

# Master of Arts in Political Science, 2014-15

## Semester I

*The First & Second Semester will have five papers each. All papers are compulsory.*

### Paper- I Ancient and Mediaeval Western Political Thought

1. Plato Text: Republic\* Ideal State, Justice, Education, Communism
2. Aristotle Text: Politics\*
3. Aristotle's method, Teleology, Notion of State, Justice, Slavery and Revolution
  - (A) Cicero: Natural Law, State
  - (B) Introduction to Medieval Thought: Theory of Two Swords.
4. Thomas Aquinas: Theory of Knowledge and Law.
5. Marsiglio of Padua, Conciliar, Movement, State

### Books Recommended

*\*The student is expected to consult relevant portions of the Republic and Politics*

Core-

George, H. Sabine, *A History of Political Theory*, Oxford and I.B.H. Publishing, New Delhi, 1973 (English & Hindi)

C.L. Wayper, *Political Thought*, New Delhi, 1989 (Revised Edition) (English & Hindi).

S. Mukerjee, & S. Ramaswamy, *A History of Political Thought*, Prentice Hall, New Delhi, 1999.

E. Barker, *The Political Thought of Plato and Aristotle*, Dover Publications, New Delhi, 1964.

Karl Popper, *Open Societies and Its Enemies*

W.T. Jones, *Masters of Political Thought*

Reference-

J.H. Halliwell, *Main Currents in Modern Political Thought*, Holt, New York, 1960.

A. Hacker, *Political Theory: Philosophy, Ideology, Science*, Macmillan, New York, 1961

### Paper-II Comparative Politics: Concepts and Models

1. Comparative Politics: Meaning, nature and scope.
2. Approaches to the study of Comparative Politics: Behavioural, System, Structural-Functional and Marxist approach.
3. Bases of classification of political systems: models of political system: Traditional, modern, liberal- democratic, authoritarian and populist.
4. Political Ideology: Meaning and characteristics, debate on the decline of ideology.
5. Political Culture: Concepts, determinants and types, Indian political culture, contemporary trends, political culture and development.

### Books Recommended

G.A. Almond and G.B. Powell Jr., *Comparative Politics: A Development Approach*, Boston, Little Brown, 1966.

G.A. Almond et al., *Comparative Politics Today: A World View*, Singapore, Pearson Education Pte. Ltd., 2004.

L.J. Cantori and A.H. Zeigler (ed.), *Comparative Politics in Post-Behaviouralist Era*, London, Lymme Reinner Publisher, 1988.

R.H. Chilcote, *Theories of Comparative Politics: The Search for a Paradigm Reconsidered*, Boulder Colorado, West view Press, 1994.

H.J. Wiarda (ed.), *New Developments in Comparative Politics*, Boulder Colorado, West view Press, 1986.

O. Dunleavy and B.O' Leary, *Theories of Liberal Democratic State*, London, Macmillan, 1987.

D. Easton, *A Systems Analysis of Political Life*, New York, Wiley, 1965.

J.E. Goldthrope, *The Sociology of Post-Colonial Societies: Economic Disparity, Cultural Diversity and Development*, Cambridge, Cambridge University Press, 1996.

Core : Lucian Pye, *Aspects of Political Development*

Core : Almond & Powell, *Comparative Politics : A Developmental Approach*

### Paper- III - International Relations: Theories and Approaches

1. International Relations as a discipline: Emergence and evolution.
2. Realism: Classical Realism, Neo-Realism, Structural Realism, Defensive and Offensive Realism
3. Liberalism: Basic Assumptions, Main Strands of Liberalism-Sociological, Interdependence, Institutional & Republican.
4. Marxism: World System Theory, Dependency Theory and Critical Theory.
5. Social Constructivism
6. Emerging issues: Feminism, Environmentalism.
7. Major concepts: Geo-politics, national interest, national power and ideology.

### Books Recommended

Chris Brown, *Understanding International Relations*, St. Martin Press, New York, 1997.

Jennifer Sterling Folker (ed.) *Making Sense of International Relations Theory*, Lynne Rienner Publisher, London, 2006.

Robert Jackson and Georg Sorensen, *Introduction to International Relations: Theories and Approaches*, Oxford University Press, 1999.

Scott Burchill, et al, *Theories of International Relations*, Palgrave Macmillan, 2001.

Tim Dunne, Milja Kurki and Steve Smith (ed.) *International Relations Theories: Discipline and Diversity*, Oxford University Press, 2007.

S.H. Hoffman, *Essays in Theory and Politics of International Relations*, West-View Press Boulder Colorado, 1989.

K.P. Mishra and R.S. Beal, *International Relations Theory*, Vikas Publishers, New Delhi, 1990.

K. Halliday *Rethinking International Relations* Macmillan, Basing's lake, 1994.

D Held et al., *Global Transformation – Politics, Economics and Culture*, Stanford University Press, California, 1999.

J. Frankel, *International Politics : Conflicted Harmony*, Penguin, London, 1969.

#### **Paper – IV - Indian Political System: Theoretical and Structural Aspects**

1. Forces Shaping the Indian Political System.
2. Evolving nature of the Indian political system.
3. Ideals of the Indian political system.
4. Fundamental Rights, Fundamental Duties, Directive Principles of State Policy.
5. Parliamentary Democracy in India.
6. Structure and Functioning of Governmental System: Union level.
7. Evolving nature of Indian federalism.

#### **Books Recommended**

- (a) M. P. Singh and Rekha Saxena, *Indian Politics: Contemporary Issues and Concerns*, Prentice Hall of India Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi, 2012.
- (b) Madhav Khosla, *The Indian Constitution*, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 2012.
- (c) Sunil Khilnani, *The Idea of India*, Penguin Books, New Delhi, 2004 (edition)
- (d) Nirja Gopal Jayal and Pratap Bhanu Mehta (Eds.), *The Oxford Companion to Politics in India*, New Delhi, Oxford University Press, 2010.
- (e) Atul Kohli (Ed.), *The Success of India's Democracy*, Cambridge, Cambridge University Press, 2011.
- (f) Zoya Hasan, Eswaran Sridharan, and R. Sudarshan (eds.), *India's Living Constitution*, New Delhi, Permanent Black, 2002.
- (g) Peu Ghosh, *Indian Government and Politics*, PHI, New Delhi 2012

(h) Bidyut Chakrabarty and Rajendra Kumar Pandey, *Indian Government and Politics*, Sage, New Delhi, 2008

(i) Hoveyda Abbas, Rajan Kumar, Mohammand Aftab Alam, *Indian Government and Politics*, Pearson, Delhi, 2011

(j) एस.एम. सईद, भारतीय राजनीतिक व्यवस्था, भारत बुक सेन्टर, लखनऊ, 2006

(k) रुपा मंगलानी, भारतीय शासन एवं राजनीति, राजस्थान, हिन्दी ग्रंथ अकादमी, जयपुर, 2010

#### **Paper V - Social and Political Thought of Ancient and Mediaeval India**

1. Dharmashastra, Arthshastra and Nitishastra traditions in India.
2. Major ideas of Manu, Kautilya and Shukra.
3. Political ideas in Shantiparva (Mahabharat) and Ramayan.
4. Buddhism and Jainism.
5. Major tenets of Islam and Sikhism.

**Books Recommended** Student are expected to familiarize themselves with Kautilya's Arthshastra)

1. U.N. Ghosal, *A History of Indian Political Ideas*, OUP, Mumbai, 1968
2. A S Altekar, *State and Government in Ancient India*, Delhi, Motilal Banarasidas, 196
3. S.K. Belvalkar, *Mahabharata : Santi Parvam*, 1954
4. C. Drekmeir, *Kingship and Community in Early India*, Berkeley, University of California, 1962
5. K.P. Jayswal, *Hindu Polity*, Calcutta, Butterworth, 1924
6. B.A. Sale tore, *Ancient Indian Political Thought and Institutions*, Bombay, University of Bombay, 1963]
7. R.S. Sharma, *Aspects of Political ideas and institutions in Ancient India*, Delhi, 1959

## **Semester II**

#### **Paper-VI - Modern Western Political Thought**

1. Machiavelli: Prince, \*Discourses, Human nature, Religion, Ethics and Politics; Child of Renaissance.
  2. Hobbes: Scientific Materialism, Theory of Social Contract Sovereignty, and Individualism.
  3. Locke: Natural Law, natural Rights, Social Contract,
  4. Liberalism.
  5. Rousseau: Social Contract, General Will.
  6. Bentham: Utilitarianism, Liberty.
  7. J.S Mill Liberty, \*Representative Government.
  8. Hegel Dialectics, State.
  9. Green Theory of Rights, State.
  10. Marx Dialectical Materialism, Historical Materialism, Class Struggle, State and Revolution
- The students are expected to familiarize themselves with relevant portion of the texts recommended ( " The Prince" and " Liberty").

#### **Books Recommended**

- F.W. Coker, *Recent Political Thought*, The World Press Pvt. Ltd., Calcutta, 1971.
- A. Hacker, *Political Theory: Philosophy, Ideology, Science*, Macmillan, New York, 1961.
- J.H. Hallowell, *Main Currents in Modern Political Thought*, Holt, New York, 1960.
- George, H. Sabine, *A History of Political Theory*, Oxford and I.B.H. Publishing, New Delhi, 1973 (English & Hindi)

C.L. Wayper, *Political Thought*, New Delhi, 1989 (Revised Edition) (English & Hindi).

D.Germino, *Modern Western Political Thought: Machiavelli to Marx*, Chicago University Press, and Chicago, 1972.

*Hindi Books: Refer paper I*

#### **Paper-VII - Comparative Political Process**

- 1) Political development: meaning, features and indicators and decay.
- 2) Elite: concept, typology and role.
- 3) Political parties: nature, structures, functions and varieties.
- 4) Pressure groups: Meaning, nature and strategies of functioning. Role of pressure groups in different political systems. Pressure groups in Indian politics.
- 5) Voting behaviour and public opinion in the Indian context.

#### **Books Recommended**

- J.C Johari, *Comparative Political Theory: New Dimensions, Basic Concepts and Major Trends*, New Delhi, Sterling, 1987.
- D. Krishna, *Political Development: A Critical Perspective*, Delhi, Oxford University Press, 1979.
- J. Manor (ed.), *Rethinking Third World Politics*, London, Longman, 1991.
- L.W. Pye and S. Verba (ed.), *Political Culture and Political Development*, Princeton NJ, Princeton University Press, 1976.
- G. Sartori, *Parties and Party Systems: A Framework for Analysis*, Cambridge, Cambridge University Press, 1976.
- Jean Blondel, *Comparing Political System*

H.J. Wiarda, *New Development in Comparative Politics*, Boulder Colorado, West-View Press, 1986.

### **Paper-VIII - International Relations: Structure and Process**

- 1) Globalization and its impact on world politics.
- 2) Contemporary Global Structure: Unilateralism, Pax Americana, Decline of America and Rise of China.
- 3) Non-Alignment: Crisis of relevance.
- 4) Role of the UN: Contemporary challenges.
- 5) Regional Organizations: EU, ASEAN and SAARC.
- 6) Disarmament and arms control, Deterrence, Nuclear Deterrence and Nuclear Non-Proliferation Regime.
- 7) Non-traditional security threats

#### **Books Recommended:**

Andrew Heywood, *Global Politics*, Palgrave Macmillan, 2011.

Andres Wenger & Doron Zimmermann, *International Relations: From the Cold War to the Globalized World*, Viva Books, New Delhi, 2010.

Brian W. Blouet, *Geopolitics and Globalisation in the Twentieth Century*, Reaktion Books, London, 2001.

Joseph Stiglitz, *Globalisation and its Discontents*, Penguin Books, 2003.

Joshua S. Goldstein, *International Relations*, Pearson Education, 2006.

Paul R. Viotti & Mark V. Kauppi, *International Relations and World Politics: Security, Economy, Identity*, Pearson Education, 2007.

Wayne C. McWilliams & Harry Piotrowski, *The World Since 1945: A History of International Relations*, Viva Books, 2006.

J.A. Vasquez, *The Power of Power Politics*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1998.

I.K. Gujral, *A Foreign Policy of India*, Government of India, 1998.

M.S. Rajan, *Non-Alignment and the Non-Alignment Movement in the Present— World Order*, Konark, Delhi, 1994.

G. Perkovich, *India's Nuclear Bomb – The Impact on Global Proliferation*, Oxford University Press, 2000.

Barry Buzan and Richard Little, *International Systems in World History – Remaking the Study of International Relations*, Oxford University Press, New York, 2000

Baylish John & Steve Smith, *Globalization of World Politics*, Oxford University Press, London, 2002.

Griffiths Martin and Terry O' Callaghan, *International Relations – Key Concepts*, Routledge, London, 2002

### **Paper-IX - Indian Political System: Processes and Problems**

- 1) Party System.
- 2) Pressure Groups: Business, Farming and Professional.
- 3) Mass Movements: Dalit, women and environment.
- 4) Electoral Behaviour & Electoral Reforms.
- 5) Bureaucracy and its Role, Nation building in India: problems and prospects.
- 6) Problems of the Indian Political System: Linguism, Regionalism, Communalism, Terrorism, Casteism, Corruption and Criminalisation.

#### **Books Recommended**

Paul R. Brass. *The Politics of India since Independence*, Orient Longman, New Delhi.

Sushila Kaushik (ed.). *Bharatiya Shashan Avam Rajniti, (Hindi)* Hindi Madhyam Karyanwayan Nideshalaya Delhi University, 1984.

Francine R. Frankel. *India's Political Economy, 1974-77: The Gradual Revolution*, Delhi, Oxford University Press, 1978.

Ramashray Roy, Paul Wallace (ed.): *Indian Politics and the 1998 Election: Regionalism*, Hindutva and State Politics, Sage Publication, New Delhi, 1999.

M.P. Singh, Himanshu Roy. *Indian Political System: Structure, Policies, Development*, Gananda Prakashan, New Delhi, 1998.

A.S. Upadhyaya (ed.) *Electoral Reforms in India*, Concept Publishers, New Delhi, 2005

### **Paper-X - Social and Political Thought of Modern India**

- 1) Raja Ram Mohan Roy.
- 2) Dayanand Saraswati.
- 3) Gopal Krishna Gokhale.
- 4) Bal Gangadhar Tilak
- 5) Aurobindo Ghosh
- 6) Madan Mohan Malviya
- 7) Vir Savarkar
- 8) Mohammad Ali Jinnah
- 9) Bhim Rao Ambedkar
- 10) M.K.Gandhi: Hind Swaraj
- 11) J.L. Nehru.
- 12) M.N.Roy

**Books Recommended** *The student are expected to familiarize themselves with Gandhi's Hind Swaraj*

V.P. Verma, *Modern Indian Political Thought*, Agra, Lakshmi Naryan Aggarwal, 1974.

A. Appadorai, *Indian Political Thinking through the Ages*, Delhi, Khanna Publishers, 1992.

J. Bandopandhyay, *Social and Political Thought of Gandhi*, Bombay, Allied Publishers, 1969.

T. Pantham, and K. Deustch (eds.), *Political Thought in Modern India*, New Delhi, Sage, 1986.

B. Parekh & T. Pantham (eds.), *Political Discourse: Exploration in Indian and Western Political Thought*, New Delhi, Sage, 1987.

M.N. Jha, *Political Thought in Modern India*, Meenakshi Prakashan, Meerut.

V.R. Mehta, *Indian Political Thought*, New Delhi, Manohar, 1996.

# Semester III

*Note: There will be three compulsory papers and three optional papers in both the IIIrd and IVth Semesters*

## Paper XI - Contemporary Political Theory (Compulsory)

- 1) Recent Trends in Political Theory: An Overview
- 2) Behaviouralism and Post-Behaviouralism: David Easton
- 3) Decline of Political Theory
- 4) End of Ideology and its Impact on Political theory
- 5) Liberal Political Theory and its Critique: McPherson
- 6) Theory of Justice Revisited: John Rawls
- 7) Importance of the Political: Hannah Arendt
- 8) Limits to Politics: Oakeshot

### Books Recommended

- B. Parekh, *Rethinking Multiculturalism: Cultural Diversity and Political theory*. London, Macmillan Press 2000
- E. Said, *Orientalism*, London, Chatto and Windus, 1978
- C. Taylor, *Multiculturalism: Examining the Politics of Recognition*, edited by J.P. Mayer and M. Lerner, New York, Harper, London, Fontana, 1968.
- S.K. White, *Political Theory and Postmodernism*, Cambridge, Cambridge University Press, 1991
- I.M. Young, *Justice and the Politics of Difference*, Oxford, Princeton University Press 1990.
- A. Ahmed, *In Theory: Classes, Nations, Literatures*, London, Verso, 1992.
- J.B. Elshtain, *Public Man, Private Man: Women in Social and Political Thought*, Princeton NJ, Princeton University Press, 1981.
- R. Guha and G.C. Spivak, *Selected Subaltern Studies*. Oxford. Oxford University Press. 1988.
- R. Young, *White Mythologies: Writing History and the West*, London, Routledge, 1990.

## Paper XII -Theory of Public Administration: Concepts and Ideas (Compulsory)

- 1) Administrative theory: concept; and evolution: Politics-administration dichotomy to New Public Management.
- 2) Classical approaches: Scientific Management (F.W. Taylor), Administrative Management (Henri Fayol), Weberian Bureaucracy.
- 3) Modern Approaches: Behavioural (Herbert Simon, Chester Barnard)
- 4) Marxist approach.

### Books Recommended

- M. Holzer et.al. *Public Administration: An Introduction* (New Delhi: Prentice Hall India, 2012)
- A Awasthi and S. Maheshwari, *Public Administration*, Agra, Laxmi Narain Agrawal, (Latest Hindi and English editions)
- M.P. Sharma and B.L. Sadana, *Public Administration in Theory and Practice*, (Allahabad: Kitab Mahal, Latest Hindi and English editions).
- J.M. Shafritz and A.C. Hyde (ed.) *Classics of Public Administration*, (Boston, USA: Wadsworth, 2012).
- D. R. Prasad et.al *Administrative Thinkers* (New Delhi: Sterling Publishers, Latest Hindi and English editions).
- P.H. Appleby, *Policy and Administration*, Alabama University of Alabama Press, 1957

## Paper XIII- Contemporary Debates in Politics –I (Compulsory)

1. Eco –Development Debates with Special Reference to Gandhi
2. Ethics in Politics and Administration
3. Violence in India: Political Violence and Gender Violence

### Readings:

- Gutman, A. and Thomson, D., 2006, *Ethics and Politics: Cases and Comments* (4th Edition) (Nelson Hall).
- Manchanda, R. (ed.) 2010, *Woman, War and Peace in South Asia: Beyond Victimhood to Agency* (Sage Publications).
- Mendus, S., 2009, *Politics and Morality* (Polity Press).
- Sharma, K. (ed.) 2010, *Missing: Half the Story, Journalism as if Gender Matters* (Zubaan).
- Subramanian, K. S., 2008, *Political Violence and the Police in India* (Sage Publications).
- Thompson, Denis F., 1987, *Political Ethics and Public Office* (Harvard University Press).
- Urbanska, K. M., Nigel, R. W. and Edwards, P. J., (eds.), 1997, *Restoration Ecology and Sustainable Development* (Cambridge University Press).

## Group –A: Political Theory

**Political Theory** focuses on theoretical and philosophical approaches to the study of politics. The courses seek to engage with (and expose students to) a broad range of current scholarship in political theory and political philosophy, including works in the history of political thought; theoretical investigations of contemporary political phenomena; philosophical analyses of key political concepts; conceptual issues in ethics, law, and public policy; and contributions to normative political theory.

### Paper XIV: Cotemporary Political Thinkers

**Course Objective:** The purpose behind this course is to introduce students to the richness and variety of political philosophies culminating in the various present day understandings of human condition. The intention of the course is twofold: 1) to familiarize students with the intellectual inheritance of contemporary societies; and 2) to engage them in the controversies which modern theory has raised but which remain as yet unresolved. The objective is to initiate students with different ways of reading the original texts of the thinkers and varied interpretations of their philosophies and debates surrounding them. The aim is to demonstrate, and explain, some of the continuities and discontinuities in ethical and political problems and their solutions over time and changing context. The intent is also to investigate fundamental issues in contemporary politics through reflection on texts in the history of political thought.

- a. **Hebert Marcuse**  
Critique of Capitalism; One Dimensional Man.
- b. **Michel Foucault**  
Genealogy of Power and its relation to Knowledge and Truth.
- c. **John Rawls**  
Theory of Justice; Political Liberalism.
- d. **Jurgen Habermas**  
Theory of Communicative Action; Discourse Theory.
- e. **M. K. Gandhi**

Satyagrah, Ethics and Politics, Hind Swaraj.

**f. Frantz Fanon**

Race, culture and Class; Justification for Violence; Revolution.

**Books Recommended**

- Abromeit, John, and Cobb, W. Mark, (eds.) 2004, *Herbert Marcuse: A Critical Reader*, (New York, London: Routledge).
- Benhabib, Seyla, and Fred Dallmayr (eds.), 1990. *The Communicative Ethics Controversy*, (Cambridge, MA: MIT Press).
- Kellner, Douglas, (1984). *Herbert Marcuse and the Crisis of Marxism*. London: Macmillan.
- Daniels, N., (ed.), 1975, *Reading Rawls: Critical Studies on John Rawls' A Theory of Justice*, New York: Basic Books. Reissued with new Preface, 1989.
- Fanon, Frantz, 1963, *Wretched of the Earth*, (Harmondsworth, Penguin).
- Foucault, M., 1970, *The Order of Things*. (London: Tavistock).
- Foucault, M., 1972, *The Archaeology of Knowledge*. (New York: Pantheon).
- Gandhi, M. K., 1958, *The Collected Works of Mahatma Gandhi*, (Ahmedabad, Navajivan).
- Gandhi, M. K., 1938, *Hind Swaraj*, (Ahmedabad, Navajivan).
- Habermas, Jürgen, 1984. *The Theory of Communicative Action*. Vol. I: *Reason and the Rationalization of Society*, T. McCarthy (trans.). Boston: Beacon.
- Habermas, Jürgen, 1987. *The Theory of Communicative Action*. Vol. II: *Lifeworld and System*, T. McCarthy (trans.). Boston: Beacon.
- Habermas, Jürgen, 1996, *Between Facts and Norms: Contributions to a Discourse Theory of Law and Democracy*, W. Rehg (trans.). Cambridge, MA: MIT Press.
- Armstrong, Timothy J., (ed.), 1992, *Michel Foucault: Philosopher*, (Hemel Hempstead: Harvester Wheatsheaf).
- Edgar, Andrew, 2005, *The Philosophy of Habermas*. Montreal, McGill-Queen's UP.
- Gutting, Gary, (ed.), 1994, *Cambridge Companion to Foucault*, (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press).
- Kukathas, C., (ed.), 2003, *John Rawls: Critical Assessments of Leading Political Philosophers*, 4 vol., London: Routledge.
- Marcuse, Herbert. *One Dimensional Man: Studies in the Ideology of Advanced Industrial Society*, Boston: Beacon Press, 1964.
- McCarthy, Thomas A. (1979). *The critical theory of Jürgen Habermas*. Cambridge: M.I.T. Press.
- McCarthy, T. and D. Hoy, 1994. *Critical Theory*, London: Basil Blackwell.
- Pantham, Thomas, 1987, "Habermas's Practical Discourse and Gandhi's Satyagraha", in Bhikhu Parekh and Thomas Pantham, (ed.), *Political Discourse: Explorations in Indian and Western Political Thought*, New Delhi, Sage, pg 292-310
- Parekh, Bhikhu, 1989, *Gandhi's Political Philosophy*, (London, Macmillan Press).
- Parekh, Bhikhu, 1989, *Colonialism, Tradition and Reform: An Analysis of Gandhi's Political Discourse*, (New Delhi, Sage).
- Parekh, Bhikhu, 1982, *Contemporary Political Thinkers*, (Oxford, Martin Robertson).
- Rawls, John, 1971, *A Theory of Justice*, (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press).
- Rawls, John, 1993, *Political Liberalism*, (New York: Columbia University Press).

V. Geoghegan, *Reason and Eros: The Social Theory of Herbert Marcuse*, London, Pluto Press, 1981

Wiggershaus, Rolf, 2004. *Jürgen Habermas*, (Reibek Bei Hamburg: Rowohlt).

**Paper XV- Modern Political Ideologies**

The goal of this course is to understand the fundamental alternative political ideologies or theories that have shaped our world, and to consider which political theories may shape our world in the future. In the process of exploring the theories at the foundation of liberalism, democracy, capitalism, Republicanism, Fascism, Nationalism, Feminism, we do consider how each of them addresses the most fundamental human questions: What is the just form of political society and government? What is better way of life for human beings? Moreover, in order to have a critical understanding and evaluation of these political theories fairly, we will attempt to identify and to examine the most powerful arguments for and against each of these theories.

**Liberalism**

Evolution and Development; Basic Tenets; Debates about its Comprehensiveness and Reach.

**Nationalism**

Meaning and Centrality; Types; Relevance in present Context.

**Fascism**

Basic Tenets; Philosophical Justifications; Variation and Sub-forms.

**Libertarianism**

Conception of Individual Autonomy and Rights; Notion of justice (Nozick), and State.

**Republicanism**

Conception of Liberty; Classical Tradition; Contemporary Virtue.

**Books Recommended**

- Anderson, B., 1965, *Imagined Communities*, London: Verso.
- Barry, N. P., 1986, *On Classical Liberalism and Libertarianism*. London: Macmillan.
- Christman, John and Joel Anderson, eds. (2005). *Autonomy and Challenges to Liberalism*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Cohen, G. A. *Self-ownership, Freedom, and Equality*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1995.
- Cranston, Maurice (1967). 'Liberalism' in *The Encyclopedia of Philosophy*, Paul Edwards (ed.), New York: Macmillan and the Free Press: 458-461.
- Crosby, S.E., 2005, *Nationalism: A Very Short Introduction*, Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Eatwell, Roger. 1996. *Fascism: A History*. New York: Allen Lane.
- Freedman, M., *Ideologies and Political Theory*, (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1996).
- Gans, C., 2003, *The Limits of Nationalism*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Griffin, Roger. 1991. *The Nature of Fascism*. New York: St. Martin's Press.
- Kukathas, Chandran (2003). *The Liberal Archipelago*, Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Kymlicka, Will (1989). *Liberalism, Community and Culture*, Oxford: Clarendon Press.
- Laborde, Cécile and Maynor, John (eds.), 2008, *Republicanism and Political Theory*, (Malden, MA: Blackwell Publishing).

Machan, T., (ed.), 1982, *The Libertarian Reader*, Totowa: Rowman and Littlefield.

Miller, D., 1995, *On Nationality*, Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Nozick, R., 1974, *Anarchy, State, and Utopia*, New York: Basic Books.

Otsuka, M. *Libertarianism Without Inequality*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2003.

Pettit, Philip, 1997. *Republicanism: A Theory of Freedom and Government*, Oxford: Clarendon Press.

Sandel, M., *Liberalism and the Limits of Justice*, (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1998), pp.1-65, 133-218.

Skinner, Quentin (1998). *Liberty Before Liberalism*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Tamir, Y., 1993, *Liberal Nationalism*, Press, Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press.

Weinstock, Daniel and Nadeau, Christine, (eds.), 2004, *Republicanism: History, Theory, and Practice*, (London: Routledge).

## Paper-XVI- Normative Political Theories and Concepts

**Course Objective-** This course is based on a prior understanding of the nature and value of theoretical inquiry in politics. The task of political theory is not only to understand and explain political phenomena but also to deal with a few fundamental questions that have an impact on the good life, and the ways in which we strive to collectively attain it. The objective of this course is to investigate and understand some of the major debates in contemporary political theory and to enrich our skills of analysis and judgment through constant engagement.

### a. Identity-Recognition

Identity and Recognition; Social and Political Recognition; Problems of Mis-recognition

### b. Postcolonialism

Politics of Identity and Resistance; Conception of Power, Knowledge and Hegemony.

### c. Social Exclusion-Theoretical Premises and Dimensions

Debates; Issues and Challenges.

### d. Bioethics: Autonomy and Justice

Goals and Involvement; Deontological and Four Principle Approach (Beauchamp and Childress).

### e. Secularism, Tolerance and Minority Rights

Traditions of Tolerance (in India); Values of Secularism; Secularism and Minority rights

## Books Recommended

Ashcroft, B., 1990, *The Empire Writes Back: Theory and Practice in Post-Colonial Literature*

Ashcroft, B., Griffiths, G. and Tiffin, T., (Eds.) 1995, *The Post-Colonial Studies Reader*, London: Routledge.

Beauchamp, T.L. And J.F. Childress, 2009, *Principles of Biomedical Ethics*, 6th edition, New York: Oxford University Press.

Dworkin, Ronald, 1978, *Taking Rights Seriously*. London, Duckworth.

Eckenwiler, L. A. and F. G. Cohn (eds.), 2007, *The Ethics of Bioethics: Mapping the Moral Landscape*, Baltimore, MD: Johns Hopkins University Press.

Hampton, Jean (1989) 'Should Political Philosophy be Done without Metaphysics?' *Ethics*: 99, 791-814.

Mckinnon, Catriona, 2008, 'Introduction' in Mckinnon, Catriona (ed), *Issues in Political Theory*, New York: Oxford University Press.

Gutman, Amy edited, *Multiculturalism: Examining the Politics of Recognition*, Princeton N.J, Princeton University Press. 1994.

Lukes, Steven. *Power: A Radical View*. London: Macmillan Press, 1974.

Moore-Gilbert, Bart, Stanton, Gareth, and Maley, Willy. Eds. *Postcolonial Criticism*. New York: Addison, Wesley, Longman, 1997.

Sen, Amartya, 2000, *Development as Freedom*, Delhi: OUP: Introduction, Ch. 1: 3-34.

Cohen, G. A., 1989, 'On the Currency of Egalitarian Justice', *Ethics*, 99 (4): 906-44.

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## Group B -Government and Politics

### Paper XIV- Government and Politics of the States in India

- 1) Framework for the Study of State Politics
- 2) Relevance of the Study of State Politics in India
- 3) Relation between National & State Politics in India
- 4) Determinants of State Politics: Socio-Economic & Constitutional Framework: Structure of the State Government Executive, legislature and Judiciary
- 5) Emerging Trends in State Politics: Study of the three following states with particular reference to: Political Developments, Political Parties, Government Formation, Electoral Behaviour, Factionalism, Autonomy etc.
- 6) Uttar Pradesh
- 7) J & K

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(a) S. R. Maheshwari, *State Governments in India*, New Delhi, MacMillan India Limited (Latest Edition).

(b) Yogendra Yadav and Suhas Palshikar, "Ten Theses on State Politics in India" [www.india-seminar.com/2008/591/591\\_y\\_yadav & s\\_palshikar.htm](http://www.india-seminar.com/2008/591/591_y_yadav & s_palshikar.htm)

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#### **Paper XV - Structure of Urban Government in India**

- 1) Local Government: Theoretical framework, Causes of Urbanization
- 2) Growth of urban local government in India
- 3) Structure and functions of urban government: Municipal Corporation, Municipality, Town Area Committee, Notified Area Authority, Cantonment Boards.
- 4) Bombay model of urban government
- 5) Kolkata model of urban government.

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#### **Paper XVI- Nation Building and National Integration in India**

- 1) Nation-Building in India, theoretical, historical and cultural perspective- National Movement
- 2) Impediments to National Integration Communalism, Regionalism, Linguism, Castism, Nationalism and Globalization.
- 3) Role of Planning and Bureaucracy.
- 4) Positive Efforts Towards National Integration
- 5) Problems and Prospect.

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R. Kothari, *Party System and Election Studies*, Bombay, Asia Publishing House, 1967

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R. Thakur, *The Government & Politics of India*, London, Macmillan, 1995

**OR**

#### **Nation Building in the Third World – I**

- 1) Nation and Nation Building: Meaning and Concept
- 2) Growth of Nation-States: Historical Perspectives
- 3) Formation of Nation-States in the Third World:
- 4) **Africa:** Nature of European Dominance, Problems of National Identity
- 5) **Latin America:** American Hegemony and Quest For Freedom.

#### **Books Recommended**

Danzinger, James, *Understanding the World: A Comparative Introduction to Political Science*, "The Developing Countries in the Post-Cold War World." Chap 17. New York: Longman, 1996

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## **GROUP C - International Relations**

#### **Paper XIV-Contemporary Issues in International Law - I**

- 1) Nature of International Law

- 2) Sources
- 3) International Legal Personality and Recognition
- 4) International Human Rights Law
- 5) Territorial Sovereignty.

### Books Recommended

Shaw: International Law, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition 1991  
 Dixon and McCorquodale: Cases and Materials on International Law, 1991  
 Ian Brownlie: Principles of Public International Law, 4<sup>th</sup> edition, 1990  
 Select articles from *American Journal of International Law*  
 Select articles from *British Yearbook of International Law*  
 Select articles from *Harvard International Law Journal*  
 Select articles from *International and Comparative Law Quarterly*

**OR**

### Paper XIV – International Organization I

#### Rationale:

This paper introduces to the students, the evolution and theoretical aspects of international organization. It also aims to study the United Nations and Regional Organizations with the newer perspective of post-cold war globalised world.

1. **International Organization:** Concept and Evolution trajectory.
2. **Approaches to study International Organization:**
  - (i) **Realism and Neo-realism**  
Hegemonic Stability Theory, Rational Choice Theory
  - (ii) **Liberal institutionalism**  
Functionalism, International Regime Theory, Collective Goods
  - (iii) **Neo-Marxism**  
Gramsci and Dependency School
  - (iv) **Constructivism**
3. **The United Nations:**
  - (i) The UN in the Globalised Society
  - (ii) The United Nations-Civil Society Organizations relations.
  - (iii) Issues: Peacekeeping, Post- conflict reconstruction and terrorism.
  - (iv) Instrumental Renewal.
4. **Regional Organizations:** Concept, Factors of Regionalization and Main Regional Organizations.
  - (i) **SAARC:** Role and major challenges.
  - (ii) **European Union:** Evolution, Debates on Common Monetary Policy (CMP) and Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP).
  - (iii) **Regional Organizations and the UN:** Friends or Competitors, Major areas of Interactions-Development and Peace & Security.

#### Books Recommended

Karns, M.P. and Karen A. Mingst (2005), *International Organisations: The Politics and Process of Global Governance*, Boulder: Lynne Rienner.

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#### Specific Readings

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### **Paper- XV-Indian Foreign Policy - I**

- 1) Genesis and foundation of Indian foreign policy: principles and objectives
- 2) Emerging patterns of post-war world politics: India's perspectives
- 3) Political process and foreign policy
- 4) India and the major powers: USA, China, Britain, France, and Russian Republic
- 5) India's perspectives
  - (i) Disarmament and arms control: NPT, CTBT etc
  - (ii) Globalisation and WTO, Kyoto Protocol and environmental protection

### **Books Recommended**

Bahadur, Kalim (ed.), *South Asia in transition: Conflicts and tensions* (New Delhi: Patriots, 1986).

Banerjee, A.K. (ed.), *Security issues in South Asia: Domestic and external sources of threats to security* (Calcutta: Minerva, 1998).

Bidwai, Praful and Achin Vanaik (eds.), *South Asia on a short fuse: Nuclear politics and the future of global disarmament* (New Delhi: OUP, 1999).

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### **Paper – XVI- Conflict Resolution & Peace: Pedagogy & Approaches**

- 1) Prologue to Peace Studies
  - (i) Origin & Evolution of Peace Studies
  - (ii) Positive and Negative Peace
  - (iii) Structural and Cultural Violence

## 2) Anatomy of Conflict

- (i) Meaning & Definitions of Conflict
- (ii) Theories of Conflict
- (iii) Issues and Stages of Conflict

## 3) Conflict Handling Mechanism

- (i) Conflict Suppression, Conflict Management, Conflict resolution and Reconciliation
- (ii) Role of Civil Society groups
- (iii) Post-conflict Reconstruction

## 4) Gandhian Approach to Peace

- (i) Satyagraha: Ideological Self-limiting Conflict and Stepwise Strategy to resolve conflict
- (ii) Gandhi's ability to control mass movements
- (iii) Gandhi's approach to development

## 5) Confidence Building Measures (CBMs): India-Pakistan as a Showcase

- (i) Concept of CBMs
- (ii) India-Pakistan CBMs: Since partition; assessment.

### Books Recommended:

Mark Juergensmeyer : Gandhi's Way : A handbook of Conflict Resolution (Oxford) 2004

Upadhyaya, P. et al (ed) (2001): *Jai Jagat Sandesh* (Peace Ideas of Gandhi, JP & Vinoba), Institute of Tibetan Higher Learning, Sarnath.

Weber, Thomas (2001): "Gandhian Philosophy, Conflict Resolution Theory and Practical Approaches to Negotiation", *Journal of Peace Research*, Vol. 38, no.4, Sage, pp 493-513.

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## Group - D Comparative Governments

### Paper XIII: Government and Politics in Japan

- 1) Constitutional Framework – New Constitution
- 2) Role of the Emperor
- 3) Structure and Process of the Government – Prime Minister, Cabinet, Legislature & Judiciary
- 4) Bureaucracy & Local Government
- 5) Political Parties and Pressure Groups

### Books Recommended

Robert E. Ward, *Japan's Political System*, Englewood Cliffs, N.J. Prentice hall Latest Edition

H. Baerwald, *Japan's Parliament: An Introduction*, Cambridge University Press, 1974

P.J. Bailey, *Post War, Japan 1945 to the Present*, Oxford Blackwell, 1996

W.G. Beasley, *The Rise of Modern Japan, London*, Weidenfeld and Nicolson, 1990

J. Woronof, *Politics : The Japanese Way*, London, Macmillan, 1986

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W.G. Beasley, *The Modern History of Japan*, Tuttle, Tokyo, 1986

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E.O. Reischauer, *The Japanese Today: Change and Continuity*, The Belknap Press of Harvard Press, Cambridge, Mass, London, England, 1988

### Paper XIV: Government and Politics in Russia

- 1) The Constitutional Development
- 2) Institutional Structure in the Political System: The Presidency; Federal Assembly; Judiciary.
- 3) Party System
- 4) The Electoral Process
- 5) Nationalism, Regionalism and Federal System in Russia
- 6) Economic Transition and the Role of the Market

### Books Recommended

Richard Sakwa, *Russian Politics and Society*, London, Rutledge, 1996

Anuradha Chenoy, *The Making of New Russia*, New Delhi, 2000

Shashikant Jha and Bhaswati Sarkar (eds.) *Reform, Conflict and Change in CIS and East Europe*, New Delhi, 1999

G.A.Almond et.al. *Comparative Politics Today*, New Delhi, Pearson Education, 2004.

### Paper-XV Government and Politics in Pakistan

- 1) Genesis of Pakistan
- 2) Constitutional Development
- 3) Structure of Government: Executive, Legislative, Judiciary.
- 4) Political Parties
- 5) Nation Building
- 6) Problems and Democracy

### Books Recommended

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Safdar Mahmood, *The Constitution of Pakistan, 1973:*

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R. Grover and V. Grover, *Political System in Pakistan*, Vol. 1 to 8, Deep and Deep Publications, New Delhi, 1998

S. N. Bhagat, *Pakistan: Withering State*, Vikas, New Delhi, 1999

D.G.A. Khan, *Political System in Pakistan* (in Hindi), Shekhar Publication, Allahabad, 2005

S. Sayeed *Civil-Military Relations in Pakistan*, West View Press, Boulder, 1997

C. Kennedy, *Bureaucracy in Pakistan*, OUP, Karachi, 1998

K.K. Aziz, *A History of the Idea of the Pakistan*, Vol. 1 to 4, Vanguard Press, Lahore, 1987

## Group E - South Asian Studies

### Paper-XIII Government and politics of South Asia - I (India, Pakistan and Bangladesh)

- 1) Geopolitical realities and historical background of South Asia
- 2) Socio-economic structure of South Asian countries
- 3) Constitutional and political development since the Second World War

- 4) Basic nature of political system of South Asian countries
  - (i) Army in the politics of Pakistan and Bangladesh
  - (ii) Democratic and monarchical systems

#### Books Recommended

- Agwani, M.S., et al. (eds.), *South Asia: Stability and regional cooperation* (Chandigarh: Centre for Research in Rural and Industrial Development, 1983).
- Alavi, Hamza and John Harriss (eds.), *South Asia* (Houndmills: Macmillan, 1989).
- Aziz, Abdul and David D. Arnold (eds.), *Decentralised governance in Asian countries* (New Delhi: Sage, 1996).
- Bahadur, Kalim (ed.), *South Asia in transition: Conflicts and tensions* (New Delhi: Patriots, 1986).
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- Chauhan, R.S., *Society and state building in Nepal: From ancient times to mid-twentieth century* (New Delhi: Sterling, 1989).
- Dubey, Muchkund et al. (eds.), *South Asian growth quadrangle: Framework for multifaceted cooperation* (Delhi: Macmillan, 1999).

#### Paper-XIV Foreign policies of South Asian states- I (India, Pakistan and Bangladesh)

- 1) Key determinants and objectives of foreign policies of South Asian states
- 2) Foreign policies of South Asian states in the post Second World War
- 3) Inter-regional conflict and intra-regional interactions
  - (i) Kashmir
  - (ii) Rann of Kutch
  - (iii) Farakka
  - (iv) Ethnic conflicts

#### Books Recommended

- Ghosh, Partha S., *Cooperation and conflict in South Asia* (New Delhi: Manohar, 1989).
- Jackson, Robert, *South Asian crisis: India, Pakistan, Bangladesh* (New Delhi: Vikas, 1978).
- Jha, S.N. and P.C. Mathur (eds.), *Decentralisation and local politics* (New Delhi: Sage, 1999).
- Kaushik, Surendra Nath, *Politics of Islamisation in Pakistan: A Study of Zia Regime* (New Delhi: South Asian Publishers, 1993).
- Khan, D.G.A., *Disintegration of Pakistan* (Meerut: Meenaxi, 1985).
- Political System in Pakistan* (in Hindi) (Allahabad: Shekhar, forthcoming).
- Meyer, Milton W., *South Asia: A short history of the subcontinent* (Totowa: Littlefield, 1976).
- Rizvi, Gowher, *South Asia in a changing International Order* (New Delhi: Sage, 1993).
- Satyamurthy, K. (ed.), *South Asian Regional Cooperation* (Hyderabad: Institute of Asian Studies, 1982).

#### Paper-XV Nation Building In South Asia-I (India, Pakistan and Bangladesh)

1. The narrative and dynamics of nation-building in South Asia
  - (i) Contextualising the two-nation theory and partition
  - (ii) Nation-building and the project of national integration
2. Democracy and its discontent: Challenges of strange multiplicity
  - (i) Pluralism vs the multicultural debate

- (ii) Secularism, communalism and regionalism (the problem of language, caste and religion)
3. Challenges to the nation-state
  - (i) Politics of recognition and the question of autonomy, self-determination and subnationalism

#### Books Recommended

- Sen Gupta, Bhabani, *South Asian perspectives: Seven nations in conflict and cooperation* Delhi: B.R. Publishing Corporation, 1988).
- Sinha, Rameshwar P. and Surya Dandekar (eds.), *South Asian politics: Ideologies and institutions* (New Delhi: Kanishka, 1998).
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- Tully, James, *Strange multiplicity: Constitutionalism in an age of diversity* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1995).
- Waslekar, Sandeep, *South Asian drama: Travails of misgovernance* (Delhi: Konark, 1996).

## Group F Gender and Politics

#### Paper XIII - Gender and Public Policy

- 1) Women and Public Policy
- 2) Women and Politics: Global Patterns
- 3) Gender and the Human Rights debate
- 4) Gender and Human Development
- 5) Health, Population policy and Gender.

#### Books Recommended

- Haleh Arshar (ed.) *Women and Politics in the Third World*, London: Routledge, 1996
- United Nations 2000 *The World's Women 2000: Trends and Statistics*, New York: United Nations
- Vandana Shiva, *Staying Alive: Women Ecology and Development in India*, New Delhi: Kali for Women, 1998
- Nivedita Menon, *Gender and Politics in India*, New York, OUP, 1999
- Vandana Shiva (ed) *Close to Home: Women Reconnect, Ecology, Health and Development Worldwide*, Philadelphia New Society Publishers 1994

#### Paper-XIV Contemporary Debates on Women's Issues: Indian Context

- 1) Women in Nationalist Historiography
- 2) Women and Development
- 3) Women, Caste and Class
- 4) Women's Rights as Human Rights
- 5) Woman's Right to Property
- 6) Empowerment of Women and Public Policy
- 7) Women and Globalization
- 8) Women and Reservation Policy

#### Books Recommended

- Barbara J. Nelson and Najma Chawdhury (eds.) *Women and Politics Worldwide New Haven*: Yale University Press, 1994
- Shirin Rai (ed.) *International Perspectives on Gender and Democratization*, New York: St. Martins Press, 2000
- Marjorie Agosin (ed.) *Women Gender and Human Rights: A Global perspective*. New Brunswick N.J. Rutgers University Press, 2001

#### Paper-XV Feminist Political Theory-I

- 1) Feminist approach to political theory

- 2) Liberal Feminism: Wollstonecraft, Fuller and Mill
- 3) Socialist Feminism: Fourier, Saint Simonians, Thompson
- 4) Marxist Feminism: Marx, Engles and Kollantai

#### Books Recommended

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- B. Caine, *Victorian Feminism* New York, Oxford University Press, 1992
- D. Coole, *Women in Political Theory: From Ancient Misogyny to Contemporary Feminism*, New York, Harvester Wheatsheaf, 1993
- S.M. Okin, and J. Mansbridge (eds.) *Feminism, 3 Vols.*, London, Routledge, 1994
- M.L. Shanley and C. Pateman, *Feminist Interpretation and Political theory*, Cambridge, Polity Press, 1991
- M. Warnock, *Mary Wollstonecraft's A Vindication of the Rights of Woman and J.S. Mill's The Subjection of Women*, London, Dent, 1985.
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## GROUP G - Political Thought

### Paper-XIII Ancient Indian Political Thought and Institutions-I

1. Nature, source and scope.
2. Some Basic Features and Concepts: Religion and Politics, Concept of Man, End of Life, Divinity of Society and its Supremacy
3. Theory and Practice: Study of Institution: Sabha, Samiti, Paura, Janapad, Gana.
4. Political Ideas of following Schools: Dharmashastra, Artha Shastra, Niti Shastra, The Epics.
5. Buddhism, Jainism.

#### Books Recommended

- D.D. Kosambi, *Culture and civilization in Ancient India*, Delhi, Vikas, 1980.
- A.S. Altekar, *State and Government in Ancient India*, Delhi, Motilal Banarasidas, 1966.
- D.R. Bhandarkar, *Some Aspects of Ancient Indian Hindu Polity*, Varanasi, Banaras Hindu University.
- K.P. Jayaswal, *Hindu Polity*, Bangalore, Bangalore Printing Press, 1967.
- Charles Drekmeir, *Kingship and Community in Early India*, California, 1962.

### Paper-XIV Medieval Indian Political Thought and Institutions-I

1. Socio-Economic and Political Background.
2. Structure of Medieval Indian Polity: Genesis of Indo-Islamic Polity, Its Features: Sovereignty, Universal Brotherhood and Law of Succession and their practice in India; Political Ideals of Indo-Islamic Polity
3. Nation Building process.
4. State: New Adjustment in the Spheres of the Islamic State and Islamic Faith; Islamic Theocracy: State and Religion-Different State, Regional States and the Empire of Delhi, Moral Obligations.

#### Books Recommended

- U.N. Ghoshal, *A History of Indian Political Ideas*, London, OUP, 1966.
- K.P. Jayaswal, *Hindu Polity*, Bangalore, Bangalore Printing Press, 1967.

- Charles Drekmeir, *Kingship and Community in Early India*, California, 1962.
- Ram Gopal, *Indian Muslim*, Asia Publishers, New Delhi, 1997

### Paper-XV Social and Political Thought of Mahatma Gandhi

1. Imperialism, Nationalism and New Political trends in India.
2. Advent of Mahatma Gandhi.
3. Sources of Gandhism thought process.
4. Metaphysical Bases: Conception of God and Soul, Primacy of Spirit: Rebirth and Theory of Karma and Social Stratification.
5. Politics and Ethical Principles: Means and End: Religion and Politics, Concept of Man: Forms of Political Behaviour: Truth, Non-Violence and Satyagraha, Concept of Leadership.
6. Principles and Techniques of Struggle, Violence: Satyagraha as a Corporate action, The Leader, Organization and Propaganda, Non-Co-operation, Hartaal, Social Ostracism, Picketing and Civil Disobedience Satyagraha in socio-economic and religious conflicts, Universal Practicability of Satyagraha.

#### Books Recommended:

- M.K. Gandhi, *Hind Swaraj*, Navjeevan Publishing House, Ahmedabad, 1908.
- Sriman Narayan (ed.), *The Selected Works of Mahatma Gandhi*, Navjeevan Publishing House, Ahmedabad, 1969.
- N. Raghavan Iyer, *The Moral and Political Thought of Mahatma Gandhi*, OUP, Oxford, 1978.
- A.K. Saran, *Gandhi and the Concept of Politics: Towards a Normal Civilization*, Gandhi Marg, Vol. I No. II, 1980.

## GROUP H - Human Rights

### Paper-XIII Human Rights: Ideas and Concepts

1. Meaning and evolution of Human Rights
2. Approaches and perspectives:
  - (i) Universalistic approach
  - (ii) Cultural relativist approach
  - (iii) Marxist approach
  - (iv) Feminist approach

#### Books Recommended

- Tim Dunne and Nicholas J. Wheeler (eds.), *Human Rights in Global Politics* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1998)
- Kelly-Kate S. Pease, *International Organizations: Perspectives on Governance in the Twenty-First Century* (Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice Hall, 2000)
- Theodor Meron (ed.), *Human Rights in International Law: Legal and Policy Issues* (Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1984)
- Thomas Buergenthal and Judith R. Hall (eds.), *Human Rights, International Law and the Helsinki Accord* (Bombay: Allied, 1977).
- Sunita Samal, *Human Rights and Human Development: Concepts and Contexts*. (New Delhi: Kanishka, 2003)
- M.M. Rehman, et al, *Human Rights and Human Development: Concepts and Contexts*. (New Delhi: Manak, 2000)
- Centre for Development and Human Rights, *The Right to Development: A Primer* (New Delhi: Sage, 2004)
- Rev. M. Stephen, *Human Rights: Concepts and Perspectives* (New Delhi: Concept, 2002).
- M.H. Syed, *Human Rights: The New Era* (New Delhi: Kilsa Books, 2003).
- Sonali Singh *Reinterpreting Human Rights – A Third World Perspectives*, Ganga Kaveri, Varanasi, 2004

#### **Paper XIV-Human Rights and Gender Issues/Marginalized Sections**

- 1) Feminism and human rights: women rights
- 2) Locating child and minor's rights in human rights discourse
- 3) From 'population' to 'people': the indigenous rights discourse

#### **Books Recommended**

Tim Dunne and Nicholas J. Wheeler (eds.), *Human Rights in Global Politics* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1998).

C.J. Nirmal, (ed.), *Human Rights in India: Historical, Social and Political Perspectives* (New Delhi: OUP, 2000, reprint of 1995).

Human Rights Watch Global Report on Women's Human Rights (Delhi: OUP, 1998, reprint of 1995)

Human Rights Watch Global Report on Women's Human Rights (Delhi: OUP, 1998, reprint of 1995)

Centre for Development and Human Rights, *The Right to Development: A Primer* (New Delhi: Sage, 2004)

J.K. Das, *Human Rights and Indigenous Peoples* (New Delhi: APH Publishing Corporation, 2001)

Peter Jones, "Human Rights, Group Rights, and Peoples' Rights", *Human Rights Quarterly*, Vol.21, No. 1, 1999, pp.80-107.

G.S. Bajwa, *Human Rights in India: Implementation and Violations* (New Delhi: Anmol, 1995).

R.C. Hingorani, *Human Rights in India* (New Delhi: OUP and IBH, 1985).

V.T. Thamilmaran, *Human Rights in Third World perspective* (New Delhi: Har Anand, 1992)

Sarkar, Sen, *Human Rights in a Developing Society* (New Delhi: APH Publication Corporation, 1998).

Ashish Chandra, *Human Rights Activism and Role of NGOs* (Delhi: Rajat, 2000)

M.M. Rehman, et al, *Human Rights and Human Development: Concepts and Contexts*. (New Delhi: Manak, 2000).

Ashwani Kant Gautam, *Human rights and Justice System* (New Delhi: APH Publication 2001)

#### **Paper XV-Human Rights and Civil Societies**

1. Non-state actors and human rights: evolving international civil societies
2. Non-governmental organizations and human rights:
3. Role of NGOs: International Red Cross Society, Human Rights Watch, Amnesty International, Doctors without Borders, etc.

#### **Books Recommended**

Kelly-Kate S. Pease, *International Organizations: Perspectives on Governance in the Twenty-First Century* (Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice-Hall, 2000)

Ashish Chandra, *Human Rights Activism and Role of NGOs* (Delhi: Rajat, 2000).

Sunita Samal, *Human Rights and Development in Emerging World Order* (New Delhi: Kanishka, 2003).

M.H. Syed, *Human Rights: the New Era* (New Delhi: Kilsa Books, 2003).

Tim Dunne and Nicholas J. Wheeler (eds.), *Human Rights in Global Politics* (Cambridge; Cambridge University Press, 1998)

Aftab Alam (ed.), *Human Right in International law: Legal and Policy Issues* (Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1984)

Amnesty International, *Human Rights in India* (New Delhi: Vistaar, 1993).

Theodor Meron (ed.), *Human Right in International Law: Legal and Policy Issues* (Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1984).

Thomas Buergenthal and Judith R. Hall (eds.), *Human Rights, International law and the Helsinki Accord* (Bombay: Allied, 1977).

Human Rights Watch Global Report on Women's Human Rights (Delhi: OUP, 1998, reprint of 1995).

Centre for Development and Human Rights, *The Right to Development: A Primer* (New Delhi: Sage, 2004)

## **Semester IV**

#### **Paper XVI Contemporary Political Theory: Recent Debates (Compulsory)**

- 1) Postmodernism : Mitchel Foucault
- 2) Feminism
- 3) Communitarianism
- 4) Multiculturalism
- 5) Environmentalism
- 6) Marxist Theory Today
- 7) Orientalism: Edward Said
- 8) Existentialism: J.P. Sartre

#### **Books Recommended:**

B. Ashcroft, *The Post Colonial Studies Reader*. London, Routledge, 1995

V Bryson, *Feminist Political Theory*, London, Macmillan, 1992

J. Gray, *Post-Liberalism: Studies in Political Thought* London, Routledge, 1993

A Gutman (ed.), *Multiculturalism*, Princeton NJ, Princeton University Press, 1994

L. Hutcheon, *The Politics of Postmodernism*, London and New York, Routledge, 1989

W. Kymlicka, *Multicultural Citizenship*, Oxford, Clarendon Press, 1995

#### **Paper- XVII Theory of Public Administration: Process and Issues (Compulsory)**

- 1) Good Governance: Concept, models and evaluation.

- 2) Development Administration: concept and models; E-governance and public administration- concept, application and evaluation; public policy analysis- models: incrementalist and rationalist.
- 3) Types of budget: Line-item, Performance and Zero based.
- 4) Civil servants' relationship with political executive; Generalist-specialist controversy in bureaucracy.

#### **Books Recommended**

S. Agere *Promoting Good Governance: Principles, Practices and Perspectives* (London: Commonwealth Secretariat, 2000)

B.Chakrabarty, M.Bhattacharya. *Governance Discourse: A Reader* (New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2008).

J. K. Sundaram *Is Good Governance Good for Development?* (New York: Bloomsbury, 2012).

R.K. Sapru *Public Policy: Art and Craft of Policy Analysis* (New Delhi: Prentice Hall India, 2012).

T. R. Dye *Understanding Public Policy* (Englewood Cliffs: Prentice Hall, latest edition).

D. S. Greisler, R.J. Stupak (ed.) *Handbook on Technology Management in Public Administration* (Boca Raton, Florida: CRC Press, 2007).

S. Bhatnagar, *Unlocking E-Government Potential: Concepts, Cases and Practical Insights*, (New Delhi: Sage Publications India Ltd. 2009).

Mohit Bhattacharya, *New Horizons of Public Administration*, (New Delhi: Jawahar Publishers & Distributors, Latest Hindi & English editions)

Ramesh K. Arora and Rajni Goyal, *Indian Public Administration*, (New Delhi: Wishwa Prakashan, 2008)

M.J.K Thavraj *Financial Administration in India* (New Delhi: Sultan Chand & Sons, 2001).

I. Rubin *Public Budgeting: Policy, Process and Politics* (Armonk, New York: M.E. Sharpe, 2008).

A. Awasthi, S.R. Maheshwari, *Public Administration* (Agra: Lakshmi Narain Agrawal, latest Hindi and English editions).

M.P. Sharma, B.L, Sadana, *Public Administration in Theory and Practice* (Allahabad: Kitab Mahal, latest Hindi and English editions).

S. Gupta, K. Kumar, *Sushashan* (New Delhi: National Book Trust, 2008).

B.P. Abraham, et.al. *Good Governance* (New Delhi: Sage, 2012).

B.P. Abraham, et.al. *Sushashan* (New Delhi: Sage, 2012).

R.K. Sapru *Lok Niti* (New Delhi: Jawahar Publishers and Distributors, 2002).

### **Paper XVIII- Contemporary Debates in Politics –II (Compulsory)**

1. Dharma and Rajneeti: Indian perspective
2. Globalization and State
3. Emerging Dynamics of People's Movement and Role of Civil Society

### **Readings**

M.J. Aronoff. (ed.). *Religion and Politics*. New Jersey: Transaction Publishers, 1984.

N. Chandhoke. *The Concepts of civil Society*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2003.

J. Friedman (ed.). *Globalisation, the State and Violence*. Rowman and Little Field Publishers, Inc., 2003.

R.J. Holton. *Globalization and the Nation State*. MacMillan Press Ltd., 1998.

E. Kofman and G.Young (eds.). *Globalization: Theory and Practice*. London.

P.Norris and R. Inglehart. *Sacred and Secular: Religion and Politics Worldwide*. Cambridge University Press.

R.Ray and M.F. Katzenstein (eds.) *Social Movements in India*. Row and Littlefield Publishers Inc.

## **Group A – Political Theory**

### **Paper- XIX Explanatory Theories**

- 1) Hermeneutics
- 2) Historical Materialism
- 3) Rational Choice
- 4) Structuralism
- 5) Post-structuralism and Deconstruction

### **Books Recommended**

Cohen, Gerald Allan, 2000, *Karl Marx's Theory of History: A defense*, (Cambridge Mass, Cambridge University Press).

Deleuze, Gilles. 2002. "How Do We Recognise Structuralism?" In *Desert Islands and Other Texts 1953-1974*. Trans. David Lapoujade. Ed. Michael Taormina. Los Angeles and New York: Semiotext.

Foucault, Michel. *The Order of Things: An Archaeology of the Human Sciences*. New York: Vintage, 1973.

Giddens, Anthony (1993), *New rules of sociological method: A positive critique of interpretative sociologies*. Stanford, CA: Stanford University Press,

Goodin, Robert E. and Hans-Dieter Klingemann edited, 1996, *A New Handbook of Political Science*. Oxford, Oxford University Press.

Goodin, Robert E. and Philip Pettit edited, 1993, *A Companion to Contemporary Political Philosophy*, Oxford, Oxford-University Press.

Goodin, Robert E. and Philip Pettit edited, 1997, *Contemporary Political Philosophy*. Oxford, Blackwell Publishers,.

Gutman, Amy edited, 1994, *Multiculturalism: Examining the Politics of Recognition*, Princeton N.J, Princeton University Press..

Hampton, Jean, *Political Philosophy: An Introduction*, Delhi, Oxford University Press, 1998.

Harrison, Ross, *Democracy*, London, Routledge, 1993.

Miller, David and Larry Siedentop edited, *The Nature of Political Theory*, Oxford, Clarendon Press, 1983.

Okin, Susan Moller, Justice, *Gender and the Family*, New York, Basic Books, 1989.

Pettit, Philip (1975), *The Concept of Structuralism: A Critical Analysis*, University of California Press,

Taylor, Charles, 1985, *Philosophy and the Human Sciences*, Vol. 2, (Cambridge, Cambridge University Press).

### **Paper XX - Critical Traditions in Political Theory**

**Course Objective:** While different papers in theory already included in the syllabi provide the necessary basis of political theory, this course underlines the primary challenges to mainstream political theory from various perspectives. Critical social theory is a form of self-reflective knowledge that entails both understanding and theoretical explanation to diminish entrapment in systems of domination or dependence, and exploring the possible emancipatory interest by expanding the scope of autonomy and minimizing the scope of domination.

#### **a. Introduction**

Significance of Critical traditions

#### **b. Marxism**

Critique of Capitalism- Alienation & Exploitation; Theories of Revolution

#### **c. Feminism**

Theories of knowledge; critiques of science and rationality; Theories of the Public/Private; Equality/Difference

#### **d. Ecological Critique**

Ecological democracy; and Ecological citizenship.

#### **e. Dalit Bahujan**

Critique of the theory and practice of caste; and encounter with modernity.

#### **f. Post-Modernity**

Critique of Enlightenment Rationality and Universalism

### **Books Recommended**

Dobson, Andrew, 1995, *Green Political Thought*, 2nd. Ed. (London, Routledge).

Dobson, Andrew, 1998, *Justice and the Environment*, (Oxford, Oxford University Press).

Barrett, Michelle, 1980, *Women's Oppression Today: Problems in Marxist Feminist Analysis*, (London, Verso).

Evelyn, Fox Keller and Helen Longino (eds.), 1996, *Feminism and Science*, (Oxford, Oxford

University Press).

Geetha, V and S Rajadularai, 1998, *Towards a non-Brahmin Millenium*, (Calcutta, samya).

Gilroy, Robert, 1992, *Green Political Theory*, (Cambridge, Polity).

Jaggar, Alison, 1983, *Feminist Politics and Human Nature*, (Harvester Press).

Jameson, Frederic. *Postmodernism: Or the Cultural Logic of Late Capitalism*. Durham, NC: Duke University Press, 1999.

Kolakowski, Leszek, 1978, *Main Currents in Marxism*, (Volumes 1-3), (Oxford, Clarendon Press).

La, Capra Dominick (ed.), 1991, *The Bounds of Race: Perspectives on Hegemony and resistance*, (Ithaca, Cornell University Press).

Laclau, Ernesto and Chantal Mouffe, 1985, *Hegemony and Socialist Strateg* (London, verso).

Laclau, Ernesto, 1990, *New Reflections on the Revolution of our Time*, London, Verso.

Liotard, Jean-Fancois, 1984, *The Postmodern Condition: A Report on Knowledge*, trans. Geoff Bennington and Brian Massumi (Manchester: Manchester University Press, 1984).

Maria, Mies and Vandana Shiva, 1993, *Ecofeminism*, (Delhi, kali for Women).

Merchant, Carolyn edited, *Ecology: Key concepts in Critical Theory Series*, (Jaipur, Rawat).

Meszaros, Istvar, 1970, *Marx,s theory of Alienation*, (London, Merlin Press).

Nicoloson, , Lynda J., edited, 1990, *Feminism/Postmodernism*, (London, Routledge).

Munck, Ronaldo, *A Difficult Dialogue: Marxism and Nationalism*, (London, Zed).

Okin, Susan Moller, Justice, *Gender and the Family*, New York, Basic Books, 1989.

Ryle, Martin, 1988, *Ecology and Socialism*, London, Radius.

Scott, Joan and Judith Butler edited, 1992, *Feminists Theorize the Political*. London, Routledge.

Hayward, Tim, 1994, *Ecological Thought: An Introduction*, Cambridge, Polity Press.

Williams. Patricia, 1991, *The Alchemy of Race and Rights*, Harvard Mass, Harvard University Press.

## Paper- XXI Issues in Political Philosophy

**Course Objective:** The objective of this course is to make students acquainted with certain fundamental philosophical issues essential for not only understanding political philosophy and theory but also help reflect more comprehensibly the present human problems recurring repeatedly.

- a. **Understanding the Self**  
Individualism; The socially situated self; The self and other.
- b. **Universalism- Particularism and Communitarianism**  
Meanings of Universalism and Particularism; Main debates surrounding Universalism and Particularism; Take of Communitarianism in this Debate.
- c. **Accommodating Diversities- Multiculturalism and Pluralism**  
Diversity and Liberal Traditions; Social and Political Pluralism and Difference; Multiculturalism.
- d. **Foundationalism and Anti-Foundationalism**  
What is Foundationalism, and Anti-Foundationalism?; Post-Modernist Critique of Foundationalism

## Books Recommended

Alston, W. 1976a. "Two Types of Foundationalism." *The Journal of Philosophy* 73, 165-185.

Elster, John, 1993, *Political Psychology*, (Cambridge, Cambridge University Press).

Hampton, Jean, 1997, *Political Philosophy*, (Oxford, Oxford University Press).

Kelly, P., (ed.), 2002, *Multiculturalism Reconsidered* (Cambridge: Polity Press).

Kymlicka, Will, *Liberalism, Community and Culture*, (Oxford, Clarendon Press).

Kymlicka, W., (ed.), 1995, *The Rights of Minority Cultures* (Oxford: Oxford University Press).

Kymlicka, Will and Wayne, Norman, 2000, *Citizenship in Diverse Societies*, (Oxford, Oxford University Press).

Larmore, Charles, 1996, *The Morals of Modernity*, (Cambridge, Cambridge University Press).

Mulhall, Stephen, and Swift, Adam, 1992, *Liberals and Communitarian*, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed., (Oxford, Oxford University Press).

Parekh, P., 2000, *Rethinking Multiculturalism*, (Basingstoke: Palgrave).

Putnam, Hillary, 1981, *Reason, Truth and History*, (Cambridge, Cambridge University Press).

Rasmussen, David, (ed.), 1990, *Universalism vs. Communitarianism*, (Cambridge Mass, The MIT Press).

Rawls, John, 1993, *Political Liberalism*, (New York, Columbia University Press).

Rosenblum, N. L., (ed.), 1989, *Liberalism and the Moral Life* (London: Harvard University).

Stevens, Richard, 1996, *Understanding the Self*, Reprinted 2002, 2004, (London: Sage).

Taylor, Charles, 1985, *Philosophy and the Human Sciences*, Vol. 1 & 2, (Cambridge, Cambridge University Press).

Taylor, Charles, 1989, *Sources of the Self: The Making of the Modern Identity*, (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press).

Taylor, Charles, 1997, *Philosophical Arguments*, (Harvard Mass, Harvard University Press).

Triplett, Timm. 1990. "Recent work on Foundationalism," *American Philosophical Quarterly* 27:2, 93-116.

Young, I.M., 1989, 'Polity and Group Difference: A Critique of the Ideal of Universal Citizenship', *Ethics*, 99/2, pp.250-274.

## Group B - Government and Politics

### Paper XIX- Panchayati Raj in India

- 1) Evolution of Panchayati Raj in India: Pre-Independence
- 2) The Status of Panchayati Raj: Legal and Constitutional provisions regarding structures of Panchayati Raj
- 3) 73<sup>rd</sup> Constitutional Amendment
- 4) Empowerment of the marginalized sections of the society.
- 5) Rural Development
- 6) Problems: autonomy, finance, accountability, peoples, representative bureaucracy relationship

### Books Recommended

Maheshwari S R, *Local Government in India*, New Delhi, Orient Longman, New Delhi, latest edition.

R.P Joshi & G.S. Narwani, *Panchayati Raj in India: Emerging Trends*, Rawat Publications, Jaipur, 2002

Mishra, S.N., *Dreams and Realities: Expectation from Panchayati Raj*, New Delhi, IIPA, 1996

73<sup>rd</sup> Constitution Amendment Act, 1992

S.N. Jha and P.C. Mathur, *Decentralization and Local Politics*, New Delhi, Sage, 1999

### **Paper- XX Process of Urban Government in India**

- 1) Relation between the deliberative and executive wings: Bombay and Calcutta models.
- 2) Finance of urban government
- 3) Relationship with the state government.
- 4) Electoral politics, role of political parties and pressure groups.
- 5) Urban development policy. Programmes of urban development in respect to housing, health, sanitation, electricity, water supply education, transportation, slum improvement and environment protection.
- 6) Improving city government.

### **Books Recommended**

S.R. Maheswari, *Local Government in India*, Lakshmi Narain Agarwal, Agra, 2003

T.N. Chaturvedi and A. Dutta (ed), *Local Government IIPA*, New Delhi.

Mohit Bhattacharya, *Management of Urban Government in India*, Uppal Book Store, New Delhi.

M.A. Muttalib and MAA Khan, *Theory of Local Government*, Sterling Publishers Pvt. Ltd. New Delhi.

R.B. Das and D.P. Singh (ed), *Deliberative and Executive wings in Local Government*, Institute of Public Administration, Lucknow.

Eighth, Ninth and Tenth Five year Plans

*Indian Journal of Public Administration*, New Delhi

*Nagarlok, IIPA*, New Delhi

### **Paper XXI - Federalism in India**

- 1) Background, Evolution and Nature of Federalism in India
- 2) Developments in Indian Federalism since 1947
- 3) Centre-State Relations with reference to Emergency and Financial Powers
- 4) Demand for State Autonomy
- 5) Sarkaria Commission Report: An Analysis of Inter-State Councils
- 6) Regional Parties and their Impact on the Federal Process
- 7) Recent Trends and Prospects.

### **Books Recommended**

(a) Mahendra Prasad Singh, *Indian Federalism: An Introduction*, National Book Trust, New Delhi, 2011.

(b) Nirmal Mukharji and Balveer Arora, *Federalism in India*, Vikas Publishing House Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi, 1992.

(c) Ronald L. Watts, *Comparing Federal Systems*, Montreal, McGill-Queen's University Press, 2008 (Latest Edition).

(d) James Manor, "Centre-State Relations" in Atul Kohli, ed., *The Success of India's Democracy*, Cambridge, U.K., Cambridge University Press, 2001 (South Asia edn. 2002): 78-102.

(e) Jyotirindra Dasgupta, "India's federal design and multicultural national construction" in Atul Kohli, ed., *The Success of India's Democracy*, Cambridge, U.K., Cambridge University Press, 2001 (South Asia edn. 2002): 49-77.

(f) Mahendra Prasad Singh. "Towards a More Federalized Parliamentary System in India: Explaining the Functional Change", *Pacific Affairs*, Vol. 74, No. 4, Winter 2001-2002: 553-568.

(g) K. C. Wheare, *Federal Government*, New York, Oxford University Press, New York, 1964.

(h) Daniel J. Elazar, *Exploring Federalism*, Tuscaloosa, Al., University of Alabama Press, 1987.

(i) Akhtar Majeed, ed. *Federal Power Sharing: Accommodating Indian Diversity*, Delhi, Manak Publications, 2009.

(j) Sarkaria Commission Report on Centre-State Relations (1988). Chairman – Justice R. S. Sarkaria.

(k) Second Administrative Reforms Commission Report (2009). Chairman- M. Veerappa Moili.

(l) Commission on Centre-State Relations (2010). Chairman- Justice M. M. Punchhi.

(m) Balveer Arora and Douglas V. Verney, *Multiple Identities in a Single State*, Delhi, Konark Publications Private Limited, 1995.

(n) M. Govinda Rao and Nirvikar Singh, *Political Economy of Federalism in India*, New Delhi, Oxford University Press, 2005.

(o) Akhtar Majeed (ed.), *Federalism within the Union: Distribution of Responsibilities in the Indian System*, New Delhi, Manak Publications, 2004.

## **OR**

### **Nation Building in the Third World II**

- 1) **Asia:** Patterns of Dominance and Resurgence Forces and Factors for the Development of National Struggle.
- 2) Impulses of Nation Building:
- 3) Impediments to Nation-Building
- 4) Role of Multi-National Corporations and Foreign Aid.
- 5) Contemporary Challenges: Self Determination and Ethno-Nationalism.

### **Books Recommended**

Gallis, Rosemary, ed. *Rethinking the Third World*, New York, Crane Russak, 1992

Gillis, Malcolm, Perkins, Dwight H. Roemer, Michael, and Snodgrass, Donald, *Economics of Development*, 3<sup>rd</sup> ed. New York and London, Norton, 1992

Mittelman, James H. *Out from Underdevelopment*, New York, St. Martin's Press, 1988

Randall, Vicky and Theobald, R. *Political Change and Underdevelopment*, Durham, N.C., Duke University Press, 1985

Mazrui, A.A. & Tidy, *Michael: Nationalism and New States in Africa*.

Chatterjee, Partha, *The Nation and its Fragments*. OUP, London, 1993

Hutchinson and Smith Anthony, *Nationalism*, Oxford University Press, 1999

Upadhyaya A.S., *Self Determination in World Politics*, Lokbharati 1984

## **GROUP C - International Relations**

### **Paper- XIX Contemporary Issues in International law-II**

- 1) Territorial Sovereignty
- 2) Jurisdiction and Immunities from Jurisdiction
- 3) State Responsibility
- 4) International Environmental Law
- 5) Pacific Settlement of Disputes
- 6) The Use of Force
- 7) International Security

### **Books Recommended**

Shaw: *International Law*, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition, 1991

Dixon and McCorquodale: *Cases and Materials on International Law*, 1991

Ian Brownlie: *Principles of Public International Law* 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, 1990

Select articles from American Journal of International Law

Select articles from British Yearbook of International Law

Select articles from Harvard International Law Journal

Select articles from International and Comparative Law Quarterly

## **OR**



## International Organization II

**Rationale:** This paper aims to introduce major global concerns of the present international society, such as environment, development, human rights, humanitarian affairs and collective security and how international organizations have responded to these, with the perspective of role evaluation and future road map.

### 1. Ecology-Development Debate and the UN:

Anthropocentrism vs. Ecocentrism;  
Environmentalism vs. Green Political Theory;  
Major UN efforts - UNEP, UNFCCC,  
Positions of the West and Global South on various  
Environmental Issues.

### 2. Addressing Marginalization and Development:

UN and Millennium Development Goals;  
World Bank's: Structure, Major Policies and Changing  
Lending Patterns.

### 3. The WTO and G20:

WTO Structure, Negotiation Process, Dispute Settlement  
Mechanism, Free Trade Agreements and WTO;

Emerging Economic and Financial Governance- G20;

India's strategy and role in WTO and G20.

### 4. The UN: Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs:

Human rights: UN efforts, Contemporary Debates-  
Universalist vs. Cultural relativism, Asian values;  
Humanitarian intervention: Concept, Solidarists vs  
Restrictionists debate, R2P, Post-cold war practices and  
challenges.

### 5. Collective Security: Concept, Subjective and Objective Requirements, UN Collectiv Security System and efforts after Cold War.

## General Readings

DeSombre, Elizabeth R. (2006), *Global Environmental  
Institutions*, Oxon: Routledge.

Speth, James Gustave And Peter M. Haas (2007), *Global  
Environmental Governance*, New Delhi: Dorling  
Kindersley.

Vincent, R.J. (1986), *Human Rights and International  
Relations*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Evans, Tony (2005), *The Politics of Human Rights: A  
Global Perspective*, London: Pluto Press.

Hoffmann, Stefan-Ludwig (2011), *Human Rights in the  
Twentieth Century*, New York: Cambridge University  
Press.

Wheeler, Nicholas J. (2003), *Saving Strangers:  
Humanitarian Intervention in International Society*, New  
York: Oxford University Press.

Normand, Roger and Sarah Zaidi (2008), *Human Rights at  
the UN: The Political History of Universal Justice*,  
Bloomington: Indiana University Press.

Gilbert, Christopher L. and David Vines (2000), *The World  
Bank: Structure and Policies*, Cambridge: Cambridge  
University Press.

Marshall, Katherine (2008), *The World Bank: From  
reconstruction to development to equity*, Oxon: Routledge.

Peet, Richard (2009), *Unholy Trinity: The IMF, World  
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  - b) ASEAN
  - c) EU
  - d) The Commonwealth
  - e) Central Asian Republics
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  - (ii) International terrorism since 9/11 with special reference to South Asian region.
  - (iii) Counterterrorism efforts
- (2) Contemporary Conflicts & Political Violence
  - (i) Ethnic Conflict: Kosovo, Rwanda
  - (ii) Politico-Religious Conflict: Afghanistan, Kashmir, Palestine
  - (iii) Revolutionary Violence: India, Nepal and Latin America
- (3) Human Development & Human Security
  - (i) Human Development: Meaning and Indicators
  - (ii) Human Security: Origin, Meaning, Evolution, Elements, Dimensions and Debates
  - (iii) Development & Governance Deficit: Inequality, Poverty and Violence
- (4) Peace through Gender Lens
  - (i) Women's predicaments in conflict zone
  - (ii) Women as peace makers
  - (iii) UN efforts to protect women in conflict zone
- (5) Environmental Security
  - (i) Environmental Security: Concept and various aspects
  - (ii) Environmental Conflicts and Resolutions in South Asia
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- 1) Canadian Political System: Nature and Characteristics
- 2) The Constitution – Origins and Evolution
- 3) Governor General, Prime Minister and Cabinet
- 4) House of Commons, Senate
- 5) Judicial System
- 6) Federal System, Quebec Issue, Inter-Governmental Relations
- 7) Electoral Systems and Elections
- 8) Political Parties and Political Process

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- 2) Parliamentary Monarchy
- 3) Structure and organs of Government: Executive, Legislative and Judiciary
- 4) Party System
- 5) Pressure Groups
- 6) Bureaucracy
- 7) Major Issues: Welfare (Social Security), Integration with EU, Redressal of Grievances.

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- 2) Communists Party in the Political System
- 3) The State Structure and Administrative Divisions
- 4) Central Government Organizations: Executive, Legislature and Judiciary
- 5) Development of the Policy: Problems and Issues
- 6) Deng Xiaoping era: Liberalization and Reform era
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- 1) Geopolitical realities and historical background of South Asia
- 2) Socio-economic structure of South Asian countries
- 3) Constitutional and political development since the Second World War
- 4) Basic nature of political system of South Asian countries
  - (i) Democratic and monarchical systems

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- 1). The narrative and dynamics of nation-building in South Asia
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  - b. Nation-building and the project of national integration
- 2). Democracy and its discontent: Challenges of strange multiplicity
  - a. Pluralism vs the multicultural debate
  - b. Secularism, communalism and regionalism (the problem of language, caste and religion)
- 3). Challenges to the nation-state
  - a. Politics of recognition and the question of autonomy, self-determination and subnationalism

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- 2) Technology and the digital divide
- 3) Gender and the Environment Debate
- 4) Gender, Security and peace

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- 3) Women in national movement: Annie Besant, Sarojini Naidu, Rajkumari Amrit Kaur, Kamla Devi Chattopadhyay, Durga Bai Deshmukh, Aruna Asaf Ali Sarala Devi Chaudhari
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- 3) Postmodernist Feminism: Importance of Difference
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- 1) State: Formation of the State: Saptang Theory, Power and functions.
- 2) Nature of State Authority.
- 3) Kingship: Origin, Power and functions, nature of authority: limitations: Council of Ministers and King; Taxation; Coronation.
- 4) Law and Justice: Sources of law, supremacy of law; courts organization and Judges; judicial administration.
- 5) International law and politics: principles and means of diplomacy; international agencies, Rajdoot, war and peace; treaties.

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- 2) Law and justice: sources of law; schools of Muslim law; justices and moral welfare; secular orientation of law and justice.
- 3) Government: pattern of governmental structure, religious and political behaviour of government, departments of government.
- 4) Political economy: property rights, taxation, land settlement, rural and urban economy, interpretations of hindu scriptures regarding economic issues.
- 5) Non-Islamic polity of medieval India: Maratha polity, Sikh polity, Rajput polity.

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- 2) Human rights agencies: structure, organization and functions
  - (i) National Human Rights Commission
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- 3) Case studies: jammu and Kashmir, Gujarat, Punjab and North-East India

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  - (i).Sustainable development as a prelude to sustainable society
- 2). Environmental issues and international initiatives
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  - (ii) Global warming: beyond the Kyoto Protocol

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