

Programme Project Report (PPR) for Master of Arts – POLITICAL SCIENCE

Programme's Mission & Objectives:

1. To provide educational opportunities for higher education through Online Learning mode for a rgesegment of the population, including those in employment, women (includinghousewives) and adults who wish to upgrade their education or acquire knowledge invarious fields of study.
2. To spread the light of education till the smallest & darkest corner.
3. To provide access t ohighereducation to all segments of the society;
4. To offer high-quality, innovative and need-based programme sat different levels,to all those who require them;
5. Toreachouttothedisadvantagedbyofferingprogrammesinallpartsofthecountryataffordablcostswithourmotto“ दश हित म शिक्षा का पसार, दश क कान कान म”
6. Topromote,coordinateandregulatethestandardsofeducationofferedthroughopenanddistan celearning inthecountry.
7. Tospreadmoreliteracyinthesociety.

RelevanceoftheprogramwithHEI'sMissionandGoals :

The University understands the need of literacy in India & firmly believes that education has to bespread to the general masses. The University has acquired a commendable record of service inthe field ofeducation, health care,and socialwelfare.To reach with theabove motive ofservice to the remotest corner of India, the Distance Education Programme of Swami VivekanandSubhartiUniversitywasconceivedin2009.

Natureofprospectivetargetgroupoflearners:

A large segment of the population living in villages, weaker sections of the society including thosewhoarealreadyinemployment,girlsbelongingtotheremoteareas,womenwithsocialcommitments (includinghome-makers)andanyonewhowishestoupgradetheireducationoracquireknowledgeinvariousfieldsofstudy.

AppropriatenessofprogrammetobeconductedinOpenandDistanceLearningmodetoacqui respecificskillsandcompetence:

Throughvariousprogrammes,distanceeducationcanbe abletospreadmoreliteracyinthesocietyandencouragethelargesegmentofpopulationtoupgradet heireducationskill/s.

CourseStructure:

1.InstructionalDesign:

TheInstructionalSystemoftheUniversitycomprisessixcomponents,viz,SelfLearningMaterial,Contin uousInternalAssessment(IA)&Assignmentwork(AW),TheoryTraining

Classes, Practical Exposure Classes, Professional Project Work, Internship & Industry Integrated Learning.

1. Self Learning Material (SLM)–

The success and effectiveness of distance education systems largely depends on the study materials. Self-

learning materials depend on exploiting the various means and ways of communication to suit to the needs of learners. These have been so designed as to substitute effectively the absence of interaction with teachers in class room teaching mode. Their style is ideal for easy and better understanding in self-study mode.

2. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA)

The progress of a learner is continuously monitored through Personal Contact Programmes, Viva & Group Discussions, Personality Development Programmes and Assignment Work. All these are compulsory and marks shall be awarded for attendance and performance of a learner in all these activities, as may be prescribed in the syllabus.

- a. **Personality Contact Programme (PCP)** – PCP sessions guide the learners as the programme proceeds. The date and venue for the PCP will be communicated to the learner through our website. During PCP, the learner gets guidance for better understanding of the subject. The learners can get their doubts cleared with the help of subject experts so as to improve their self-learning capability. The total duration of PCP sessions for a subject of four credits shall be 12-16 hours. Learners are required to attend PCP sessions for all their respective subjects.
- b. **Viva & Group Discussion (VGD)–**
VGDs are designed to help the learners improve their professional communication and presentation abilities. Special emphasis is laid on learners speaking extempore, an ability necessary for building leadership skills as well as for enhancing the capability of understanding and exchanging views. The total duration of VGD sessions for a subject of four credits shall be 3-4 hrs.
- c. **Personal Development Programme (PDP)** – The PDPs are designed to improve the overall personality of the learner, and aim, especially, at the improvement of body language and strengthening of the power of expression. The purpose is to inculcate leadership, communication and presentation skills and brush up the knowledge of the learner by organizing a mix of management games, debates, quizzes and role play. The duration of PDP sessions for a subject of four credits shall be 3-4 hrs.
- d. **Assignment Work (AW)** – Distance Education learners have to depend much on self study. In order to ascertain the writing skill and level of comprehension of the learner, assignment work is compulsory for all learners. Each assignment shall consist of a number of questions, case studies and practical related tasks. The Assignment Question Papers will be uploaded to the website within a scheduled time and the learners shall be required to respond them within a specified period of time. The response of the learner is examined by a faculty member.

3. **PracticalExposureClass(PEC)** –NotApplicable.
4. **ProfessionalProject/DissertationWork(PPW)**–ThePPWenablesalearnertoexperience the regours of an environment with the real life situations. The learners shallalso be required to prepare a project report, which shall be evaluated by the University.Learners shall be subjected to a comprehensive viva for proper evaluation of the ProjectReport.Forprojectwork,wherevermentionedinthesyllabus,DDEshallprovidecomple te guidance to the learners. Normally, one credit of PPW shall require 30 hrs orinputbythelearner.
5. **Internship&IndustryIntegratedLearning(IIIL)**–NotApplicable
6. **Examinations–**
 - (a) The examination shall be held semester wise in June & December for the Calendar Batch andinDecember&June forAcademicbatchrespectively.
 - (b) AdmitCards/RollNo.Slipsanddatesheetforappearingintheexaminationshallbeprovisional subject to fulfilling the eligibility, etc. Admit Cards/Roll Nos. and date-sheet will beissuedtothecandidatesconcerned,bye-mailorbyhand,10-12daysbeforethecom mencement of examination concerned, if thestudents have fulfilled all the requirementsand paid their all kinds of fees/dues and submitted the requisite documents. If any candidatedoes not receive his/her Admit Card/Roll No. slip in time, he/she should contact the DirectorateofDistanceEducation.
 - (c) An Examination Centre for theory& practical will be decided by the DDE and will be locatedinagovernmentcollegeoraschool, wherealltherequisite facilitiescanbemade available.

2. Curriculum design

MA in Political Science (First Year):

Semester-I

Code	Course	Course Type	Teaching Load per week				Credit	Marks		Total Marks
			L	T	P	Total		Continuous Comprehensive Assessment (CCA)	End-Semester Examination (ESE)	
Code Course										
M.A.POL.-101	Ancient and Medieval western Political thought	Compulsory (Theory)	3	1	1	5	4	30	70	100
M.A.POL.-102	Politics in India		3	1	1	5	4	30	70	100
M.A.POL.-103	Indian political System		3	1	1	5	4	30	70	100
M.A.POL.-104	Urban Politics in the age of Globalisation		4	1	1	6	6	30	70	100
Total							18	120	280	400

Semester-II

Code	Course	Course Type	Teaching Load per week				Credit	Marks		Total Marks
			L	T	P	Total		Continuous Comprehensive Assessment (CCA)	End-Semester Examination (ESE)	
Code Course										
M.A.POL.-201	Modern western political thought	Compulsory (Theory)	3	1	1	5	4	30	70	100
M.A.POL.-202	Comparative political analysis		3	1	1	5	4	30	70	100
M.A.POL.-203	International Politics		3	1	1	5	4	30	70	100
M.A.POL.-204	Indian government and Politics		3	1	1	5	4	30	70	100
Total							16	120	280	400

MA in Political Science (Second Year): Semester-III

Semester-III

Code	Course	Course Type	Teaching Load per week				Credit	Marks		Total Marks
			L	T	P	Total		Continuous Comprehensive Assessment (CCA)	End-Semester Examination (ESE)	
Code Course										
M.A.POL.-301	Democracy in India	Compulsory (Theory)	3	1	1	5	4	30	70	100
M.A.POL.-302	Contemporary political theory		3	1	1	5	4	30	70	100
M.A.POL.-303	Liberal Political theory		3	1	1	5	4	30	70	100
M.A.POL.-304	Political theory after world war first		3	1	1	5	4	30	70	100
Total							16	120	280	400

Semester-IV

Code	Course	Course Type	Teaching Load per week				Credit	Marks		Total Marks
			L	T	P	Total		Continuous Comprehensive Assessment (CCA)	End-Semester Examination (ESE)	
Code Course										
M.A.POL.-401	Contemporary issues in Global Politics	Compulsory (Theory)	3	1	1	5	4	30	70	100
M.A.POL.-402	Public Administration		3	1	1	5	4	30	70	100
M.A.POL.-403	Gender and Politics		3	1	1	5	4	30	70	100
M.A.POL.-404	Human rights in India		3	1	1	5	4	30	70	100
Total							16	120	280	400

3.DetailedSyllabus

**Subject: Ancient and Medieval Western Political Thought Pa
percode: M.A.POL.–101**

Course Objectives:

The ancient **Indian concepts** of state and state-craft were derived from the **concept** of Dharma. It was the general philosophical position that the goal of each individual on earth is to move towards spiritual realisation or moksha and duties in one's day to day life or karma was seen as a way of aiding that process.

Medieval philosophy is the philosophy produced in Western Europe during the **middle ages**....

Philosophical writing about **politics** during the **middle ages** (as during the early modern period) was often an attempt to influence public events, and the history of the subject therefore involves reference to those events.

Unit-I

Greek political thoughts

1. Plato
2. Aristotle

Unit-II

Ancient Roman political thoughts

1. Polybius
2. Cicero

Unit-III

Ancient Hindu Political Thoughts
Kautilya

Unit-IV

Medieval Political thoughts

1. Thomas Aquinas
2. Dante
3. Alighieri

Readings:

1. Barker, E. (1947), Greek Political Theory: Plato and his predecessors, Methuen, London.
2. Brecht, Arnold, Political Theory, Princeton, Princeton University Press, 1959.
3. Hacker, A., Political Theory: Philosophy, Ideology, Science, New York, Macmillan, 1963.
4. Johri, J.C., Contemporary Political Theory, New Delhi, Sterling, 1999. 6. Verma, S.P. Modern

**Subject: Politics in
India Paper code: M.A.POL.–
102**

Course Objective:

This course focuses on societal dynamics and their impact on political processes. It identifies specific themes which are significant for the study of politics in India, explores the way in which these themes have acquired salience, and how their changing forms have impacted upon the nature and course of Indian politics. It seeks in particular to understand how state and politics are informed by social processes and political mobilizations, historically and in contemporary contexts.

UNIT-I

1. Approaches to Indian Politics a. Historical, cultural, legal and political economy perspectives
2. State in India a. Democratic, developmental and coercive dimensions

UNIT-II

1. Class, Caste, Tribe and Gender
 - a. The changing nature of class dominance in India
 - b. Politics and social mobilizations
 - c. Issues of equality and representation
2. Religion, Region and Language
 - a. Communalism and secular politics
 - b. Region and language: issues of recognition, autonomy and secession

UNIT-III

1. Development Process
 - a. Concept, strategies, policies, and critiques
 - b. Poverty alleviation programs
 - c. Globalization and impact on the weaker sections
2. Political Parties a. Party system and reforms
3. Elections
 - a. Caste, class, religion, gender and region in electoral politics
 - b. Election Commission and electoral reforms
4. Social Movements: objectives, methods, impact and recent trends (a).
Labour: organized and unorganized,
(b).
Peasantry, (c).
Adivasis,
(d). Women

READINGS:

- A.R.Desai(ed.), Peasant Struggles in India, OUP, New Delhi, 1974.
A.R.Desai(ed.), Agrarian Struggles in India, OUP, New Delhi, 1986.
Abhay Kumar Dube (ed.), Rajnitiki kitab, Rajni Kothari kakrititva, Vani, Delhi, 2003. Abhay Kumar Dube (ed.), Bharatka Bhumandalikaran, Vani, Delhi, 2005.
Achin Vanaik, The Painful Transition: Bourgeois Democracy in India, Verso, London, 1990.

Subject: Indian Political Systems P

apercode: M.A.POL.-103

UNIT-I

1. Nomenclature and Characteristics of Ancient Indian Political Thought.
2. Sources of Ancient Political Thought and Difficulties in the study of Ancient Indian Political Thought.
3. Political Thought and Institutions in Vedic Literature
4. Mahabharata

UNIT-II

1. Manu: Political and Social Ideas
2. Kautilya

UNIT-III

1. Political and Social Ideas of Guru Nanak Dev Ji.
2. Political and Social Ideas of Guru Gobind Singh Ji. REA

DINGS

Altekar, A.S., State and Government in Ancient India, Delhi, Motilal Banarasi Dass, 1966. Banerji, P.N., International Law: Custom in Ancient India, Calcutta, 1920.

Belvalkar, S.K., Mahabharata: Santi Parvam, 1954.

Bhandarkar, D.R., Some Aspects of Ancient Hindu Polity, Varanasi, Banaras Hindu University, 1963. Deol, J.S., Social and Political Ideas of Guru Nanak Dev and Guru Gobind Singh, New Academic, Jalandhar, 1986.

Subject: Urban Politics in the age of Globalization

Code: M.A. Pol.-104

Course Objectives:

The main **objective** of the present course **Indian Political System**: Institutional and **Political Dynamics** is to present a systematic analysis of all the major dimensions of **Indian Political System**. What better way can there be to get introduced to **political system** than through the **politics** of country

Unit-I

Introduction to Urban Politics

- a) Theoretical Understanding of Urban Politics: Pluralist, Regime and Public Choice.
- b) Understanding Globalization, Globalisation and Urbanisation.
- c) Urbanisation and Urban Politics in India

Unit-II

The Changing Urban Political Economy

- a) Urban Poverty and the Informal Sector
- b) Politics of Urban Infrastructure and Investment
- c) Education, Health and Housing

Unit-III

Politics and the Production of Urban Space

- a) Politics of Labour Market
- b) Politics of Social and Cultural Change
- c) Politics of Urban Sprawl

Unit-IV

New Urban Paradigm

- a. Urban Commons and the Shared Urban Resources
- b. Access, Entitlements and Urban Enfranchisement
- c. Towards an Inclusive Urban Democracy

Reading

1. Susan S. Fainstein, Scott Campbell (Eds.), Readings in Urban Theory, Blackwell Publishers, Oxford, 2002
2. Carole Rakodi, Representation and responsiveness—urban politics and the poor in the south, Community Development Journal, Vol. 39, No. 3, 2004, 252-265.
3. Gyan Prakash, The Urban Turn: Cities of Everyday Life, Delhi, Sarai Reader, 2004.
4. Nieuwenhuys Eva (Ed.), Neo-liberal globalism and social sustainable globalization, Koninklijke Brill, Leiden, 2006.
5. Mohan Sudha, Urban Development and New Localism, Rawat Publishers, Mumbai, New Delhi and Jaipur, July 2005.
6. Gavin Shatkin, Global cities of the South: Emerging perspectives on growth and inequality, Cities, Vol. 24, No. 1, 1-15, 2007.
7. Carole Rakodi, Representation and responsiveness—urban politics and the poor in the south, Community Development Journal, Vol. 39, No. 3, 2004, 252-265.

Subject: Modern Western Political Thought P

apercode: M.A.POL-201

Course Objectives:

Political thought, or political philosophy, is the study of questions concerning power, justice, rights, law, and other issues pertaining to governance. Whereas **political science** assumes that these concepts are what they are, **political thought** asks how they have come about and to what effect

UNIT-I

1. Greek Political Thought- An Introduction
2. Importance of Classical Tradition
3. Plato
4. Aristotle

UNIT-II

1. Saint Augustine
2. St. Thomas Aquinas
3. Machiavelli
4. Hobbes

READINGS

1. Brecht, Arnold, Political Theory, Princeton, Princeton University Press, 1959.
2. Hacker, A., Political Theory: Philosophy, Ideology, Science, New York, Macmillan, 1963.
3. Johri, J. C., Contemporary Political Theory, New Delhi, Sterling, 1999. 6. Verma, S. P. Modern Political Theory, New Delhi, Vikas, 1975.
4. D. Held, Political Theory Today, Cambridge, Polity, 1991.
5. Barker, E., The Political Thought of Plato and Aristotle, New York, Dover, 1959.
6. Wayper, C. L., Political Thought, London, En Sharma English Universities Press, 1958.
7. Suda, J. P., Political Thought, Ancient & Medieval, Meerut, K. Nath & Co.

Subject: Comparative Political Analysis P
apercode: M.A. POL.-202

Objectives: Each topic is to be studied with reference to concepts, theories and the historical experiments of developing countries as well as advanced industrialised countries. A central concern of the course is to discern the Eurocentric bias in the field of comparative politics, and to identify the processes of de-centring which have reconfigured the field in significant ways.

Its **purpose** is to analyse the similarities and dissimilarities of the Government and **politics** of different countries, so that it may be possible to predict for the future. The material for **comparative** study that is available today has made the **comparative analysis** central basis of the study of **Political Science**

UNIT-I

Comparative Methods and Approaches

- a. Comparative methods: An overview of the field of Comparative Political Analysis
- b. Approaches to Comparative Political Analysis
 - i. Formal–Institutional
 - ii. Political Systems and Structural Functional Approach
 - iii. Culture-centric
 - iv. Political Economy
 - v. New Institutionalism

UNIT-II

Development

- a. Theories of Modernization
- b. Underdevelopment
- c. Dependency
- d. World System
- e. Post

Development UNIT-

III

Theories of the States

Social Movements and Revolutions

- a. Theories of Movements
- b. New Social Movements
- c. Theories of Revolutions
- d. Comparative Study of Revolutions

READINGS:

1. Adil Khan, *Politics of Identity: Ethnic Nationalism and the State in Pakistan*. Sage, New Delhi 2005
2. Alexander Hamilton, John Jay and James Madison, *The Federalist Papers* (edited with Introduction and notes by Max Beloff) New York, Basil Blackwell Inc. 1987
3. Angelo Panebianco, *Political Parties, Organisation and Power*, Cambridge University Press, New York, 1998.
4. Arend Lijphart, *Thinking About Democracy*, Routledge, London, 2008
5. Benedict Anderson, *Imagined Communities: Reflections on the Origin and Spread of Nationalism*, London, Verso, 1991

Subject: International Politics

Paper code: M.A.POL.–203

Course Objectives:

Analyze and understand the major themes of international relations and global politics
Develop an appreciation of theory and its utility in the study and practice of International Relations

Improve critical thinking and writing skills

Demonstrate the ability to describe the social, political, and economic forces that influence social behavior and the global system

Use knowledge of international affairs in a practical problem-solving way to address issues of immediate international concern

UNIT-I

1. Meaning, Nature, Scope and Developments in International Politics.
2. Theories to Study the International Politics: (a) Idealism (b) Realism/Neorealism
3. Scientific Approaches: System Approach and Decision Making Approach.
4. Dependency & Inter-dependency
5. Management of Power: Balance of Power and Collective Security

UNIT-II

1. National Power: Its meaning, elements and constraints
2. Cold War and Post-Cold War Era.
3. The Concept of Non-Alignment: Basis, Role and Relevance.
4. Disarmament and Arms Control as a Theory to Peace.

READINGS

1. Parmjit Kaur Gill and Sheveta Sehgal, Dynamics of International Relations Moving From International to Global Theory and Issues, New Delhi: Atlantic, 2012.
2. Charles Kegley W. Jr. and Shannon L. Blanton, World Politics Trends and Transformation, New York: Wadsworth, 2011.
3. Stephine Lawson, International Relations, London; Polity, 2004.

Course Objectives:

Subject: Indian Government and Politics P

apercode: M.A.POL- 204

Provides students the understanding of the processes of politics. Such an understanding is very useful in many ways

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political participation of such people who understand the processes of politics is much higher than those who don't

understand it. Secondly, the study of political science

enlightens the people about basic elements

of politics and makes the process of reconciliation easy as the

politics involves resolutions

of conflicts. The failure to recognize these basic elements of poli

tics creates various confusions in society.

UNIT-I

1. Constituent Assembly: Composition and Working.
2. Preamble, Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles of State Policy and fundamental Duties
3. Constitution as an Instrument of Social Change: Amendment Process
4. Federalism in India and its working, Tension areas of Centre-State Relations and Demand for State Autonomy.

UNIT-II

1. Union Executive: President, Prime Minister and Parliament.
2. State Government: Governor, Chief Minister and State Legislative Assembly.

UNIT-III

1. Supreme Court, Judicial Review and Judicial Activism.
2. Parliamentary System in India: Critical Assessment.

READINGS

1. Kohli, Atul, Democracy and Discontent: India's Growing Crisis of Governability, Cambridge, Cambridge University Press, 1990.
2. Kohli, Atul (ed.), The Success of India's Democracy, Cambridge, Cambridge University Press, 2001.
3. Kothari Rajani, Politics in India, Delhi, Orient Longman, 1970, Reprint 2005.
4. Kothari Rajani, State against Democracy: In Search for Humane Governance, Delhi, Ajanta, 1988.
5. Kothari Rajani, Social Movements and the Redefinition of Democracy, Boulder Colorado, Westview Press, 1993.
6. Morris Jones W.H., Politics Mainly Indian, Delhi, Orient Longman, 1978.
7. Mukherji, S., Retaining Parliamentary Democracy in India, Denouement, 9, January-February, 1999.
8. Basu, D.D., An Introduction to the Constitution of India, New Delhi, Prentice Hall, 2014

Subject: Democracy in India P
apercode: M.A.POL.–301

Course Objectives:

Working for Freedom from Hunger & Freedom from Fear, Working to establish social justice and equality for all the citizens of India, Working for establishing the Welfare State, where all citizens could be ensured free education, health and food security, Working for the development of farmers and labors, Against all social evils

UNIT-I

1. Democratic Thinking and tradition in India: Ancient and Modern.
2. Nature of Indian Democracy
3. Structure of Indian Democracy.
4. Process of Indian Democracy: Party System, Interest Groups and Social Movements.

UNIT-II

1. Socio-Economic Determinants of Indian Democracy: Caste, Language, Region and Poverty.
2. Indian Democracy at the Grass-root level.
3. Role of Women in the Political Process.
4. Emerging Trends in Indian Democracy.

Readings

1. Austin, G., The Constitution of India: Cornerstone of a Nation, Oxford University Press, 1966.
2. Austin, G., Working of a Democratic Constitution: The Indian Experience, Delhi, Oxford University Press, 2000.
3. Baird, R. (ed.), Religion in Modern India, New Delhi, Manoh, 1981.
4. Baxi, U., Political Justice, Legislative reservation for Scheduled Castes and Social Change, Madras, University of Madras, 1990.

Subject: Contemporary Political Theory

apercode: M.A.POL- 302

Course Objectives:

To increase understanding of **political** science research and analytical skills, including the ability to think critically; to construct logical arguments; to collect, analyze, and interpret evidence and data; and to formulate reasoned conclusions

Unit-I

The Nature of Political Theory : Evaluation, Decline and Revival of Political theory of recent times :Behaviouralism, Post-behaviouralism and contemporary Trend in Political Theory. Distributive Theory :The Formulation and Analysis of Harold D. Lasswell. Power Theory : The power structure of the polity - The monolithic Model of the classical Elitists, and the pluralistic model of Robert A. Dahl. Group Theory :The Group basis of politics, relationship between the Groups and the Government : Determination of Effectiveness of Groups in the Decision-making process of the polity. Game Theory : Attributes Types of Game, The strategy of Conflict, the out-comes of Games, Application and Significance of the Game Theory for political analysis. System Theory : "The concept of Political System the Model of David Easton and the Model of Gabriel A. Almond. Communications Theory: The model of political cybernetics of Karl W. Deutsch. Political Culture Theory : The model of Gabriel A. Almond - Types of political culture, the problem of cultural-structural relationship, Secularization of Political Culture and the problem of Nation-building.

Unit-II

Political Development: The Development syndrome and the Major determinants of Political Development, the crises of political development. Political Ideology: Relevance and Role of Ideology in Politics - the problems of Human Rights, individual freedom and social justice, Relevance of Liberalism, Marxism and Gandhism as alternative political ideologies for political existence and organisation.

Readings

1. David Easton: The Political System An Enquiry into the State of Pol. Sc.
2. James C. Charlesworth (ed): Contemporary Political Analysis
3. Heinz Eulau: Behavioural persuasion in politics
4. Robert A. Dahl : Modern Political Analysis
5. Heinz Eulau (ed): Political Behaviour: A reader
6. Harold D. Lasswell: Power and Politics
7. Geraint Parry: Political Elite
8. David Easton: A framework of political analysis
9. David Easton: A systems analysis of political life
10. Gabriel A. Almond & James S. Colman (ed): The Politics of Developing Areas

Subject: Liberal Political Theory P
apercode: M.A. Pol. – 303

Course Objectives:

Liberal democracy emphasises the separation of powers, an independent judiciary and a system of checks and balances between branches of government. **Liberal** democracies are likely to emphasise the importance of the state being a Rechtsstaat, i.e. a state that follows the principle of rule of law

UNIT-I

1. Liberalism: Meaning, Genesis, Development of Classical Liberalism.
2. Development of Modern Liberalism, Liberalism and Welfare State, Contemporary Liberalism
3. Locke
4. Rousseau

UNIT-II

1. Montesquieu
2. Bentham
3. J.S. Mill
4. T.H

Green. READINGS

1. Arblaster, A., *The Rise and Decline of Western Liberalism* Oxford: Basil Blackwell 1984.
2. Gray, J., *Liberalism*, 2nd ed., Milton Keynes, Open University Press, 1995.
3. Crowling, M., *Mill and Liberalism*, Cambridge, Cambridge University Press, 1963.
4. Warburton, N., Pike J & Mataves, D., *Reading Political Philosophy Machiavelli to Mill*, London, Routledge in Association with Open University, 2000.
5. Barker, E., *The Political Thought of Plato and Aristotle*, New York, Dover Publication 1959.
6. Bhandari, D.R., *History of European Political Philosophy*. The Bangalore Printing and Publishing Co. Ltd., Bangalore, 1952

**Subject: Political theory after world war -
IPaper code: M.A.Pol.-304**

Course Objectives:

The **goal** of the Strategy and **War** Course is to provide such an education through historical and contemporary case studies as well as foundational theories of **war** to expose the complex relationship between political **objectives** and the ends, ways, and means of strategy.

Unit-I

Nature of Political Thought in the Post

War Period Unit-2

Scientific Approach and Trends in Political

Analysis Unit-3

Liberalism: Hayek, Rawls, Popper, Laski, Russell, Oakshott, Hannah Arendt Unit

-4

New-

Freudianism: Eric Fromm Unit-5

Existentialists Jean Paul Sartre.

Readings

1. N. Daniels, *Reading Rawls*, Basic Books, New York, 1975
2. H.J. Laski, *A Grammar of Politics* Allen and Unwin, London, 1948
3. M. Canovan, *Hannah Arendt: An Interpretation of her Political Thought*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1992
4. P. Franco, *The Political Philosophy of Michael Oakeshott*, Yale University Press, New Haven CT, 1990
5. N.P. Barry, *Hayek's Social and Economic Philosophy*, Macmillan, London, 1979
6. T. Burke, *The Philosophy of Popper*, Manchester University Press, Manchester U.K. 1983
7. J. Rawls, *A Theory of Justice*, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 1972

**Subject: Contemporary Issues in Global Politics Pa
percode: M.A. Pol. –401**

Course Objectives

1. Educate students about political processes, theories, and governments in the United States and other countries and about international relations between those countries.
2. Prepare students for a variety of careers or graduate and professional degree programs in fields such as law, government, education, politics, policy, and business.
3. Offer students the analytical and research skills needed to understand and explain politics, government, and international relations.

UNIT-I

1. Global Politics: International to Global
2. Role of Non-State Actors in Global Politics.

UNIT-II

1. Regionalism: EU, ASEAN, SAARC
2. Gender Issues
3. Environmental Issues

UNIT-III

1. Human Rights in Global Politics.
2. Human Security.
3. Global Terrorism and Narcotics Trade
4. Politics of Ethnicity
5. Multiculturalism

READINGS

1. Parmjit Kaur Gill and Sheveta Sehgal, *Dynamic of International Relations Moving From International to Global Theory and Issues*, New Delhi: Atlantic, 2012.
2. Charles Kegley W. Jr. and Shannon L. Blanton, *World Politics Trends and Transformation*, New York: Wadsworth, 2011.
3. R.C. Mishra, *Security in South Asia: Cross Border Analysis*, ND, Authors Press, 2000.
4. Robert Jackson and George Sorenson, *Introduction to International Relations Theories and Approaches*, New York: OUP, 2007.
5. Charles S. Pearson, *Economics and Global Environment*, New York: Cambridge University Press, 2000.
6. V.N. Khanna, *Introduction to International Relations*, R. Chand and Co., New Delhi, 2014.

Subject: Public
Administration Paper code:
M.A.Pol.-402

Course Objective: The focus of this course is on the theories that have shaped the emergence of modern systems of governance and their related structures and processes. These include Western and Non-Western traditions. The course has a clear normative thrust inasmuch as it seeks to clarify what can be the prerequisites for promoting effective and just administration at the local and national levels.

UNIT-I

Theories and Approaches to the Study of Public Administration

I. Evolution of the Discipline of Public Administration:

- a. Western Traditions
- b. Non-Western Traditions

II. Classical Schools

- a. The Scientific Management School
- b. The Classical Theory of Management/Administrative Management Theory
- c. The Ideal organization: Max Weber.
- d. Human Relations: Elton Mayo.
- e. Behavioural and Systems approaches
 - i. Argyris, Maslow, McGregor: the behavioural approach
 - ii. System Approaches: open/closed systems

UNIT-II

Contextual Public Administration

- a. Ecological Approach: Fred Riggs
- b. Rational Decision-Making Approach: Herbert Simon
- c. Development Administration Approach
 - i. Political Economy Approach
 - ii. Marxist Approach

UNIT-III

Contemporary Developments

- a) New Public Administration
 - 1. Non-Weberian perspectives
 - 2. Value questions
 - 3. Clientele perspective
- b) New Public Management
 - 1. Good Governance and Development
 - 2. Feminist Perspectives on Public Administration

UNIT-IV

Grassroots governance: alternative perspectives

- a. Gandhi
- b. J.Nyerere
- c. Mao

READINGS:

1. Albrow, Martin, Bureaucracy, London, Macmillan, 1978.
2. Arora, Ramesh K, Comparative Public Administration: An Ecological Perspective, New Delhi, Associated Publishing House, 1979.
3. Bhattacharya, Mohit, Restructuring Public Administration Essays in Rehabilitation, New Delhi, Jawahar, 1999.
4. George F., Development Administration: Concepts, Goals, Methods, Madison, University of Wisconsin Press, 1979.

Subject: Gender and Politics P
apercode: M.A.POL.-403

Course Objectives:

Equality of **women** and men with regard to **political** representation and participation. Enhancement of **gender** roles and standards for **women** and men, elimination of restricting standards. Same personal freedoms for **women** and men, protection against all forms of aggression.

Unit-I

Women and Public Policy U

nit-II

Women and Politics: Global Patterns U

nit-III

Gender and the Human Rights debate U

nit-IV

Gender and Human Development U

nit-V

Health, Population policy and Gender

Readings

1. Haleh Arshar (ed.) *Women and Politics in the Third World*, London: Routledge, 1996
2. United Nations 2000 *The World's Women 2000: Trends and Statistics*, New York: United Nations
3. Vandana Shiva, *Staying Alive: Women Ecology and Development in India*, New Delhi: Kalifor Women, 1998
4. Nivedita Menon, *Gender and Politics in India*, New York, OUP, 1999

Subject: Human Rights in India P

apercode: M.A.POL.– 404

Course Objectives:

Human rights education aims to do the following: Enhance the knowledge and understanding of **human rights**. Foster attitudes of tolerance, respect, solidarity, and responsibility. Develop awareness of how **human rights** can be translated into social and political reality.

Unit-I

A Conceptual Understanding of Human Rights Human Rights Concept, Definition, Meaning & Nature, Human Values: Liberty, Equality, and Justice

Unit-II

Historical Foundation of Human Rights Historical Development: Magna Carta, British Bill of Rights, American Bill of Rights French Revolution and its Goal of Liberty Equality and Fraternity, Marxist Revolution

Unit-III

Theories and Classification of Human Rights Three Generation of Human Rights, Theory of Natural Rights, Legal/Positive Theory of Rights, Marxist Theory of Rights, Feminist Perspectives of Human Rights Unit-IV Rule of Law and Human Rights Rule of Law and Human Rights: Concept, Origin, Historical Development in Greek and English Civilization and its Contribution to the Development of Rights

Readings

1. Alston, Phillip (ed.), (1992), *The United Nations and Human Rights: A Critical Appraisal*, Oxford: Clarendon Press.
2. Bachr, Peter R., (1999), *Human Rights: Universality in Practice*, New York: Palgrave.
3. Baxi, Upendra, (2002), *The Future of Human Rights*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
4. Bhagwati, P.N., (1987), *Dimensions of Human Rights*, Madurai: Society for Community Organization Trust.
5. Davidson, Scott, (1993), *Human Rights*. Buckingham: Open University Press. Donnelly, Jack, (1989), *Universal Human Right in Theory and Practice*, Ithaca: Cornell University Press.
6. Dube, M.P. and Neeta Bora, (ed.), (2000), *Perspective on Human Rights*, New Delhi: Anamika Publishers.
7. Freeman, Michael, (2003), *Human Rights: An Interdisciplinary Approach*, Cambridge: Polity Press.
8. Hargopal, G. (1999), *Political Economy of Human Rights*, Hyderabad: Himalaya.

4. Course Duration:

Minimum Duration: 2 Years

Maximum Duration: 5 Years

5. Faculty and support staff requirement: 1 full time programme coordinator of Assoc./Asst. Professor level

Procedure for admission, curriculum transaction and evaluation:

A. Admission Procedure:

1. Procedure for Obtaining Admission Form and Registration/Prospectus

- a. The registration/prospectus containing Admission Form can be obtained in person from :
The Directorate of Distance education, Swami Vivekanand Subharti University, Subhartipuram, NH-58, Delhi-Haridwar Bypass Road, Meerut or its city office located at Lokpriya Hospital Complex, Samrat Palace, Garh Road, Meerut on payment of Rs.1500/- in cash or by demand draft.
- b. The Registration/Prospectus can also be obtained by post by sending a demand draft of Rs. 1500/- drawn in favour of "SVSU, Distance Education", payable at Meerut along with a filled requisite proforma (available at DDE website i.e. www.subhartidde.com) for "Obtaining the Prospectus and Admission Form" to the Directorate of Distance Education.

2. Submission of Admission Form:

- a. An applicant should submit the admission form duly filled with all enclosures completed, personally or by post, to the Directorate of Distance education, Swami Vivekanand Subharti University, Subhartipuram, NH-58, Delhi-Haridwar Bypass Road, Meerut-250005.
- b. The application for admissions should be submitted along with the following:
 - i. A demand draft for the course fee (as per fee structure table) drawn in favour of "SVSU, Distance Education" payable at Meerut.
 - ii. Duly attested photocopy of Aadhar Card, statement of marks and other relevant documents/certificates pertaining to the qualifying examination, by a gazetted officer or Principal of the college from where these were obtained, should be submitted at the time of admission.
 - iii. Self attestation of document/s is permissible, if the originals are reproduced before the Registrar of Swami Vivekanand Subharti University or Asst. Director/Deputy Director/Director of Directorate of Distance Education.
 - iv. 4 recent passport size color photographs should be provided in which 2 photographs should be pasted on the admission form & Enrollment form accordingly and another two photographs should be attached/stapled with the form.
- c. The learners are advised to check up the eligibility criteria of a course they wish to apply for, from our website www.subhartidde.com or DDE Prospectus.

3. Admission Procedure-

- a. Applications can be sent to the Directorate of Distance Education directly or through its city office. The applicant's eligibility will be checked and accordingly he/she shall be granted admission and an acknowledgement of the receipt of the fee and the application form shall be issued.

- b. An Identity Card, mentioning the enrollment number of the learner, shall be issued by University as soon as the admission is confirmed. Learners are advised to keep their Identity Card safely, as it will be required for attending counseling sessions/PCPs and also for the receipt of study material, mark sheets, Degree etc in person. In case of loss of Identity Card, a duplicate can be issued on receiving a written request along with a fee of Rs.100/-. The Identity Card shall be valid for the entire duration of the Programme.
- c. The University conduct entrance examination twice in a year for admission in MBA and MCA or any other programme, as may be decided by the University. Learners can obtain information relating to the entrance examination from the Directorate of Distance Education or its website www.subhartidde.com. The University may, as an alternative, consider granting admission on the basis of the score obtained by an applicant in any central or state level entrance examination for a similar course.

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1. Minimum Eligibility and Fee Structure – Online Learning

Sr. No.	Title of Programme	Course Duration		Annual Fees Per	
		Eligibility	Minimum	Maximum*	Year (In Rs.)
1	Master of Arts in Political Science	Graduation or eq.	2 Years	5 Years	17000/-

B. Curriculum transaction and evaluation:

The University follows the following evaluation system :

- a. Continuous evaluation through personal contact programmes, assignment work, viva, group discussion and personality development programmes.
- b. Semesterwise Examination
- c. Evaluation of practicals, wherever prescribed
- d. Evaluation of professional project report, wherever prescribed
- e. A learner shall be declared 'pass' at the end of the academic/calendar year, if he/she secures minimum 40% marks in each subject (including project report, internship, industry integrated learning and practicals, wherever prescribed) separately in the Semesterwise Examination and the internal assessment. If a learner fails to secure 40% marks in any subject or in internal assessment, he/she will still be promoted to the next academic/calendar year, but he/she will have to appear in back paper for the subject in which he/she has not been able to obtain the requisite passing marks. The examination for learners giving back paper in any subject shall be held along with the subsequent examination for the relevant subject. In case, the learner fails to secure minimum 40% marks in internal assessment, he/she will have to resubmit the assignments for evaluation.

Requirement of the laboratory support and Library Resources :

Resources are available of Library for the learners during PCPs. The University has a rich Central Library with more than 3.80 lac books, 181 journals (Foreign & Indian), Internet Section, Computer Centres, Museum, Instrumentation (USIC) workshop, Student's Guest House, etc.

The resources for laboratory also available as per the need of the programme.

Cost estimate of the programme and the provisions:

a. Cost estimate: Approx. Rs. 1,510,786.05/-

(The cost estimate may vary depending upon the no. of students enrolled)

b. Provisions: Swami Vivekanand Subharti University

Quality assurance mechanism and expected programme outcomes:

In accordance to the UGC Guidelines, the University has established an Internal Quality Assurance Cell, as per ordinance no. VI (1), dated 11.02.2009, to instill a momentum of quality consciousness amongst its all Institutions including Directorate of Distance Education, aiming for continuous improvement.

1. The cell holds various events regularly and maintain the documentation of the various programmes/activities leading to quality improvement.
2. The cell is responsible for incorporating various new changes/developments regarding up-gradation of learning material and spreading awareness of Quality Culture in the various institutions of the University.
3. The cell also prepares 'Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR)' as per the laid guidelines and parameters.