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SEMESTER / YEAR	COURSE CODE	TYPE	COURSE TITLE	CREDITS	CIA	ESE	MAX. MARKS
1 ST YEAR / 1 ST SEM	A070701T	CORE	CLASSICAL SOCIOLOGICAL TRADITION	5	25	75	100
	A070702T	CORE	PERSPECTIVE OF INDIAN SOCIETY	5	25	75	100
	A070703T	CORE	SOCIAL STRATIFICATION & MOBILITY	5	25	75	100
	A070704T	CORE	SOCIOLOGY OF CHANGE & DEVELOPMENT	5	25	75	100
1 ST YEAR / 2 ND SEM	A070801T	CORE	CLASSICAL SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY	5	25	75	100
	A070802T	CORE	INDIAN SOCIAL THOUGHT	5	25	75	100
	A070803T	CORE	METHODOLOGY OF SOCIAL RESEARCH-I	5	25	75	100
	A070804T	ELECTIVE	RURAL SOCIOLOGY	5	25	75	100
	A070805T		URBAN SOCIOLOGY				
	A070806T		SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY				
	A070807R	PROJECT	RESEARCH PROJECT	8	25	75	100
	MINOR ELECTIVE	FROM OTHER FACULTY (IN 1 ST YEAR)	4/5/6	25	75	100	
2 ND YEAR / 3 RD SEM	A070901T	CORE	ADVANCED SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY	5	25	75	100
	A070902T	CORE	METHODOLOGY OF SOCIAL RESEARCH-II	5	25	75	100
	A070903T	TWO ELECTIVES TO BE CHOSEN	MEDIA. CULTURE & SOCIETY	5	25	75	100
	A070904T		POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY				
	A070905T		ENVIRONMENT & SOCIETY				
	A070906T		SOCIAL DEMOGRAPHY				
	A070907T		INDUSTRIAL SOCIETY				
2 ND YEAR / 4 TH SEM	A071001T	CORE	CRIMINOLOGY	5	25	75	100
	A071002T	THREE ELECTIVES TO BE CHOSEN	GLOBALIZATION & SOCIETY	5	25	75	100
	A071003T		SOCIAL MOVEMENT IN INDIA				
	A071004T		SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY & SOCIETY				
	A071005T		SOCIOLOGY OF AGING				
	A071006T		RELIGION & SOCIETY				
	A071007T		COMPARATIVE SOCIOLOGY				
	A071008T		GENDER & SOCIETY				
	A071009R		PROJECT				



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	AC70702T	CORE	PERSPECTIVE OF INDIAN SOCIETY	5	25	75	100
	AC70703T	CORE	SOCIAL STRATIFICATION & MOBILITY	5	25	75	100
	AC70704T	CORE	SOCIOLOGY OF CHANGE & DEVELOPMENT	5	25	75	100
1 st YEAR / 2 nd SEM	AC70801T	CORE	CLASSICAL SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY	5	25	75	100
	AC70802T	CORE	INDIAN SOCIAL THOUGHT	5	25	75	100
	AC70803T	CORE	METHODOLOGY OF SOCIAL RESEARCH-I	5	25	75	100
	AC70804T	ELECTIVE	RURAL SOCIOLOGY	5	25	75	100
	AC70805T		URBAN SOCIOLOGY				
	AC70806T		SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY				
	AC70807R	PROJECT	RESEARCH PROJECT	8	25	75	100
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	AC70902T	CORE	METHODOLOGY OF SOCIAL RESEARCH-II	5	25	75	100
	AC70903T	TWO ELECTIVES TO BE CHOSEN	MEDIA, CULTURE & SOCIETY	5	25	75	100
	AC70904T		POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY				
	AC70905T		ENVIRONMENT & SOCIETY				
	AC70906T		SOCIAL DEMOGRAPHY				
	AC70907T		INDUSTRIAL SOCIETY	5	25	75	100
3 rd YEAR / 4 th SEM	AC71001T	CORE	CRIMINOLOGY	5	25	75	100
	AC71002T		GLOBALIZATION & SOCIETY				
	AC71003T		SOCIAL MOVEMENT IN INDIA				
	AC71004T	THREE ELECTIVES TO BE CHOSEN	SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY & SOCIETY	5	25	75	100
	AC71005T		SOCIOLOGY OF AGING				
	AC71006T		RELIGION & SOCIETY				
	AC71007T		COMPARATIVE SOCIOLOGY	5	25	75	100
	AC71008T		GENDER & SOCIETY	5	25	75	100
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NOTE:

1. *A MINOR ELECTIVE FROM OTHER FACULTY SHALL BE CHOSEN IN 1ST YEAR (EITHER Ist / IInd SEMESTER) AS PER AVAILABILITY.
2. In both years of PG program, there will be a Research Project or equivalently a research-oriented Dissertation as per guidelines issued earlier and will be of 4 credit (4 hr/week), in each semester. The student shall submit a report/dissertation for evaluation at the end of the year, which will be therefore of 8 credits and 100 marks
3. Research project can be done in form of Internship/Survey/Field work/Research project/ Industrial training, and a report/dissertation shall be submitted that shall be evaluated via seminar/presentation and viva voce.
4. The student straight away will be awarded 25 marks if he publishes a research paper on the topic of Research Project or Dissertation.

Structure and Disciplinary Contents of M.A. Sociology

All the courses are designed to impart disciplinary fundamentals of sociology through a curated reading list that draws amply from the rich and diverse tradition of sociological writing –classical as well as contemporary. These courses also feature vibrant illustrative material in the form of case studies meant to make the concepts and theories vivid, the learning process engaging and illustrate the discipline in action in terms of empirical investigations. The courses are designed to draw micro-itineraries across the syllabus to form complex inter-connections.

Program Learning Outcomes

The Post graduate program in sociology is premised on an axiom that a graduate is not mere product of a system. On the contrary, the graduate attributes are the most concrete manifestation of the spirit the entire program, its operationalization through institutions and collective and concerted efforts of all the stake holders. Every other feature of programme is fused into this. Hence graduate attributes, qualification descriptors and programme learning outcomes may not be described separately since they are innately interconnected.

Teaching Learning Process

Multiple pedagogic techniques are used in imparting the knowledge both within and outside the classrooms. Listed below are some such techniques:

- Lectures
- Tutorials
- Power-point presentations
- Project work
- Documentary Films on relevant topics
- Debates, Discussions, Quiz
- Talks /workshops
- Interaction with experts
- Outstation field trips..... Surveys designs
- Internships

Assessment Methods

Besides the formal system of University exams held at the end of each semesters well as mid-semester and class tests that are held regularly, the students are also assessed on the basis of the following:

- written assignments
- Projects Reports
- Presentations
- Participation in class discussions
- Ability to think critically and creatively to solve the problems
- Application of classroom concepts during fieldwork
- Reflexive Thinking
- Engagement with peers
- Participation in extra and co-curricular activities
- Critical assessment of Articles /Books etc.

M.A Semester 1
Paper 1
CLASSICAL SOCIOLOGICAL TRADITION
A070701T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives

This course is offered to provide the students with the necessary foundations in the major thinkers and pioneers of sociological thinking *Such as Marx, Weber, Durkheim and Pareto. A sound understanding of these thinkers would go a long way in helping a student understand the contemporary and current social issues and problems.

Unit	Content
1	Historical Socio-Economic Background of the Emergence of Sociology
2	Emile Durkheim; Intellectual Background, Contribution to the Methodology of Sociology. Concept of Social facts. Theory of Suicide: Review of earlier Theories of Suicide; Rates of Suicide; the Distinctive Sociological Approach Types of Suicide; the Causes of Different Types of Suicide; the Problem of Integration of the Individual with Society. Theory of Religion: Earlier Theories of the Emergence and Role of Religion, Durkheim's Concept of Religion: Sacred and Profane; Society as a Supreme God; Religious Rituals and their Types
3	Karl Marx: Intellectual background, Materialistic Interpretation of History; Dialectical Historical Materialism as a Perspective of Social Change; Mode of Production and Social Structure; Concepts of Surplus Value and Exploitation. Classes and Class Conflict : Proletariat revolution and future of Capitalism, Classless society
4	Max Weber: intellectual Background; Concept of Sociology, Concept of Social Action; Types of Social Action; Verstehen; Ideal Type; Theory of Stratification: Class, Status and power Protestant Ethic and the Spirit of Capitalism; Power and Authority, Types of Authority Traditional, and Rational legal; bureaucracy
5	Vilfredo Pareto: Contribution to the methodology= Logico-experimental Method. Logical and Non-logical Action; Residues and Derivations and their Classifications; Theory of Social Change: Elites and Masses; Types of Elites; the Circulation of Elites

Recommended Books

- Alexander. J.(Ed.) 1998, Durkheimian Sociology: Cultural Studies, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Aron, R. 1970. Main Currents in Sociological Thought, Vol. II, Harmonds worth: Penguin.
- Benton, T. 1977. Philosophical Foundation of the Three Sociologies, London: Routledge and Kegan Paul.
- Coser, L., A. 1977 Master of Sociological Thought New York : Harcourt Brace.
- Durkheim, E. 1938. The Rules of Sociological Thought, New York: The Free Press.
- Fletcher, Ronald, 1971. The Making of Sociology: Developments, Vol, 11, London: Nelson.
- Caddens, A. 1973. Capitalism and Modern Social Theory: An analysis of Writings of Mars, Durkheim and Weber, London: Cambridge University Press.
- God/love, T.F. 2005. Teaching Durkheim, Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Hughe, J.A., Marthin, P.J. and Sharrock, W.W. 1995. Understand Classical Sociology-Marx, Weber and Durkheim, London : Sage Publications.
- Lukes, S. 1972. Emile Durkheim : His Life and Work, New York : Harper & Row.
- Marx, Kari. 1964. Selected Writings in Sociology and Social Philosophy. (T. Bottomore and M. Rubel, Eds.), London : McGraw Hill.

M.A Semester 1
PAPER 2
PERSPECTIVES ON INDIAN SOCIETY
A070702T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives

This course aimed to familiarize students with perspectives on Indian society in relation to thought and theory in sociology. This course is designed as a core course to equip the Student with a second theoretical understanding of the development of sociological *understanding of Indian society, in a way it is also Sociology of Indian society.

Unit	Content
1	Ideological Approach G.S.Ghurye and Lous Dumont
2	Structural-functional Approach- M.N. Srinivas, S.C. Dube and B.R. Chauhan
3	Marxian Approach- D.P. Mukerji, A.R. Desai
4	Civilizational View-N.K. Bose and SurjitSinha
5	Subaltern Perspective- B.R. Ambedkar and David Hardiman

Recommended Books

- Beteille, Andre. 1967. Caste Class and Power, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Bose, N.K. 1972. "An Anthropological View of Indian Civilization", Man in India, 52 (2)
- 1975 the Structure of the Hindu Society, New Delhi: Orient and Longman.
- Chauhan, B.R. A Rajasthan Village, 1967, New Delhi: Associated Publishing House.
- Desai, A.R. 1966. Social Background of Indian Nationalism, Bombay: Popular Prakashan.
- Dhangre, D.N. 1993. themes and Perspective in Indian Sociology, jaipur: Rawat.
- Dube, S.C. 1955. Indian Village, London: Routledge and Kegan Paul.
- 1955. Indian's Changing villages, London: Routledge and Kegan Paul.
- Dumont, L.,1970. Homo Hierarchicus: The Caste System and its implications, London: Whitefield and Nicolson.
- Ghurye, G.s. 1969. Caste and Race, Bombay: Popular Prakashan.
- Gore, M.S. 1993. The Social Context of and Ideology: the Social and political Thoughts of BabasahebAmbedkar, New Delhi: Sage.

M.A SEMESTER 1
PAPER 3
SOCIAL STRATIFICATION AND MOBILITY
A070703T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives :

This course introduces the concept of social stratification and its theoretical foundations. It focuses to familiarize the students with key issues with regard to social stratification across society's i.e. related to class, race, tribe, caste, ethnicity etc.

Unit	Content
1	Introduction to Social Stratification : The concept of social stratification in Sociology Understanding concepts of hierarchy, inequality and social mobility
2	Perspective on Social Stratification functionalist, Marxist, Weberian
3	Stratification, Inequalities and Mobility in India : Caste, Class, and religion as forms of Stratification
4	Gender and Stratification : Patriarchy and the subordination of women, the family as the site of inequality, gender, work and entitlements
5	Contemporary Debates in Stratification in india: Marginalization of SC/STs and Muslim minorities

Recommended Books

- Beteille, A. (1983) The idea of Natural Inequality and other Essays. Delhi: OUP, (Pp.7-32).
- Chakravarti, U. (1995). 'Gender, Caste, and Labour', Economic and Political Weekly, 30 (36):. 2248-56
- Gupta, D.(Ed.) (1991) Social Stratification, New Delhi: Oxford university Press, (pee 1-12)
- Max W. (1992) "Class, Status, Party" in Dipankar Gupta (Ed.), Social Stratification, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Mendelsohn, O, and Vieziary M. (1998). The Untouchables : Subordination, Poverty and the State in Modern India, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. (Chapters {1, 2 and 9).
- Fumin, MM, (2003) Social Stratification : The Forms and Functions of Inequality. New Delhi : Prentice Hall of India .

M.A SEMESTER 1
PAPER 4
SOCIOLOGY OF CHANGE AND DEVELOPMENT
A070704T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives

Social change has always been a central concern of sociological study. More recently, it has gained in greater salience partly because of its unprecedented rapidity and partly because of its planned character. Not surprisingly, development has emerged as a pronounced concern and as a remarkable feature of our times. Accordingly, the relevance of the course 'Sociology of Change and Development' can hardly be overemphasized.

Unit	Content
1	Meaning and forms of Social Change, Change in Structure and change of Structure; Evolution; Progress, Development and Transformation
2	Changing conceptions of Development, Economic Growth, Social Development, Human Development, Sustainable Development
3	Theories of Social change: Linear, Cyclical; Factors of social change: Demographic, Science, Technology and Media
4	Theories of Development and Underdevelopment : Centre-periphery, World-systems
5	Concept of Planning- Democratic, Totalitarian and Regional; India through five year plans and Role of NITIAyog; Role of NGOs in development

Recommended Books

- Bandhan, P. 1984. The Political Economy of Development, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Betelle, Andre, 1992. Society and Politics in India: Essays in Comparative perspective, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Dark T.M. and Joshi, 2001; social Development, Udaipur, Institute of Development Studies.
- Dreze, J. and Sen. 2002. India Development and Participation, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Dube, S.C. 1998. Modernization and Development the Search for Alternative Paradigm, New Delhi, Vistar
- Goven, M.P. 1996 doctrines of Development, London Rutledge
- Kiely, R. and PtulManfleet, (Eds), 1998. Globalization and the Third World, London: Rutledge.
- Kothan, Rajni, 1988. Rethinking Development: In Search of Human Alternatives, Delhi, Ajanta.
- Dube, S.C. 1998. Modernization and Development the Search for Alternative paradigm, new Delhi, Vistar.
- Goven, M.P. 1996 Doctrines of Development, London Rutledge
- Kiely, R. and PtulManfleet, (Ed), 1998. Globalization and the Third World, London: Rutledge.
- Kothan, Rajni, 1988. Rethinking Development: In Search of Human Alternatives, Delhi, Ajanta.
- Midgley, J. 1994. Social Development: The Development Perspective in Social Welfare, London: Saga
- Seers, D. 1970. The Meaning of Development, Series No. 4 Sussex: Institute of Development Studies, University of Sussex.
- Sen. Amrtya, 1999. Development as Freedom, New Delhi, Oxford University Press.
- Singh, Y. 1793. Modernization of Indian Tradition, New Delhi: Thomson Press. United Nations Development Programme: 2001. Human Development, Report, 1995. Sustainable Human

Semester II
Paper I
CLASSICAL SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY
A070801T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives

This course is intended to introduce the students to the substantive, theoretical and methodological issues which have shaped the sociological thinking in 20th century, and which continue to concern the practitioners of sociology today. The course will examine the theoretical relevance and analytical utility of the premises, methodology and conclusions of these diverse theoretical perspectives in understanding social structure and change.

Unit	Content
1	Introduction : Nature of sociological theory –Levels of theorization in sociology – Relationship between theory and research.
2	Structural – functionalism The idea of social structure : A.R. Radcliffe-Brown-The problems of role analysis : S.F. Nadel – Functional dimensions of social system : T. Parsons – codification, Critique and reformulation of functional analysis ; R.K. Merton
3	Structuralism Human nature and cultural diversity : C. Levi-Strauss
4	Conflict Theory Marx critique and dialectics of conflict : R. Dahrendorf – Functional analysis of conflict. L. Coser – conflict and social change : R. Collins
5	Sociology of Knowledge Sociology of Knowledge : Karl Mannheim

Recommended Books

- Alexander, Jeffrey C. 1987. Twenty Lectures : Sociological theory since world war II. New York: Columbia University Press.
- Bottomore, Tom. 1984. The Frankfurt School. Chester, Sussex : Ellis Horwood and London : Tavistock Publications.
- Craib, Ian. 1992. Modern Social Theory: From Parsons to Habermas (2nd edition). London: Harvester Press.
- Collins, Randall 1997 (Indian edition) Sociological Theory, Jaipur and New Delhi: Rawat.
- Giddens, Anthony, 1983. Central problems in social theory: Action, structure and contradiction in social analysis. London: Macmillan.
- Kuper, Adam. 1975. Anthropologists and anthropology: The British School, 1922-72.
- Harmondsworth, Middlesex : Penguin Books.
- Kuper, Adam and Jessica Kuper (eds.) 1996 (2nd edition). The Social Science encyclopaedia. London and New York: Routledge.
- Ritzer, George. 1992 (3rd edition). Sociological Theory. New York : McGraw-Hill.
- Sturrock, John (rd.) 1979. Structuralism and since: From Levi Strauss to Derrida. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Turner, Jonathan H. 1995 (4th edition). The structure of sociological theory. Jaipur and New Delhi; Rawat.
- Zeitling, Irving M 1998 (Indian edition) Rethinking Sociology : A critique of contemporary Theory, Jaipur and New Delhi : Rawat.

Semester II
Paper II
INDIAN SOCIAL THOUGHT
A070802T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives

In recent years, there have been a growing emphasis on the contextualisation of Indian society. One of the ways of going on those segment of the population, which have lived on the traditional and modern society and which have dilemma between traditional and modern era; until recently adequate scholarly alterations. The course is aimed at sensitizing students to the significance of sociological study of culture ,values and effects of the modernisation on Indian society, and level thinking.

Unit	Content
1	Ideological foundation of Indian society Manu- social philosophy of Manu: varn vyavastha, sanskar, purusharth, Political philosophy of Manu: state system punishment
2	Swami vivekanand.life sketches, Views on religion and society, Nationalism and Neo-vedanta socialism .spiritual democracy
3	Shri Arbindo Ghosh: life sketch, theory of nationalism and human unity, Concept of super man and super mind
4	M-K-Gandhi: Life sketch, → Sarvoday: concept and theory, socialism, concept of satyagrah
5	B.R.Ambedkar: life sketch, views on Dharma ,caste and untouchability. Nationalism and perspective on marginalisation

Recommended books

- Motwari Kewal 1931 ;Manu :A study in Hindu social Theory; ganesh & Company
- *University Of Michigan
- Dubey S-C • 1973 social sciences in a changing Society(Lucknow)
- sharma; S- L. 1986, Development: socioculture
- Dimensions ,Jaipur, Rawat ,
- Giddems Anthony, 1990 The Consequences of modernity, cambridge: polity press.
- (political philosophy of M.K.Gandhi and Sarvoday; laxmi narayan ,1972
- Verma,B.P,1974,political philosophy of sri arbinda, Matolal banarasi Das ,new delhi
- Gore ,M.S : 1993:The social context and ideology of Ambedkar's political and social thought; sage publications; New Delhi.
- Swami nikhilanand;1953,Vivekanand Biography :Ramakrishnan Vivekanand Centre

Semester II
Paper III
METHODOLOGY OF SOCIAL RESEARCH - 1
A070803T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives:

To provide exposure to the fundamentals of various research techniques and methods. It tries to build upon the basic assumptions in adopting various methodologies for different kinds of research themes.

Unit	Content
1	Meaning, Scope and Significance of Social Research, Formulation of Hypothesis
2	Scientific steps in Social Research – Theory Building
3	Objectivity and subjectivity in Social Research, Problem of scientism and objectivism
4	Methods of Research : qualitative and quantitative – Ethnography, observation, case study, content analysis
5	Research Design : Descriptive, Exploratory, Experiment and Diagnostic

Recommended books

- Bryman, Alan, 1988. Quality and Quantity in Social Research, London : Unwin.
- Corbetta, P. 2003, Social Research : Theory, Methods and Techniques, London: Sage.
- Durkhiem, E. 1912. The Elementary Forms of Religious Life, London : Allen and Unwin.
- Feyeraband, P.K. 1975. Against Method, London: New Left Books.
- Giddens, A.(Ed.), 1974. Positivism and Sociology, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Gorman, R.A. 1977. The Dual Vision: Alfred Schutz and the Myth of Phenomenological Social Science.
London : Routledge and Kegan Paul.
- Goode, W.J. and Hatt, P.K. 1952. Methods in Social Research, New York: McGraw-Hill.
- Kuhn, T.S. 1970. The Structure of Scientific Revolution, Chicago: Chicago University Press.
- Mukherji, P.N. 2000. Methodology of Social Research: Dilemmas and Perspectives, New Delhi: Sage.
- Myrdal, G. 1970. Objectivity in Social Research. London: Gerald Duckworth.
- Newton-Smith, W.H. 1981, The Rationality of Science, London: Routledge & Kegan Paul.
- Popper, K. 1972. Objective Knowledge, London: Oxford University Press.
- Punch, Kieth. 1996. Introduction to Social Research, London: Sage.
- Shipman, M. 1988: The Limitation Social Research, London: Sage.
- Somekh, B. And Lewin, C. 2002. Research Methods in Social Sciences, London: Sage.
- Srivastava, V.K. (Ed.), 2005. Methodology and Fieldwork, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- R.N. Mukherjee, Samajik Anusandhan ki Padchatyan.
- J.P. Singh, Samajik Anusandhan ki Vidhiyan.
- S.R. Kothari – Shodh Paddhatti.

Semester II
Elective Paper
RURAL SOCIOLOGY
A070804T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives

To make the students aware about the traditional as well as the changing dimensions of rural society of India. To acquaint the students with the various changes taking place in rural society due to urbanization as well as governmental policies and culture contact.

Unit	Content
1	Significance and scope of the study of Rural Sociology : Little community, peasant society & folk culture
2	Traditional Indian village and its institutions : Family, kinship, caste and religion
3	Social change in Rural India : Sanskritization, Modernization; Impact of urbanization on Rural Institutions
4	Patterns of leadership and power structure in contemporary Rural India : The new panchayati raj system and its impact on power structure
5	Policies and programmes of rural development : old and new

Recommended Books

- Dahama, O.P. Extension and Rural Welfare.
- Desai, A.R. Rural Sociology in India.
- Dey, S.K. Community Development Programme in India.
- Doshi, Sushil and Jain. Rural Sociology.
- Dubey, S.C. Indian Village.
- Dubey, S.C. Indias Changing Village.
- Dumont, Louis & Pocock David F. Contribution to Indian Sociology Vol. I & II.
- Farnkel, Francine, India's Green Revolution.
- Gandhi, M.K. Rebuilding our Villages.
- Lawis, Oscar, Village Life in the Northern India.
- Mujumdar, D.N. Rural Profiles.

Semester II
Elective Paper
URBAN SOCIOLOGY
A070805T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives

To make the students acquainted with the impact of urbanization on society, economy and culture to acquaint them with the problems that arises due to urbanization.

Unit	Content
1	Meaning of urbanization and urban growth, definition of the city: ecological, psychological and sociological: typologies of cities and urban places
2	Urban Social Structure : Class, family and urban government
3	Urban Culture : urbanism as a way of life : urban recreation
4	Urban growth in India : perspectives of urban growth; migration theories and trends in India.
5	Indian Cities and their problems, slums and housing problems in India. Urban planning and future of cities in India

Recommended Books

- Quinn J.A. 1995, Urban Sociology, S. Chand & Co., New Delhi.
- Pickwance C G (ed) 1976, Urban Sociology : Critical Essays. Methuen.
- Saunders Peter 1981, Social Theory and Urban Question, Hutchinson.
- Bose Ashish 1978, Studies in India urbanization 1901-1971. Tata Mc. Graw Hill.
- Abrahamson M 1976, "Urban Sociology", Englewood, Prentice Hall. Sociology 83.
- Ronnan, Praddison, 2001, "Handbook of Urban Studies", Saga, India.
- Gold, Harry, 1982. "Sociology of Urban Lit", Prentice Hall, Englewood cliff.
- Colling Worth, J.P. 1972, "Problems of Urban Society" Vol. 2, George and Unwin Ltd.
- Alfred de Souza 1979, "The Indian City; Poverty, Ecology and Urban Development", Manohar, Delhi.

Semester II
Elective Paper
SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY

A070806T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives:

To understand the basic social psychological concepts and familiarize with relevant methods. To develop skills pertaining to mapping of social reality and understanding how people evaluate social situations. To familiarize with the concepts of social affect and affective processes including people's harming and helping behaviours

Unit	Content
1	Introduction and importance of Social Psychology, Relationship of Social Psychology with sociology.
2	Socialization level and stages of Socialization, Theories of Socialization
3	Motivation, Perception
4	attitude and Learning, Culture and Personality
5	Collective Behaviour: Leadership, Crowd, Rumour, Mass-media and propaganda, Public opinion, riots

Recommended Books

- Baron, R. A., Byrne, D., & Bhardwaj, G. (2010). Social psychology (12th Ed.). New Delhi, India: Pearson.
- Hogg, M. A., & Vaughan, G. M. (2005). Social psychology. Harlow: Pearson Prentice Hall.
- Husain, A. (2012). Social psychology. New Delhi, India: Pearson.
- Myers, D. G. (2008). Social psychology. New Delhi, India: Tata McGraw-Hill.
- Taylor, S. E., Peplau, L. A., & Sears, D. O. (2006). Social psychology (12th Ed.). New Delhi, India: Pearson
- Singh, Arun K, Social Psychology

Semester II Paper

A070807R

LEVEL : Semester-2

PAPER CODE : -----

TITLE OF PAPER : Minor Elective from another Faculty / Department

MARKS/CREDITS : 75/4 (Minimum 4 credits)

LEVEL : Semester-2

PAPER CODE : MASO-207

TITLE OF PAPER : Project/Dissertation Work (Internal Evaluation & Viva-Voce)

MARKS/CREDITS : 100/8 Course

Objectives:

1. To evaluate the relevance of the research proposal developed.
2. To familiarize with the basics of writing research.
3. To appreciate the role of theory in guiding the field work.
4. To create a written dissertation.

Semester III
Paper I
ADVANCED SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY
A070901T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives

This course is intended to introduce the students to the substantive, theoretical and methodological issues which have shaped the sociological thinking in the latter part of 20th century and afterwards. The course will examine the limitations of typical modern sociological theory that shaped the nature of sociology in earlier 20th Century and will introduce different recent theoretical trends.

Unit	Content
1	Introduction Problems and deficiencies of modern sociological theory ----Challenges of post second world war society and need of fresh perspective
2	Neo functionalism and post-structuralism Neofunctionalism : J. Alexander Human nature and cultural diversity : C. Levi-Strauss --- Structuralism and post- structuralism
3	The critical theory and neo Marxism The Frankfurt school --- Lifeworld and system : J. Habermas ---- Stucturalism Marxism : L.Althusser --- hegemony : A. Gramsci
4	Interactionist perspective Symbolic interactionism : G.H. Mead and H.Blumer—Phenomenological Sociology: A. Schutz --- Social construction of reality : P. Berger and T.G. Luckmann—enthomethodology: H. Garfinkle
5	Recent trends in sociological theorizing Structuration : Anthony Giddens --- Habitus and field: Bourdieu --- Postmodernism --- Semiotics --- Convergence

Recommended Books

- Michel Foucault, 196 The Archaeology of Knowledge and Discourse on Language, New York, harper Colophon
- Jacques Derrida, 1978: Masters of Sociological Thought, New York : harcourt brace
- Abraham, M. francis, 1982: Modern Sociological Theory, Delhi, Oxford University Press
- Giddens, Anthony, 1983: Central Problem in Social Theory : Action Structure and Contradiction, London, Macmillan
- Ritzor George & Godman, Douglas J, 2004 Sociological Theory, New york, McGraw-Hill
- Michel Foucault 1965: Madness and Civilization : A History of Insanity in the Age of Reason, New York, Vintage
- Alexander, Jeffrey C, 1998: Neofunctionalism and After, UK, Blacwell Unive
- Bourdieu, Pierre, 1992: An Invitation to Reflexive Sociology, Chicago, University of Chicago
- Cralb, Ian, 1992 (2nd edition) : Modern Social Theory from parsons to Habermas, London, Harvester Press
- Collins, Randall, 1997 (Indian Edition): Sociological Theory, Jaipur, Rawat Publication
- Bourdieu, Plerre, 1997: Outline of a Theory of Practice, Landon, Cambridge University
- Bourdieu, pierre, 1998: Practical Reason : On the Theory of Action, USA, Stanford Uni, Press
- Jacques Derrida, 2003: The Problem of Genesis in Husserl's Philosophy, Chicago, university of Chicago Press
- Calhoun, Carig (ed), 2002: Contemporary Sociological Theory, UK, Blackwell

Semester III
Paper II
METHODOLOGY OF SOCIAL RESEARCH (II)
A070902T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives:

To provide exposure to the fundamentals of various research techniques and methods. It tries to build upon the basic assumptions in adopting various methodologies for different kinds of research themes.

Unit	Content
1	Techniques of Data Collection: Survey Sampling techniques, Interview Interview - Schedule, Questionnaire
2	Statistical Analysis in Sociology Measures of central tendency, Dispersion, correlation, Standard-deviation-Regression
3	Graphical representation and use of computer in social science-Research, coding, tables and graphs
4	Graphical representation and use of computer in social science-Research, coding, tables and graphs
5	How to prepare a Research Paper: Various steps from determining research problem in referencing

Recommended books:

- Barnes, John A. 1979. who Should Know What? Social Science, Privacy and Ethics. Harmondsworth: Penguin.
- Bleicher M. 1988. the Hermeneutic Imagination London: Routledge and Kegan Paul (Introduction only).
- Bose, Pradip Kumar, 1995 Research Methodology. New Delhi: ICSSR.
- Bryman, Alan 1988. Quality and Quantity in Social Research, London: Unwin Hyman
- D.A. de Vaus. 1986. Surveys in Social Research. London George Relen and Unwin.
- Hughes, John. 1987. The Philosophy of Social Research. London: Longman.
- Madge, John. 197. The Origins of Scientific Sociology. London: Tavistock.
- Marsh, Catherine. 1988. Exploring Data. Cambridge: Polity Press.
- Punch, Keith. 1986. Introduction to Social Research, London: Sage.
- Srinivas, M.N. and A.M. Shah 1979. Field Worker and the Field. New Delhi: Oxford
- Beteille A. and T.N. Madan. 1975. Encounter and Experience: personal Accounts of Fieldwork. New Delhi: Vikas Publishing House Pvt. Ltd.
- Fayeraband, Paul. 1975. Against Method: Outline of an anarchistic Theory of Knowledge. London: Humanities Press.
- Hawthorne. Geoffrey. 1976. Enlightenment and Despair. A History of Sociology. Cambridge: Cambridge university.
- Kuhn, T.S. 1970. The Structure of Scientific Revolutions. London: The University of Chicago Press.
- Mukherjee, P.N. (eds). 2000. Methodology in Social Research : Dilemmas and Perspectives. New Delhi: Sage. (Introduction).
- Popper K. 1999. The Logic of Scientific Discovery. London: Routledge.
- Shipman, Martin. 1988. The Limitations of Social Research, London: Longman.
- Sjoberg, Gideon and Roger Nett. 1977. Methodology for Social Research, Jaipur: Rawat.
- Smelser, Nell J. Comparative Methods in Social Science.

Semester III
Paper III
MEDIA, CULTURE AND SOCIETY
A070903T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives

This paper is supposed to get the students acquaint with the basic concepts, models, types, functions and means of communication along with the methods of media studies. The course also aims at the students to look critically on the issues of the effects of mass media on youth, culture industry, popular culture, high/ elite culture, globalization of culture, digital divide cultural hegemony and media imperialism etc.

Unit	Content
1	Media and its Characteristics and Types: Traditional and Folk Media, Print Media, Electronic Media, New Media: Interface of Media and Culture & Media and Society.
2	Sociological Concepts and Theories of Media vis-a-vis Society; Culture Industry; Commodity Fetishism, Public Sphere, Information Society, network Society; Functional, Marxian, Critical and Postmodernist perspectives on Media and Society
3	Media and Pop-culture; Media and Social Relations: Media and Life world; Media and Corporate Capitalism; Media and Democratic Polity; Media and Liquid Modernity.
4	Media as an Agency of Social Change; Globalization of Media; Changing Dimensions of Media: media and Social Reality
5	Role and Impact of Media in Globalization : Contemporary Issues on Media Cultural Studies

Recommended Books

- Adorno, T. : Culture Industry, Rutledge, New Delhi; (2001).
- Appadura Arjun: Modernity at large Cultural Dimension of Globalization, New Delhi, Oxford university Press; (1997).
- Blumber, J.G. and E. Katz: Mass Communication : Sage Publications, London (1974).
- Bronsius, C. and M. Butcher: Image Journey- Audio Visual Media and Cultural Change in India: Saga (1999). (ed.).
- Breckenridge, C.: Public Culture in Contemporary India, Consuming Modernity.
- Curran, J. and M. Gurvitch: Mass Media and Society (London: Edward Arnod); eds (1991).
- Gunaratne, S. Handbook of the Media in Asia: Saga London); 2000, eds.
- Hall saurat, Culture, Media Language, Rouledge, 1980.
- Johnson, Kirtk; Television and Social Change in Rural India: Saga, London (2000).
- Joshi, P.C. Sanskriti, Vikas and Sanchar Kranti, Grantshilpi, New Delhi; (2001).
- Klaus Bruhn J: A Handbook of Media Research: Qualitative and Quantitative Methodologies, Retledge, N. Delhi; (2005).

Semester III
Paper -IV
POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY
A070904T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives

To make the students aware of the prerequisites of sound democratic political system and its vulnerability. To generate in the minds of students and awareness of their status and role has citizens of the State.

Unit	Content
1	Development and Scope of Political Sociology : Types of political system premature Traditional Modern
2	Basic Concepts; Bureaucracy, Authority and its Bases, Power, Elites, Political Culture, Political Socialization and Political Participation
3	Totalitarian and Democratic Systems; Political Elites; Approaches for the Study of Political System: Structural Functional; Conflict School, System Analysis nad Behavioural Approach
4	Pressure Groups : Political Party; party politica with special reference to U.P. & India; Civil Society versus State
5	Political Mobilization; Political Modernization; Voting Behaviour; political development and Social Change

Recommended Books

- Kumar Anand (2010), Quest for participatory Democracy, Jaipur: Rawat Publications.
- Kumar Anand (2014), political Sociology in India, Vol-VIII, Delhi, Saga Publications.
- Choudhary; Kameshwar (2007), Globalization, Governance Reforms and Development in India, New Delhi, Sage Publicatons.
- Mukhopadhyay, Amal Kumar (1977). Political Sociology: An Introductory Analysis. Calcutta: K.P. Bagchi and Company.
- Allardt, E. and Rukkan. S. (1970). Political Studies in Political Sociology.
- Almond and Coleman (1960), The Politics of Development Areas, Princeton university Press.
- Almond and Powell (1972). comparative Politics: A Deelopment Approach, New Delhi.
- Aron, Raymond (1967). Industrial Sociology: Three Essays on Ideology and Development, new york, 15.
- Blondel, Jean (1969). Comparative Government, macmillan.
- Bottomore, T.B. (1971). Elites and Society, Penguin, Harmond Swarth.
- Ball, Alam R (1978). Modern Politics and Government, Macmillan.
- Dowse, R.E. and Hughes J.A. (1972). Political Sociology, London: John Wiley.
- Easton; David (1965). A Framework for Political Analysis, Englewood Clifs, Prentice Hall.
- Easton; David (1965). A System Analysis of Political Life, New York, Wiley.
- Finkle, Jason and Cable, R.W. (1971). Political Development and Social Change, New York. John Wiley and Sons Inc.
- Huntington, S.P. (1969), Political Order in Changing Societies.
- Lipset, S.M. (1959). Political Man, London.
- Lipset, S.M. (1972). Politics and The Social Science, New Delhi: Wiley Eastern
- Lapalombaran, Loseph and Weiner, Myron (1966). Political Parties and Political Development.
- Pizzorono, A. (1970). Political Sociology, penguin Books.
- Pye, Lucien (1966). Aspects of Political Development, Amerind Publishing Company Ltd.
- Rush, M. (1966). Political Sociology, New York.

Semester III
Paper V
ENVIRONMENT AND SOCIETY
A070905T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives

The course plan aims to provide knowledge of sociological basis of Environment and society interface. It seeks to impart social skills in environmental concerns in order to understand the human sufferings.

Unit	Content
1	Scope and Significance of Environmental Sociology, The raise, decline and resurgence of Environmental Sociology, Basic Concepts; Eco-Ecological Balance and Bio-diversity, Interrelationship between environment and society. Approaches to the study of environmental Problems
2	Environmental Problems and Crisis : Nature and extent of environmental problems, Types of Environmental Problems, Causes of Environmental Problems. Causes of Environmental Problems
3	Contemporary Environmental issues in India : Pollution and its effect, Deforestation and Desertification, Development projects Displacement and Rehabilitation
4	State and Environment : Environmental Policy, constitutional Provisions and Laws, Government Programmes for the Protection and enrichment of Environment
5	Towards Environmental Protection : Role of International Agencies and NGOs, Role of Science and Technology, Environmental Movement.

Recommended Books

- Gadgil Madhav and Ramchandra Guha (1996) : Ecology and Equity: The use and abuse of Nature in contemporary India, Our, New Delhi.
- Michael Redclift. (1984): Development and the Environmental Crisis, Meheu Co. Ltrd. New York.
- Riordan O L T (1981) : Environment, Pion.
- Schnaiberg Allan (1981) : The Environment, Oxford University Press, New York.
- D.S. Yadav; Environmental Sociology.
- M.K. Goyal; पर्यावरणीय मुद्दे
- Dr Dayashankar Yadav; पर्यावरण का समाजशास्त्र

Semester III
Paper -VI
SOCIAL DEMOGRAPHY
A070906T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives

To enable the students to understand the influence of population composition on the society, to acquaint the students with the demographic features and trends in the global and Indian context and to make the students enable to understand the strategies used in population planning, policies and control.

Unit	Content
1	Scope of social demography, population theories (Malthus, Spencer, Dumont and Fetter) and their critique
2	Concepts and measurements of population trends in the world and in India: population pyramid of India
3	population planning and control; family and reproductive health. Population policy of the government of India-A critical appraisal
4	Interface between population size and social development, population as an issue in a plural society
5	Demographic research, census.

Recommended Books

- Malthus. T.R. : An Essay on population.
- Cole, A.J. and Hoover, E.M: Population Growth and Economic Development in Low Income Countries.
- Bernard B: Family Planning & Population Programme A Review of World Development
- Glass, D.V. and Eversley. F.C. Population History.
- Cox. P.R: Demography
- U.N.O: Demographic Year Book.
- Glass, D.V.: Introduction to Malthus
- Carr-Sunder A.M: The population Problems.
- Coontz Sydney, H: Population Theories and Economic interpretations.
- Eversley DE.C. social Theories of Fertility and the Malthusian Debate.
- Lorimer, F: Culture and Human Fertility.
- Hauser Philip M and Duncan Otis Dudley (ed.): The Study of Population
- Mukherjee, R.K: Political Economy of population.
- Davis, Kingsley: The Population of India and Pakistan.
- Gyan Chand: Aspects of Population Problems in India.

Semester III
Paper -VII
INDUSTRIAL SOCIOLOGY
A070907T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objectives

To acquaint the student of emergence of industrialism and its impact on society. to the make the students familiar of industrial management and labour welfare in India.

Unit	Content
1	The nature and scope of industrial sociology; the rise of modern industrialism; the industrial revolution : characteristic features of modern industrial organization (with particular reference to India)
2	Work, work process: technology and labour: work culture: work ethics and human relations at work
3	Personnel management, wages, collective bargaining
4	Settlement of disputes. labour legislation and welfare; social security
5	Labour participation in industrial managemnt, industrial planning and progress

Recommended Books

- Zetlin Irwing, 1969 Ideology and the development of Sociological theory Vol. I & Vol. II.
- Basic Books, Ness York Sociology 102.
- Watson, K. Tony, 1995 Sociology, work and Industry, Routeledge.
- Ramaswamy E.A. 1988 industry and Labour OUP.
- Ramaswamy E.A. 1978 Industrial n' lauons in India, New Delhi.
- Karnik V B 1970 Indian trade union, A survey Popular Prakashan, Mumbai.
- Mamoria C.B. and Mamoria 1992 Dynamics of Industrial Relation in india, Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai.
- Ramaswamy E.A. 1977, The worker and his union, Allied, New Delhi.
- Ramaswamy, E.A. 1977 The worker and Trade Union Allied, New Delhi.
- Agarwal R.D. 1972 Dyanmics of Labour Relations in India.

Semester IV
Paper I
Criminology
A071001T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objective:

To acquaint the student with recent advances in criminology. To make the students familiar with the importance of correctional measures and programmes .

Unit	Content
1	Criminology: Definition, scope and methods: Concepts of crime: Legal, Sociological
2	Major Theories of crime and criminals: Organized crimes, crime against women and children, cyber crimes
3	Corruption : changing socio-economic profile of criminals in contemporary India
4	Victimology and its implications for prevention and control of crimes
5	Prison reforms in India: Correctional measures and reforms of prison

Recommended Books

- Aichorn, A. The Wayward Youth.
- Clinard, M.B. Sociology of Deviant Behaviour
- Coben A. Delinquent Boys
- Drapkin, Ismail and Emilho, Viana Victimology : A new Focus
- Drisst, David Practice and Theory of Probation and Parole.
- Haikerwall, B.S. Social and Economic Aspects of Crime in India.
- India Government: Delinquent Children and Juvenile Offences in India.
- Publications of the Ministry of Home Affairs and of the Indian Society for Prevention of Crime.
- Manheim, H. Group Problems in Crime and Punishment.
- Newman, Charles, L. Source book on Probation, Parole and Pardon.
- Russche, George and Kirchheimer Outo, Punishment and Social Structure.
- Tappan, Paul W. Contemporary Correction.
- Ram Ahuja, Mukesh ahuja ,, अपराध-शास्त्र
- G.K. Agarwal, अपराध-शास्त्र.
- Dr G.L.verma,, आधुनिक अपराध-शास्त्र.

Semester IV
Paper II
GLOBALIZATION AND SOCIETY
A071002T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objective:

This paper aims to delineate the characteristics of the issues relating to globalization. After an introduction to the nature and dynamics of globalization, it explains the various agencies involved in this process, examines its socioeconomic and cultural impact. It finally examines the Indian experience of globalization and reflects on its problems and prospects.

Unit	Content
1	The Historical and Social Context of Globalization: Concept of Globalization; Distinctive Characteristics of Globalization; Global VS. local Modernization and Globalization.
2	Structure and Process of Globalization; Perspectives on Globalization: Robertson and Giddens; Hyper-globalization, Global Skepticism, Transformationalism
3	Political Economy of Globalization; Agencies of Globalization; Multinational Corporations (MNCs), Nation-state; Media-Market, Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs), International Agencies (International Monetary Fund & World Bank).
4	Inequality within and among Nation State: Socio-economic Impact of Globalization; Impact on Individual and Group Identities; Hegemony and Dominance; Globalization and the Resurgence of Ethics Consciousness
5	Culture of Globalization: The Ethos of Globalization- Unbilled Freedom, Individualism, Consumerism, Cultural Homogenization, Global Tourism, Diasporic Communities: Transnational Ethic and Religious Movement; Protest and Resistance to Globalization

Recommended books:

- Giddens, A, 1985. The Nation State and Violence, Berkeley: University of California Press.
- Giddens, A, 1990. The Consequences of Modernity, Stanford, Stanford University Press.
- Jameson, F. 1991. The Cultural Logic of Late Capitalism, Durham: Duke University Press.
- Petras, George (Ed.) The Blackwell Companion to Globalization, New York: Blackwell.
- Ritzer, George (Ed.) The Blackwell Companion to Globalization, New York: Blackwell.
- Robertson, R. 1992. Globalization : Social Theory and Global Culture. Robertson, R. 1994.
- "Globalization or Globalization" Journal of International Communication, Vol. 1.
- Singh, Yogendra, 2000. Culture Change in India; Identify and Globalization, Jaipur: Rawat Publications.

Semester IV
Paper III
SOCIAL MOVEMENT IN INDIA
A071003T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objective

The objective of this course is to sensitize post graduate students to the variety and dynamics of social movements and their role in social transformation. The course will hopefully enable the students to look at social movement in a sociological and comparative perspective.

Unit	Content
1	Social Movement: Meaning, Definition, Characteristics & Types of Social Movement
2	Components of Social Movement
3	Social Movement and Social Change - reform, revival and revolution, splits; counter movement transformation and decline
4	Theories of the Emergence of Social Movement: Marxist and post-Marxist, Weberian and post-Weberian, Structural-functional
5	Social Movements in India: Dalit movement, Women's movement; Peasant Movements; Ecological and Environmental movement. Ethnic movements

Recommended books:

- Gouldner, A.W, ed., 1950: Studies in Leadership, New York, Harper and Brothers
- Oommen, T.K., 1972 : Charisma, Stability and Change. An Analysis of Bhodan Grandan Movement, New Delhi, Thomson Press
- Banks, J.A. 1972: The Sociology of Social Movements, London, Macmillan
- Shah, Ghanshya, 1977: Protest Movements in two Indian States, New Delhi, Ajanta
- Rao, M.S.A., 1979: Social Movements in India, New Delhi, Manohar
- Rao, M.S.A., 1979: Social Movements and Social Transformation, Delhi, Macmillan.
- Desai, A.R. Ed. 1979: Peasant Struggles in India, Bombay, Oxford University Press & Singh, K.S 1982: Tribal Movements in India, New Delhi. Manohar
- Dhanagare, D.N., 1983: Peasant Movements in Indian 1920-1950M, Delhi, OUP
- Shah, Ghanshyam 1990: Social Movements in India: A review of the literature, Delhi, Sage
- Oommen, T.K., 1930: Protest and Change: Studies in Social Movements, Delhi, Sage
- Shiva, Vandana, 1991: Ecology and the Politics of Survival, New Delhi, Sage
- Shah, Nandita, 1992: The Issues at Stake: Theory and Practice in the Contemporary women's
- Tejaskar, Pandey सामाजिक क्रिया सामाजिक आंदोलन
- Yogen Singh, Social change in India

Semester IV
Paper IV
SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND SOCIETY
A071004T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objective:

To enable the student to understand the relationship between science and Society. To introduce the student to the conceptual and theoretical issues in the study of sociology of science. To understand the issues relating to science, technology and society in India both in the Historical and Globalization contexts.

Unit	Content
1	Sociology of Science - its Scope and importance; the Nature of Science: Pure VS. Applied Science; Relationship between Science and Technology; Science as a Social System
2	Ethos of Science; Scientific Temper; Ethics and Professionalism in Scientific Research; Social Aspects of Rise and Development of Science, Political Economy of Science & Technology
3	History of Modern Science in India - Colonial and Post-independence; Social background of Indian Scientists and Technologists; Social Organization of Science in India: Impact and Role of Science & Technology in Society; Knowledge as Power
4	Nature of Science and Technology Education in India and its Quality; Brain Drain and Brain Gain
5	Problems & Prospects of Interrelationship between Industry and Universities; impact of Globalization and liberalization on Indian Science and Technology

Recommended Books:

- Barber, Bernard. 1952. Science and the Social Order. New York: Free Press.
- Gaillard, J. 1991. Scientists in the Third World. Lexington : Kentucky Univer Press.
- Gaillard, J.V.V. Krishna and R. Waast (Eds.) 1997. Scientific Communities in Development World. New Delhi: Sage.
- Chaubey, Kamala (Ed.) 1974. Science Policy and National Development, New D Macmillan.
- Krishna, V.V. 1993. S.S. Bhanthnagar on Science, Technology and Development, Delhi: Wiley Eastern.

Semester IV
Paper V
SOCIOLOGY OF AGEING
A071005T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objective:

To orient the students towards the changing age composition of different societies. To make the students aware of the various strategies, programmes and measures adopted in the modern society. To familiarize the students to the problems of the elderly and the need for the elderly care.

Unit	Content
1	Introduction: Emergence and relevance of sociology of Ageing; Ageing in traditional societies, ageing in modern societies, changing status of the elderly
2	Demographic structure of Ageing in India with particular reference to Uttar Pradesh; Changing demographic structure and its social implications; Ageing and sex; Migration and its implications on aging population
3	Theories of Ageing: Biological Social and Psychological Theories
4	Problems of Aging: Physiological, Psychological and Socio-economic: Neglect and abuse of Elderly
5	Role of State: Policies and Programmes for the Elderly in India; Role of NGOs.

Recommended Books:

- Sociology of Aging, Ed. A.K.Sahoo, Rawat Publications
- A Sociology of Aging, Diana K. Harris, Rawat Publications.
- Vinod Kumar (1996) (ed.): Aging Indian Perspective and Global Scenario, new Delhi: All India Institute of Medical Sciences.
- Proceedings of the United Nations Round Table on the "Ageing of Asian Populations". Bangkok-1994
- Alfred de Soza; Walter Fernandes (1982) (eds.): Ageing in South Asia: Theoretical Issues and Policy Implications : New Delhi: Indian Social Institute.
- Indra Jai Prakash (1991) (ed): Quality Aging : Collected papers Varanasi : Association of Gerontology .
- P.K. Dhillon (1992) Psycho-Social Aspects of Ageing in India, New Delhi: Concept Publishing Company.
- Added years of Life in Asia (1996): Current Situation and future Challenges, New York : United Nations.
- P.C. Bhatla (2000) (ed.): Lecture-Series in Geriatrics. New Delhi : National Institute of Primary health.
- R. Singh; G.S. Singhal (1996) (eds.) : Perspectives in Ageing Research new Delhi: Today and Tomorrow Printers and Publishers Proceedings of Indo-German Workshop on Education and Research in Gerontology. Max Muller Bhavan, New Delhi.
- S. K. Biswas (1987) (ed.): Ageing in contemporary India Calcutta: Indian Anthropological Society (Occasional Papers)
- E.Palmore (1993) (ed): Developments and Research on Aging. Westport : Greenwood Press.
- S.K. Choudhary ((1992) (ed.): Problems of the Aged and of Old Age Homes Bombay : Akshar Prathi Roop Limited.
- Kumar S. Vijaya (1991): Family Life and Socio-Economic Problems of the Aged. New Delhi : Ashish Publishing House
- Muthayya B. C. : Annesuddin M. (1992): Rural Aged: Existing Conditions, Problems and Possible Interventions – A Study in Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad – national Institute of Rural Development.

Semester IV
Paper VI
RELIGION AND SOCIETY
A071006T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objective

Religion is an ubiquitous phenomenon and its relation to society, culture and polity raises important sociological issues. This paper introduces the students to the subfield of Sociology of religion. After analysing the basic concept and key interpretation of religion, it focuses on the interface between religion and society and the contestation over religion in contemporary times. It concludes with an analysis of social change in relation to religion.

Unit	Content
1	Meaning and the scope of the religion
2	Origin and development of religion (E.B.Tylor, F max mullar)
3	Sociological interpretation of religion (Durkhem, Weber, Marx)
4	Religions of India: Buddhism, Christianity, Hinduism, Islam, Jainism and Sikhism a social ,Historical perspective, Demographic profile - contemporary trends.
5	Social change and religion, religious movement in India

Recomended Books

- Debiprasab chattopadhyya; Religion and Society
- S.Radhakrishna; Religion and Society
- C.N Venugopal; Religion and Indian Society

Semester IV
Paper VII
Comparative Sociology
A071007T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objective

There is much discussion these days on the reorientation of Sociological research and the contextualisation of Sociology to the experience of western countries. The objective of this course is to sensitize student to the salience of the comparative perspective in Sociology by highlighting the historical and social context of its development, key issues and themes as well as theoretical concerns and by contextualising them to the Indian situation

Unit	Content
1	The salience of the comparative perspective in the social sciences general and in sociology in particular; indices of comparison : culture, nation, class, gender
2	Historical and social context of the emergence and growth of sociology in the West; the Eurocentric moorings of Western sociological tradition; Americanization of sociology; national traditions in sociology
3	Central themes in comparative sociology : modernity: development; diversity, pluralism and multiculturalism; nation-state; environment; gender; globalization.
4	Theoretical concerns and debates in comparative sociology Problems of theorizing in sociology in comparative and cross cultural perspective
5	The Indian context ; the bearing of the colonial context on the development of sociology in India; the debate on decolonization, contextualization and indigenization; the focus on national and regional concerns

Recommended books:

- Beteille, Andre 1992: Society and Politics in India: Essays in Comparative perspective (New Delhi Oxford university Press)
- Dube, S.C. 1988: Modernization and Development : the search for alternative paradigm (New Delhi : Vistar)
- Dube, S.C. 1973 : Social Sciences in a Changing Society (Lucknow)
- Kiely, R and Phil Marlet, eds. 1998 : Globalization and the Third World (London: Rutledge)
- Kothari, Rajni 1988: Rethinking Development : In Search of Humane Alternatives Delhi : Ajanta
- Oommen, T.K. and p.N. Mukherjee, eds: 1996: Indian Sociology: Reflections and Introspections (Bombay: Popular Prakashan)
- Parekh, Bhikhu 2000: Rethinking Multiculturalism : Cultural Diversity and Political Theory (London: Macmillan)
- Saraswati, B.N. 1994: Interface of Cultural Identity and Development (New Delhi: Indira Gandhi National Centre of the Arts)
- World commission of Environment and Development, 1987: (New Delhi: Oxford university Press)
- Berremen, g.D. 1981: The Politics of Truth: Essays in Critical Anthropology, New Delhi: South Asian Publishers)
- Kuper, A 1996: Social Science Encyclopaedia, London: Routledge)
- Mohan, R.P. and A.S Wilke, eds. 1994 : International Handbook of Contemporary developments n Sociology (London : Mansell)

Semester IV
Paper VIII
GENDER AND SOCIETY
A071008T

Marks/Credit: 75/5

Objective:

This course will focus on the study of women from a sociological perspective, (including historical, cultural views) and feminist thought and methodologies. The purpose of the paper is to equip a student of sociology to understand gender in all its dimensions and not merely as women's issues. The students are encouraged to take this course to understand Indian society and the changes occurring in the context of equality, power and politics. The paper is designed to help students of sociology understand both theory and methodology and also the impact of society and culture on gender roles in different cultural settings and economic groups of women. It would be interesting to give examples of regional, ethnic and religious differences to enable the student to grasp social realities.

Unit	Content
1	Social Construction of Gender: Gender vs. Biology. Equality vs. Difference. Women in Family. Socialization and Gender, Culture vs. Gender, Gender roles. Sexual Division of Labour, Masculinity vs. Femininity
2	Perspectives on Women in Society: Liberal, Radical, Marxian, Socialist, Postmodernist and the Third Wave.
3	Major women's movement and weakness and evaluation of women's movement.
4	Women and Society in India: Demographic Profile, Economy, Polity, Education, and Health: Crime and Violence against Women: Women Empowerment
5	The changing status of India: pre colonial and post colonial; The role of state and NGOs.

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