 100****External (70) Internal (30)****2 questions of 14 marks from each unit, five needs to be answered taking one from each unit**

Unit	Topics	Lectures
1	Public opinion: Definition, characteristics, its role, uses of opinion polii.	
2	Sampling: Meaning, Types, Sampling Error	
3	a. Interviewing: Interview techniques pitfalls, different types of and forms of interview b. Questionnaire: Question wording; fairness and clarity.	
4	a. Introduction to quantitative data analysis b. Basic concepts: correlational research, causation and prediction.	
5	Opinion Poll: Merits, demerits and its implications in a democratic state	

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#### **Suggested Student Exercises:**

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