

#### **UNIVERSITY OF CALICUT**

#### **Abstract**

General and Academic- Faculty of Humanities- Syllabus of MA Political Science Programme in the Teaching Department of the University under CCSS PG Regulations 2019 with effect from 2019 Admission onwards - Implemented- Orders Issued

G & A - IV - B

U.O.No. 8946/2019/Admn

Dated, Calicut University.P.O, 06.07.2019

Read:-1.UO. No. 4500/2019/Admn Dated: 26.03.2019

- 2.Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Studies in Political Science-PG held on 13.06.2019 (Item No.1)
- 3. Minutes of the meeting of Faculty of Humanities held on 19.06.2019 (Item No.5)

#### **ORDER**

The Regulations for Choice Based Credit and Semester System for Post Graduate (PG) Curriculum-2019 (CCSS PG Regulations 2019), for all Teaching Departments/ Schools of the University of Calicut with effect from 2019 Admission has been implemented in the University of Calicut vide paper read first above.

The meeting of the Board of Studies in Political Science PG held on 13.06.2019 has approved the Syllabus of MA Political Science programme in tune with the new CCSS PG Regulation implemented with effect from 2019 Admission onwards, vide paper read second above.

The Faculty of Humanities at its meeting held on 19.06.2019 has approved the minutes of the meeting of the Board of Studies in Political Science PG held on 13.06.2019, vide paper read third above.

Under these circumstances, considering the urgency, the Vice Chancellor has accorded sanction to implement the Scheme and Syllabus of MA Political Science Programme in accordance with the new CCSS PG Regulations 2019, in the University of Calicut with effect from 2019 Admission onwards, subject to ratification by the Academic Council.

The Scheme and Syllabus of MA Political Science Programme in the Teaching Department of the University in accordance with CCSS PG Regulations 2019, is therefore implemented with effect from 2019 Admission onwards.

Orders are issued accordingly. (Syllabus appended)

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### **UNIVERSITY OF CALICUT**

**POSTGRADUATE PROGAMME** 

IN

# POLITICAL SCIENCE CHOICE BASED CREDIT SEMESTER SYSTEM (CCSS)



SCHEME & SYLLABUS (2019 Admission onwards )

## GUIDELINES FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SYLLABUS IN M.A. POLITICAL SCIENCE (CCSS)

(w.e.f. 2019 Admission)

The syllabus revision for the M.A. Political Science (CCSS) is being undertaken with the objectives of upgrading the knowledge levels of the students that they have attained in their under-graduate classes. They are enabled to develop the faculty of critical analysis of their knowledge on the basis of methodological tools that they acquire. It is also intended to help them tackle any form of tests for starting a career as well as for further advanced studies. The under-graduate syllabus is chosen as the information base for further study, and hence, as far as possible the Scheme and Courses chosen for under-graduate syllabus has not been repeated. New courses in emerging areas have been included to facilitate investigations into frontier areas.

Students in the M.A. programme are required to take 16 courses + Project work and Viva Voce over a four Semester period. The core courses (12) are defined around four broad areas: (1) Political Theory (2) Government and Political Process in India (3) Comparative Politics and International Relations and (4) Human Rights. Besides the core courses, students have to select 4 Elective courses, one each in Second and Third Semesters and Two in the Fourth Semester. The credit requirement for award of M.A. Degree as prescribed by the University Regulations is 72. Students are also expected to do 1 Audit course of 2 Credits each in 1st and 2nd Semesters.

#### **Minimum Credits Required for Pass**

Core Course (Other than project/dissertation)	48
Elective Courses	16
Project/Dissertation/Viva-Voce	8
Total	72

#### **Eligibility**

**Under Mark System:** B A Degree in Political Science (Main), or any other Degree with at least one Main paper (B A Public Administration or B A West Asian Studies) or Complimentary/ Subsidiary paper in Political Science with 45% marks. OBC/OEC candidates are eligible to relaxation up to 5%. SC/ST candidates need only to get a pass.

**Under Grading System:** B A Degree in Political Science (Main), or any other Degree with at least one Core course (B A Public Administration or B A West Asian Studies) or Complimentary course in Political Science (Complimentary Courses: Political Science, Indian Constitution and Politics, International Relations & Organisations and Public Administration) with overall CGPA equivalent to 50%. OBC/OEC candidates are eligible to relaxation up to 5%. SC/ST candidates need only to get a pass. Rank list shall be prepared on the basis of 50% of Entrance Examination and 50% of the total Marks/ Grade of the Degree examination.

#### Assessment

Total score of a course is 100 and is apportioned in the ratio 20:80 between Continuous Evaluation (CE) and End Semester Examination (ESE). CE consists of four components: Attendance (3%); Mid Semester Examination (8%); Seminar (5%) and Viva Voce (4%). In the matter of attendance 75% is compulsory for appearing for the End Semester Examination.

Mid Semester Examination (30 minutes duration) is in the form of Short Essay questions in which two out of four questions are to be answered, each in about 150 words. Each student has also to make a seminar presentation for about twenty minutes on a topic assigned by the teacher. For each course, there is Viva Voce at the end of the Semester. End Semester Examination (3 hour duration) consists of two types of questions – Short answer questions (8 x 5 = 40 marks) in which the candidate has to answer any eight questions out of twelve, each in about 150 words and essay questions (2 x 20 = 40 marks) in which two questions need to be answered out of four each in about 500 words.

## COURSES OFFERED FOR M.A. POLITICAL SCIENCE UNDER CHOICE BASED CREDIT SEMESTER SYSTEM (CCSS) w.e.f. 2019 ADMISSION

Semester I				
Course Code	Title	7	Гуре	Credit
POL1 C01	Political Analysis: Approaches and Trends		Core	4
POL1 C02	Political Ideas in Modern India	(	Core	4
POL1 C03	Federalism and Political Institutions in India	(	Core	4
POL1 C04	Theories and Concepts of Public Administration	(	Core	4
POL1 A01	Ability Enhancement Course (AEC)	Aud	itCourse	2
	<ul> <li>Basics of Computer</li> </ul>			
Semester II				
Course Code	Title		Гуре	Credit
POL2 C05	Comparative Politics	•	Core	4
POL2 C06	Political Theory: Liberal Tradition	C	Core	4
POL2 C07	Democracy and Political Process in India	(	Core	4
POL2 E01	Political Economy of Human Rights in India	El	ective	4
POL2 E02	Indian Administration	El	ective	4
POL2 E03	Social and Political Thought of B. R. Ambedkar	Elective		4
POL2 A02	Professional Competency Course	Audi	t Course	2
	<ul> <li>Field Survey and Data Analysis</li> </ul>			
Semester III				
Course Code	Title		Type	Credit
POL3 C08	Methods in Political Studies		Core	4
POL3 C09	Political Theory: Marxian Tradition		Core	4
POL3 C10	Theoretical Aspects of International Politics		Core	4
POL3 E04	Politics of Developing Societies		Elective	4
POL3 E05	Politics of Globalization		Elective	4
POL3 E06	Environment, Development and Politics		Elective	4
Semester IV				
Course Code	Title		Type	Credit
POL4 C11	Kerala: Political Process and Development		Core	4
POL4 C12	Contemporary International Politics		Core	4
POL4 E07	Contemporary Political Theory		Elective	4
POL4 E08	Foreign Policy of India		Elective	4
POL4 E09	Development Administration		Elective	4
POL4 E10	Mass Media and Political Communication		Elective	4
POL4 P01	Dissertation/Project/Viva Voce			8
	Total Credits			72

#### **Study Tour Programme**

Study tour to destinations of historical, political and constitutional importance in third semester is part of the completion of the programme. This includes governmental institutions, constitutional institutions, Legislatures, and places of historical importance.

#### **SEMESTER I**

Course Code	Title	Туре	Credits
POL1C01	Political Analysis: Approaches and Trends	Core	4

#### **Course Rationale**

The Course is intended to familiarize the students with the basic trends in the political analysis and sensitizing the students to the vital question and challenges of the public (political) life. The course encourages the students to engage in reading different writings on politics and thereby providing an analytical and theoretical background for political studies. It also helps in developing a capacity among students to deal with complex arguments.

#### **Course Content**

#### I. Nature of Political Theory

Classical and Normative Approaches

Positivism (Behaviouralism and Post-Behaviouralism)

Marxian/Neo-Marxian, Liberal/Neoliberal Approaches

#### II. Select Positivist Theories of Political Science

System Analysis (David Easton)

Structural – Functional Analysis (Gabriel Almond)

Communication Theory (Karl Deutsch)

#### III. Recent Trends in Political Theory-I

Positivism and Logical Positivism- Features and Concerns

Hermeneutics- Nature and Major Arguments

Communitarianism- Major Postulations

#### IV. Recent Trends in Political Theory - II

Critical Theory- Significance in Social Science

Structuralism; Post Structuralism- Arguments and Concern

**Deconstruction- Major concerns** 

#### V. Democracy- Liberal, Marxist, and Elitist Perspectives

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Course Code	Title	Туре	Credits
POL1C02	Political Ideas in Modern India	Core	4

The course aims to basic social and political premises of different streams of Indian Political Thought with reference to Colonialism, invocation of tradition and Modernity. A comparison is made between Extremists and Moderates and between Secularists and Communalists. Focus is on rightly grasping how far they influenced the shaping of the ideological realm of the contemporary Indian Society and Politics.

#### **Course Content**

#### I. Imagining the Modern:

Raja Ram Mohan Roy- Syed Ahmed Khan and Jawaharlal Nehru

#### II. The Idea of the Nation:

Tilak and Azad

#### III. Democracy

Gandhi, Ambedkar and Nehru

#### IV. Liberty, Equality, Justice:

Lohia, Periyar, Ambedkar and Sree Narayana Guru.

#### V. Economic Transformation and Development

M.N. Roy, Nehru and Sree Narayana Guru

#### VI. Swaraj and Sarvodaya

Gandhi and Jayaprakash Narain

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Suhas Palshikar, *Ambedkar and Gandhi: Limits of Divergence and Possibilities of Conversation*, EPW, Vol.L No.15, April 11, 2015.

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Course Code	Title	Type	Credits
POL1C03	Federalism and Political Institutions in	Core	4
	India		

The course aims at providing a clear understanding about the manner in which the Constitution seeks to moderate both the relationship between the individual and the state, and also the distribution of State power.

#### **Course Content**

#### I. Social and Ideological Base of Indian Constitution

Constituent Assembly – Nature of debate on core constitutional issues ; Ideological Expanse of the Constitution Social, Economic and Political

#### II. Individual and the State:

Fundamental Rights and Nature of Human Rights

#### **III. Tryst with Social Justice:**

Directive Principles of State Policy; Globalization and changing nature of rights and justice in the Indian context.

#### **IV. Federal Process**

Nature of Federation – Constitutional provisions – Contentious areas and issues in Centre-State relations – movements for State Autonomy – Changing nature of Centre-State relations in the context of Globalization.

#### V. Judiciary and Social Change

Judicial activism and changing role of Judiciary in Social change : Critical Perspective-Judicial reforms

#### VI. Grassroot Democracy

Seventy third and Seventy fourth Constitutional Amendments – structure, powers and functions of PRIs – Role of PRIs in rural development and democratization.

- Government of India, Ministry of Law, Justice and Company affairs, The Constitution of India, New Delhi 2015
- Niraja Gopal Jayal & Prathap Bhanu Mehta (eds), The Oxford Companion to Politics in India, OUP, 2016.
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Course Code	Title	Туре	Credits
POL1C04	Theories and Concepts of Public Administration	Core	4

Public Administration is an evolving subject and it is conditioned by the changing dynamics of society. As democracy advances, the importance of concepts and theories in Public Administration is becoming more pronounced especially in recent times. The study of theories and concepts in Public Administration is imperative for all societies – developing or developed and dictatorial or democratic – seem relevant. The course is designed taking into consideration all these factors.

#### Course Content

#### I. Nature of Public Administration

Nature and significance of Public Administration Evolution of Public Administration as a discipline Politics - Administration dichotomy Comparative Public Administration – An overview Development Administration.

#### II. Approaches to Public Administration

Traditional Approaches- Historical, Philosophical and Institutional Modern Approaches - Marxist, Behavioral, Ecological and Decision Making, Contemporary Approaches – Public Choice Approach.

#### III. Theories of Public Administration

Evolution of Administrative Theory Classical Theory, Scientific Management, Human Relations Theory, Management by Objectives

#### **IV.** New Public Administration

Minnow brook I and II, Blackburg Manifesto: Refounding Public Administration, New Public Management, Reinventing Government, Centralization and Decentralization – Participatory Administration.

#### V. Bureaucratic Theory

Bureaucracy: Importance, Types and Roles

Growth of Bureaucracy: factors contributing to the growth

Weberian Bureaucracy and its critics.

#### VI. Public Administration in a Globalized World

Globalization and its impact on Public Administration: State vs. Market debate, Future scope of Public Administration in a Globalized world.

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#### **SEMESTER II**

Course Code	Title	Type	Credits
POL2C05	Comparative Politics	Core	4

#### **Course Rationale.**

The Study of politics has enriched by a comparative study of the institutional structures and political processes of different political systems. The use of a comparative framework of analysis however raises the question of what should be compared. Comparative politics is today an important subfield in the study of politics. The use of comparative frame work of analysis however raises the question of what should be compared. This course introduces the students to the some important perspectives on this issue and takes four categories- state, development, nationalism and democratization- to explore the comparative experiences of different countries and to make sense of their different political trajectories.

#### **Course Content.**

#### I. Comparative Politics: Different Perspectives

- a) Institutional
- b) Systems
- c) Cultural
- d) Political Economy

#### **II. State in Comparative Framework**

- a) Democratic States
- b) Authoritarian States
- c) Corporatist States
- d) Post colonial States.

#### **III.** Comparative Development Experience

- a) Issues of modernization, integration into the world system
- b) Underdevelopment and modernization
- c) Development and Democracy

#### IV. Nationalism

- a) Different articulations of nationalism: Europe and post- colonial societies
- b) Post-nationalism.

#### V. Process of Democratization

- a) Role of democratic assertions, constitution and political authority.
- b) Electoral systems, parties and representation.

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Course Code	Title	Type	Credits
POL2C06	Political Theory: Liberal Tradition	Core	4

Objective is to understand different schools of liberal political theories prevalent after the emergence of enlightenment and modernity in the West. A comparison is made between the classical, modern and neo liberal theories and between the liberal schools and the conservative theories. Focus is on rightly grasping how far they shape the ideological realm of the contemporary society, economy and politics.

#### Course Content.

#### I. Liberalism:

Enlightenment, Modernity and Reason: The Philosophical and Socio-economic Setting of Political Liberalism

#### II. Machiavelli:

Church vs. State Controversy; Modern Secular Nation State; Political Realism

#### **III. Social Contract Theory:**

Thomas Hobbes (Political Absolutism, Human Nature and Contract): John Locke (Limited Government, Private Property and Civil Society); Rousseau (Critique of Civilization, General Will and Social Contract)

#### IV. Utilitarianism:

Jeremy Bentham (Quantitative Utility):
J.S Mill (Qualitative Utility, Liberty and Laissez Faire State)

#### V. Conservatism:

Reactions to Liberalism; Edmund Burke (Conservative Reformism, Critic of French Revolution):

Hegel (Idealism, Dialectics, State, Freedom, Critique of Civil society)

#### VI. Contemporary Liberalism:

Positive Liberalism (Laski, John Rawls): Neoliberalism (Nozick and Hayek)

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Course Code	Title	Type	Credits
POL2C07	Democracy and Political Process	Core	4
	in India		

The course intends to develop a critical insight on the nature of the Indian State and the unfolding internal dynamics of the Indian society and politics. It addresses the problem of secularity and religiosity in Indian Politics; the changing nature of party system and electoral politics; the assertive claims of caste, class, gender and region. The problem of 'Social Justice', with reference to the marginalized sections and an appraisal of the Political Economy of Development are also included in the course content.

#### **Course Content**

#### I. Dialectics of Caste and Class

Caste, Class and Politics – Changing nature of class dominance – caste and identity politics.

#### II. Political Parties and Electoral Politics

Party system: Congress system to Multi-Party System –Social and Ideological Base of Political Parties: Congress(I), BJP and Left Parties: CPI and CPI (M) – Regional Parties an overview – Fragmentation/Crisis of the Party System.

#### **III. Political Participation**

Electoral Behaviour and Electoral Reforms

#### **IV.** Challenges to Secular Polity

Secularism: Major Debates - Communalism

#### V. Marginalized Social Groups and Quest for Social Justice

Scheduled Castes and Tribes – Women and Children – Affirmative action.

#### VI. State and Political Economy of Development

Critique of India's Development Experience – Nehru – Mahalanobis; Green Revolution phases; Industrial Policy; Poverty alleviation – Economic Libralization and the Emerging Paradigm Development.

#### **Required Readings**

#### **Books**

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Course Code	Title	Type	Credits
POL2E01	Political Economy of Human Rights in India	Elective	4

The litmus test of a modern civilized state is willingness and capacity to evolve and operationalise a body of fundamental Human Rights. The aim of this paper is to develop an understanding about this in the specific context of India. The theoretical foundations, operational and institutional dynamics and the politics of Human Rights are given a critical treatment in the course.

#### **Course Content**

#### 1. Conceptualisation and Theoretical Foundations of Human Rights

Human Rights – Historical roots – Changing focus in contemporary Human Rights Discourse; Liberal –Marxist and – Third World Theoretical Perspectives; UNO and Universal Declaration of Human Rights.

#### 2. Human Rights in India

Constitutional Mandate: – Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy

Human Rights Instrumentalities – Judiciary, NHRC, Press.

#### 3. Human Rights and Marginalized Groups

Scheduled Castes and Tribes – Women – Children and Minorities.

Human Rights movements in India.

#### 4. Future of Human Rights: Emerging Issues and Challenges

Globalization and changing relationship between State and Citizen – Terrorism – Caste/ethnic movements.

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<b>Course Code</b>	Title	Туре	Credits
POL2E02	Indian Administration	Elective	4

The Course is designed to introduce the students to the nature, evolution and dynamics of Indian Administration. It also deals with local Administration and the challenges to Indian Administration.

#### **Course Content**

#### 1. Introduction

Evolution of Indian Administration from Kautilya to Colonial Period: Change and Continuity in Indian Administration in the post independent phase.

#### 2. Control Administration: Legislative, Government and Juridical.

Executive at the Union Level - Central Secretariat - Cabinet Secretariat - Organisation and Functions of Ministers – IAS - IPS.

#### 3. State and Local Administration

State Administration. - District Administration - Urban Administration - Rural Administration - Participatory Administration.

**4. Financial Administration** – Budget as an instrument of Socio-Economic change – Performance budget – Programme Planning budget – Audit - Comptroller and Auditor General, Parliamentary control over finance – Role of Committees – Estimates Committee and Public Accounts Committee.

#### 5. Challenges to and Issues in Indian Administration

Social bases of Administrative Culture in India - Administrative Reforms in India - Corruption in Administration - Administrative Tribunals - Lok Pal, and Lok Ayukta.- Citizen and Bureaucracy.

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Course Code	Title	Type	Credits
POL2E03	Social and Political Thought of B.R.	Elective	4
	Ambedkar		

This course aims at training the students to study one political thinker in depth. It also expects students to know the anti-caste thinking in Indian context. The course is also expected to relate the thinking of B.R. Ambedkar to contemporary problems

#### **Course Content**

- Intellectual and Socio-Political Background of Ambedkar's Thought
- Critique of Indian Nationalism
- Interpretation and Critique of Caste System
- Interpretation of Buddhism
- Views on Liberal Democracy and Role of State
- Economic Thought

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#### **SEMESTER III**

Course Code	Title	Type	Credits
POL3C08	<b>Methods in Political Studies</b>	Core	4

#### **Course Rationale**

The course is a basic introduction to the process and methods of empirical research for achieving scientific knowledge in Social Sciences. It begins by exploring the notion of social science and making a distinction between empiricism and empirical research. The central concern of the course is to introduce students to quantitative and qualitative methods of research. Students will be exposed to a variety of different methods and schools.

#### **Course Content**

#### I. The idea of Social Science

Approaching the difference between natural and social science

Conceptions of Science: From Verification to falsification

Objectivity and value neutrality

#### II. Empirical Research in Social Sciences

Identification of research problem, formulation of hypothesis, use of concepts, operationalisation of variables

Quantitative and qualitative methods

Research Design.

#### III. Quantitative Research Method

Measurement: Issues of Reliability, Validity and levels of measurement

Data Collection: methods of data collection-observation, questionnaires and interviews

Sampling techniques: probability and non probability techniques.

Data processing: establishing categories and coding data

Data interpretation: Descriptive statistics and inferential statistics

Preparation of research report

#### IV. Qualitative Research

Depth Interview

Ethnography

Content analysis

#### V. Combining quantitative and qualitative methods

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Course Code	Title	Туре	Credits
POL3C09	Political Theory: Marxian Tradition	Core	4

#### **Course Rationale**

The course aims to provide basic philosophical premises of different streams of Marxian theory from classical Marxism to neo-Marxism. Focus is on the evolution of Marxian theories in relation to the developments in other strands of political philosophies. The objective is also to inquire about the relevance of Marxian theories in building up a critical posture on the socio-political reality for social change.

#### **Course content**

#### I. Marx and Engels:

Dialectical Materialism (notion of contradiction, contentious legacies of Hegel and Feuerbach); Base –

Superstructure Analysis; Inner contradictions of Capitalism- classes and exploitation: Labour theory of Value;

Alienation (Distinction between objectification and alienation); Social Change.

Origin of Family State and Private Property;

#### II. Lenin:

Role of Party; Democratic Centralism; Socialist State; Imperialism

#### III. Mao:

Marxism in Agrarian Societies; Role of Peasantry in Revolution; Permanent Revolution; People's Democracy; On Contradictions

#### IV. Gramsci:

State and Domination; Instrumentalist conception and Relative Autonomy; Aspects of domination; Ideology; Hegemony and Resistance; State and Civil Society; Fascism and Working Class.

#### V. Capitalist State:

Ralph Miliband – Four functions of State.

N. Poulantzas – Relative Autonomy and Exceptional State.

#### VI. Contemporary Marxism:

- a) Frankfurt School Humanist Marxism and the New Left; Critical Theory.
- b) Althussar Structural Marxism; Ideology and Ideological State Apparatuses

#### **Required Readings**

• Althusser, Louis, Lenin and Philosophy and Other Essays, Aakar Books,

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Course Code	Title	Туре	Credits
POL3C10	Theoretical Aspects of International Politics	Core	4

#### Course Rationale.

This course is intended to familiarize and equip the students to use different theoretical approaches to explain and analyse the dynamics of international politics. It provides special attention to the theoretical and conceptual aspects of the management of external relations and activities of nation states. In the context of globalization, the changing dimensions of state system, global order and global governance are also included in the course content.

#### **Course Content.**

- **I. Perspectives on the study of International Politics**: Concept of Power in International Politics.
- **II. Approaches to the Study of International Politics**: Realism Vs. Idealism, System Theory,
- Game Theory, Communication Theory, Decision making Theory, Integration Theory and

Dependency Theory.

**III. Restructuring Theory, Practice and Agency**: New Social Movements; Green Politics,

Orientalism and Global Civil Society.

**IV. Conflict, Peace and Insecurity Dilemma**: Political, Military, Economic, Environmental,

Terrorism and National Security – Theories of Conflict Resolution and Peace Research.

- **V. Foreign Policy: Changing Concept of National Interest**: Developments in the Cold War, Post- Cold War Period, Neo-Liberalism.
- **VI. Future Order and Global Governance**: Globalization and Post-Cold War Trends, Questions on Imperialism and Hegemony Impact of Globalization on State System.

#### **Required Readings**

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- Richard, Falk, *Globalisation and International Relations Theory*.
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Course Code	Title	Type	Credits
POL3E04	Politics of Developing Societies	Elective	4

#### **Course Rationale**

The focus of this course is to familiarize the changing nature and problems of post - colonial societies, their struggle in development and democracy in the era of post cold war and neo liberalism. The course also provides a theoretical background and includes different approaches to the study of developing societies.

#### **Course Content.**

#### 1. Approaches to the Study of Developing Societies

- a) Modernization Theory
- b) Dependency Theory
- c) Marxian Theory
- d) Gandhian Approach

## 2. Comparative Analysis of Problems and Issues of Third World: The External Dimension

- a) Neo Colonialism
- b) Dependency and Under- Development: Forms, Features and Impacts

#### 3. Comparative Analysis of Problems and Issues: Internal Characteristics

- a) Types of Regimes- Asia, Africa and Latin America (1950s-1980s)
  - i) Single Party Regimes
  - ii) Military Regimes
  - iii) Authoritarian Regimes
  - iv) Revolutionary Regimes
- b) Ideologies and their impact on Social and Political change.
- c) Industrialization and Socio- Economic Change in the Developing Societies

#### 4. Role of Religion, Caste and Ethnicity, Cleavage and Alignments.

This course will be discussed by drawing examples from Third World countries (especially Mexico, Tanzania, Nigeria, Vietnam, Indonesia, India, China, Pakistan, Yugoslavia etc.)

#### **Required Readings**

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Course Code	Title	Туре	Credits
POL3 E05	Politics of Globalization	Elective	4

#### Course Rationale

Globalization is undeniably a complex socio-cultural, ideological and Political Process. It is inseparable from both the structural and procedural dynamics of global capitalism, underlie it. Implications of globalization for Politics (a branch of Social Science dealing with the Societal dimensions of power) is more glaring since it dislocates the existing power centres, redefines the patterns of power relationships and reconstruct the power structures. Certainly, its impact vis-à-vis the political institutions, relations of power, struggles for power and ideologies are of critical significance. This course introduces the students to the basics of globalization and various analytical frameworks to examine the Politics of Globalization. Lectures in the course are organized in the following topics.

#### **Course Contents**

#### • Globalization – Introduction

- a. History
- b. Definitions

#### 2. Globalization and State

- Retreat/Redefinition of Nation State
- b. Reformulation of State-Civil Society-Market relationship
- c. Governance

#### 3. Globalization and Democracy

- Neoliberal perspective of Democracy
- Market and Human Rights
- Globalization and Democratization

#### 4. Globalization and Development

- Development agenda of Globalization
- b. Changing definition of welfare.

#### 5. Globalization and Culture

a. Synchronization and hybridization

#### 6. Globalization and Resistance

- a. Class movements
- b. Environmentalists
- c. Feminists
- d. Conservatives.

#### **Required Readings**

- Adam Prezowski, *Democracy and Market*, Cambridge, 2001.
- Anthony Giddens, *Runaway World*, London, Routledge, 2000.
- Anthony Giddens, *The Third Way and its Critics*, Cambridge, Polity Press, 2000.
- Dave Renton, *Marx on Globalization*, Lawrence and Wishart, London, 2001
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- James Petras, *Globalisation Unmasked: Imperialism in the 21st Century*, Zed Books, London, 2001.
- Janet M. Conway, *Identity, Place, Knowledge: Social Movements Contesting Globalization*, Aakar, Delhi 2007.

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- John Baylis and Steve Smith, *The Globalization of World Politics*, 2 edition, Oxford, OUP, 2001.
- Joseph E. Stiglitz, *Globalization and its Discontents*, W.W. Norton, New York, 2002.
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- William D. Coleman and Alina Sajad, *Fifty Key Thinkers on Globalization*, Routledge, Oxon, 2013
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- Zygmunt Bauman, *Globalization: The Human Consequences*, New York, Columbia University Press, 1998.

Course Code.	Title	Type	Credits
POL3E06	<b>Environment, Development and Politics</b>	Elective	4

#### **Course Rationale:**

The discussions on environment had received new dimensions with the emergence of green movements in national and International Politics. The course introduce the students to the basics of Green Politics and various analytical frameworks to examine the issues involved while relating the concepts of environment development and politics to each other. It also give special emphasis to the political aspects of development and environment in India by analyzing the different environmental movements and the role of local, national and international institutions in managing environmental and developmental issues in a balanced manner.

#### **Course Content:**

#### • Ecology and Environment

- a) Eco System, Environment and Bio Diversity
- b) Liberal, Marxian and Gandhian Perspectives
- c) Green Politics, Eco-Feminism, Free Market Environmentalism.

#### 2. Preservation and Conservation of Ecology

- a) Western Capitalist, Socialist and Third World and Gandhian View
- b) North South Divide, Brandt Report, The Bretton Woods system.
- c) Global Environment Governance Role of UN Agencies Stock Home Conference, UNEP, Brundtland Report, Earth Summit, WCSD

#### 3 Issues of Environment and Development in India

- a) Policies and Politics of the Government Sustainable development
- b) Environmental Movements Chipco Movement, Narmadha Bachavo Antholan, Appikko Movement, Silent Valley Issue, Role of NGO's.
- c) Environment management and Panchayati Raj Institutions.

#### 4. Environmental Issues and Dissasters

- a) Politics of Water, Politics of Global Warming, Problems of Population and Pollution
- b) Effect of War on environment.

#### **Required Readings**

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#### **SEMESTER IV**

Course Code	Title	Type	Credits
POL4C11	Kerala: Political Process and Development	Core	4

#### **Course Rationale**

The core objective of the course is to develop both an analytical and critical perspective on the political and socio-economic dynamics of Kerala and the historical specifications that had shaped them. Focus is on the Class and Caste dynamics, coalition experiments, development model, Grass root democracy and contemporary trends in the era of Globalization.

#### **Course Content**

#### I. The Setting: Social Change and Democracy: Towards Modernity

Nationalism and movements for Social reforms and responsible Government – Social Structure: Caste and Class.

#### **II. Party System**

Political Parties and Party System – Coalition and Electoral Politics – Pressure Groups

#### **III. State and Development**

Kerala Model and Socio-Economic Development – Globalization and contemporary challenges.

#### **IV.** Grassroot Democracy

Structure, Powers and Functions of PRIs – Decentralized Planning: From Peoples Plan Campaign to Kerala Development Programme and Beyond

#### V. Kerala Society: Contemporary Treads

Politics of Identity: Caste and Class – Communalism; Mass Media – Depoliticization and emerging

Political Culture.

#### **Required Readings**

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Course Code	Title	Туре	Credits
POL4C12	Contemporary International Politics	Core	4

#### **Course Rationale:**

This Course is designed to provide clear understanding of the Post cold War World Order. It includes detailed discussion on power equations, Role of regional and international organizations, issues of global security and the conflicts and challenges of New World Order.

#### I. Post-Cold War World - American Hegemony and its Challenges:

US involvements in Iraq. Afghanistan, Iran, and North Korea, Countervailing Forces against the US, Russia, China, EU, BRICSAM and IBSA.

#### II. Global Security, Arms Race and Disarmament:

NPT, CTBT, WMD, Human Security Issues.

#### III. Terrorism, Militancy and the Threat to Global Peace:

Terrorism and their objectives; Anti-Terrorist Strategies and its Impact; Militant Movements and National Security in Asia and Africa.

#### IV. Regionalism and Regional Organizations:

G-8, G-15, EU and ASEAN.

#### V. The United Nations and International Peace:

The United Nations and Development – Peace keeping operations of UN – Political and Security issues before UN.

#### VI. Conflicts and Challenges:

International terrorisms – Human Right Violations – Rise of ethnic violence – Globalization, Role of Economic Institutions and corporations WTO, IMF, MNC – Anti – Globalization Movements.

#### **Required Readings**

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- White, Brian et al (eds.), Issues in World Politics, Palgrave, New Delhi, 2005.

Course Code	Title	Туре	Credits
POL4E07	Contemporary Political Theory	Elective	4

#### **Course Rationale:**

The Course aims at introducing the main political issues of contemporary Political Theory. We will examine the ways in which classical notions of liberty, equality, justice, rights and democracy have been revised, extended and contested in the face of major political developments of our time such as the spread of identity politics, totalitarianism, globalization and so forth. Apart from enhancing their theoretical understanding students will also find this course helpful in conducting innovative research in other areas such as comparative politics, human rights, women's studies and Indian politics.

#### 1. Paradigms of Liberty and Freedom.

Isaiah Berlin, Two Concepts of Liberty

Charles Taylor, What is Wrong with Negative Liberty?

#### 2. Democracy

David Held, Democracy: From City-States to a Cosmopolitan Order?

#### 3. Totalitarianism

Hannah Arendt, On Totalitarianism (Sections)

#### 4. Feminist Perspectives

Carole Pateman, The Fraternal Contract

#### 5. On Modernity

Peter Osborne, Modernity is a Qualitative, Not a Chronological Concept

#### 6. Civil Society

Michael Walzer, The Idea of Civil Society

#### 7. Multiculturalism

Bhikhu Parekh, National Culture and Multiculturalism

#### 8. Public Sphere

Jurgan Habermass

#### **Required Materials**

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- Stephen K. White & J. Donald Moon (ed.), *What is Political Theory*, Sage, New Delhi, 2004
- Swift Adam, *Political Philosophy*, *II edn.*, Polity Press, USA, 2007.

Course Code	Title	Туре	Credits
POL4E08	Foreign Policy of India	Elective	4

#### Course Rationale.

This course is intended to provide the students a conceptual understanding about India's Foreign Policy by having an intellectual and critical examination of the new tendencies in India's political and economic relations with major countries and organizations. It provides an insight about India's security strategy in a tough neighborhood. It also designed to analyze the prospects and hardly posed by the new world order on India's way as an emerging regional power and possibly a permanent member of UN Security Council.

#### **Course Content.**

#### 1. Basic Approaches to the Study of Foreign Policy

Historical, Ideological and Analytical.

Foreign Policy Making Process: Governmental and Non-Governmental Agencies

#### 2. Foundations of Indian Foreign Policy

Heritage of the National Movement; succession to the colonial past; Non alignment- its parameters; historical compulsions and policy.

#### 3. Land Marks in Indian Foreign Policy

Kashmir question and its internalization; impact of the cold war alliance (1954-55); Sino- Indian Border War (1962); Indo- Pakistan War and the Tashkent Summit (1965-65); Indo- Soviet Treaty of Friendship (1972); Indo- Pak War and the emergence of Bangladesh (1971). India - America Civil - Nuclear Deal

#### 4. India and its Neighbours

China, Pakistan, Afghanistan, Nepal, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh and Bhutan.

#### 5. India's Foreign Policy in the Post Cold War Context

Globalization and New Economic Importations.

#### 6. India's Foreign Policy and Changing Global Power Equations

India and the US, India – Russia, India – China, India – European Union, India-ASEAN.

#### Required Readings\_

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- 2. Kim, Wahn Chan., *Economic Liberalizsation and Indian Foreign Policy*, Kalaz Publications, Delhi,2006.
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- 21. Lalit Mansingh and Dulip Lahiri; *Indian Foreign Policy: Agenda for the 21 Century.*
- 22. Rajamohan. C., Crossing the Rubicon: *The Shaping of India's New Foreign Policy*, Penguin Books, New Delhi, 2003.
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- 24. Ganguly, Sumit, *US Indian Strategic Cooperation in the 21 Century*, Routledge, New York, 2006.
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- 30. Gopkumar. G, *Foreign Policy*, *Federalism and International Treaties*, New Century Publications, New Delhi, 2011.
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- 32. Kanti P. Bajpai and Harsh V. Pant (eds), *India's Foreign Policy: A Reader*, OUP, New Delhi, 2013
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Course Code	Title	Type	Credits
POL4E09	Development Administration	Elective	4

#### Course Rationale.

In the developing countries of Asia, Africa and Latin America, the need of Development Administration has been recognized as a means of implementing policies and plans directed towards nation-building and Socio-economic progress. The emphasis of the present course is on the building and improvement of a Public Administration System as part of the total effort of national development. The focus of the course offered is on India.

#### Course Content.

#### 1. Introduction

Nature, Scope and Importance of Development Administration; Evolutionary Development Administration; Applications and Strategies for Development Administration: Liberal (Riggs). Marxist, Gandhian, Paule Friere.

- a. Context of Development Administration.
- b. Characteristics of Development Countries.
- c. Economics and Development Administration.
- d. Development of Administration.
- e. Administration of Development.

#### 2. Development Administration in India

- a. Constitution Framework.
- b. Institutional Framework, Central State, District and Local Social Characteristics
- c. Socio- Economic Framework, Parties, pressure groups, public opinion voluntary Organization.
- d. Urban Administration.
- e. Rural Administration

#### 3. Challenges in Development Administration

- a. Resources for Development: Human, Material, Technology, Time
- b. Law and Development.
- c. Policy Formulation.
- d. Judiciary and Development.
- e. Skills & Training of Development Personal
- f. People's participation.
- g. People's planning.
- h. Citizen and Administration.
- i. Bottleneck in Development Administration.
- j. Corruption in Development Administration.

k. Evaluation of Development.

#### 4. Rural Development Theory

- a. Approaches to Rural Development
- b. Rural Context: Social, Economic, Political and Cultural
- c. Organization for RD: Community Development, Panchayati Raj Cooperatives, Voluntary Organizations, Volunteer.
  - d. Rural Political process: Elite, Caste, Class, and Pressure groups
  - e. People's participation in Rural Development.

#### **5. Rural Development Practices**

- a. Rural Planning
- b. Rural Development Institutions: Centre, State and Local
- c. Skills and Training of Bureaucracy for Rural Development District Block and Village Levels
  - d. Resource for Rural Development
  - e. Welfare Programs
  - f. Poverty Alleviation Programs
  - g. Area Development Program
  - h. Tribal Development Program
  - i. Evaluation of Rural Development in India.

#### **Required Readings**

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- 2. Bhattachary M., *Bureaucracy and Development Administration*, Uppal Publications, New Delhi, 1979.
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Course Code	Title	Type	Credits
POL4E10	Mass Media and Political Communication	Elective	4

#### **Course Content**

Media plays an important role in Society, especially Managing Political Communication, Political Culture, Political Socialisation etc. The course is intended to provide the student with a critical understanding of the role of Media in a Society. It discusses the various aspects related to Media ranging from its evolution to political effects.

This course will be discussed with suitable examples from India, USA, UK, France and Russia.

#### 1. Media and Communication

Role of Media and Importance of Political Communication

Right to Communication, Communication and Information

Communication Theories – Theory of Cybernectics, Communication Theory, decision making theory.

#### 2. Mass Communication and Mass Media

Functions of Mass Media, Types of Mass Media- Print Media, Electronic Media and New Media – Social Media

Political Communication through Mass Media. Importance of Political Reporting Mass Media in Globalized world - Crisis of Press in Third World countries.

#### 3. Ownership of Media

State Ownership vs Private Ownership – Comparative study

Ownership vs Freedom of the Press

Government Regulations on Media – Technical and ownership regulations – censorship and its problem.

#### 4. Determinants of News reporting

Ownership, Caste and ethnic-Political and marketing

Embedded journalism and Sting operations.

Media coverage on National and state Politics, Election reporting – Influence of Public Opinion - Opinion poll and Exit poll in Media. Setting the Political Agenda by the Media.

#### **Reading Material**

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- 2. R. Wiebs, The Opening of American society, Random House, New York, 1984.
- 4. Louw, Eric, *The Media and the Political Process*, Sage, London, 2010.

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## Ability Enhancement Course – Political Science

## Course Title: Basics of Computer

Course Objective: The major objective of this course is to give students a general awareness on basic computer skills and its use in education. Completion of the course will result in MS Office applications knowledge and skills.

Course Description: The course aims to equip a student with fundamental 'Computer Literacy' mainly for the academic purpose - study/learning and research. The student will learn to use Windows on the PC-compatible computers as well as MS Office which has the following applications: word processing program (MS Word), a spreadsheet program (MS Excel), a presentation program (MS Power Point) and Database (MS Access). This course is intended for students requiring 'hands-on' knowledge of computer applications.

### Student learning outcome

Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to apply technical knowledge and perform technical skills with regard to computers for their higher studies/research. Also, the candidate would be capable to utilize the Internet Web resources for knowledge.

30% weightage for written exam, 20% weightage for Viva and Method of evaluation: remaining 50% for practical examination

#### Scheme of Course:

Know your computer - various parts of a computer - Software, Hardware Module 1:

Installing and Uninstalling

Essential Programmes - MS Office - Word, Excel

Downloading, Scanning, Printing, Formatting

Use of Internet - browser navigation, bookmarks, web addresses and hyperlinks -Module II:

searching – use of search engines

email -sending, receiving and replying to email

Online Courses - information & registration process - MOOC

Collecting Academic resources/Data collection from reliable websites

Translation through website – common softwares

Changing document formats - Word to PDF, PDF to Word, JPG to Word etc

Access to Online sources - Journals/Books, Articles, Documents, Reports

Info-net – e library, J-store

Use of Websites for information on higher studies





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#### UNIVERSITY OF CALICUT

# Department of Political Science Professional Competency Course – MA Political Science

Title of the Course: FIELD SURVEY AND DATA ANALYSIS

#### Objective:

This course aims to develop a strong understanding on conducting survey and analyzing the data through field based activities which would certainly increase the professional competency of a Political Science student. The student would undergone through different stages of effective conduct of a social science survey includes planning, defining the main objectives of the survey, setting the frame of the survey, sample design and drawing the sample, designing the statistical form, data collection and processing, use of tools and techniques of data analysis etc.

The major aim of the course is to give training to a student on following aspects:

Design a survey, Collection of survey data, analysis of survey results, interpret data from a survey, analyze survey data, methods of data analysis, survey results calculation, write an analysis of data, analysis of quantitative and qualitative survey data etc.

The entire course is designed as a field based one. Students are divided into different groups and conduct a field survey to collect data on a particular theme. Then a report is prepared after analyzing the data collected through survey. During the process the student will be trained on various aspects of field based research and data collection, data analysis and report writing.

