

Programme: M. A. (Political Science)

Course Code: PSC107

Title of the Course: Government and Politics in South Asia

Number of Credits: 4

Effective from AY: 2018-19

<u>Prerequisites for the course:</u>	Should have studied at the undergraduate level in social sciences or other disciplines with interest and knowledge of India and her neighbourhood. It is assumed that students have a basic understanding of the South Asian political and economic environment so that they are able to relate to the debates and discussions on current themes..	
<u>Objective:</u>	The course intends to introduce students to a basic understanding of governments and political processes in the South Asian countries including Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka and Nepal. The course shall seek to do a mix of comparative as well as country specific analysis of these countries, where India may figure as a domestic political factor rather than a foreign policy concern in these countries.	

<u>Content:</u>	<p>Unit 1: Introducing South Asia: Ethnic and Geographic and Geopolitical significance of South Asia in terms of Land and its people, Colonialism and Nationalism in South Asia</p> <p>Unit 2: Political Institutions in South Asia: Parliamentary Democracy, Presidential System, Monarchy in Nepal, Military in Pakistan, Monarchy in Nepal.</p> <p>Unit 3: Political Processes in South Asia: Ethnicity and Nation building, Religion and Sectarianism, Political Parties and Party System</p> <p>Unit 4: Decentralization and Governance: Centre-Provincial Relations , Local Governance Institutions, Decentralization and Economic Development.</p> <p>Unit 5: Regional Cooperation in South Asia: Origin and Evolution of SAARC, Major Impediments, Future Prospects</p> <p>Unit 6: Political Economy of South Asia: South Asia as a Human development challenge and opportunity, Economic Reforms and Growth in South Asia .Select Case Studies of Human Empowerment.</p>	<p>8 hours</p> <p>8 hours</p> <p>8 hours</p> <p>8 hours</p> <p>8 hours</p> <p>8 hours</p>
<u>Pedagogy:</u>	lectures/assignments/self-study	
<u>References/Readings</u>	<p>Attar Chand Pakistan: Party Politics, Pressure Groups and Minorities, Common Wealth N. Delhi, 1991</p> <p>Ayesha Jalal. Democracy and Authoritarianism in South Asia: A Comparative-Historical Perspective, Cambridge, New Delhi, 1995</p> <p>Christina Lamb waiting for Allah : Pakistan's Struggle for Democracy. Viking, New Delhi, 1991.</p> <p>Craig Baxter et al. Government and Politics in South Asia, Westview, Boulder, 2002 Dietmar Rothermund Role of State in South Asia and other Essays, Manohar, Delhi, 2000</p> <p>Hassan Gardezi and Jamil Rashid Pakistan : Roots of Dictatorship. The Political Economy of a Praetorian State, Oxford, London,1983</p> <p>Hussain Haqqani:Pakistan Between the Mosque and the Military,Carnegie Endowment for Int Peace,New York, 2005</p>	

	<p>Maya Chadda Building Democracy in South Asia, Sage Vistar, New Delhi, 2000</p> <p>Paul Brass & Achin Vanaik eds. Competing Nationalism in South Asia, Orient Longman, Delhi 2002.</p> <p>Robert Stern Democracy and Dictatorship. in South Asia: Dominant Classes and Political outcomes in India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, India Research Press, N.Delhi 2001.</p> <p>Robert C Oberst: Government and Politics in South Asia, Routledge, New York, 2018</p> <p>Ross Mallick Development. Ethnicity and Human Rights in South Asia, N.Delhi 1998</p> <p>S.K. Chakraborty The Evolution of Politics in Bangladesh, Associated Publishing, New Delhi, 1978 11</p> <p>Subrata Mitra and Alison Lewis eds. Sub national Movements in South Asia, Segment, N. Delhi, 1978</p> <p>Urmila Phadnis and Rajat Ganguly and Nation building in South Asia, Sage New Delhi 2002</p> <p>V.P. Puchkov. Political Economy of Bangladesh, Patriot publishers, New Delhi, 1989</p> <p>Vernon Hewitt The New International Politics of South Asia, Manchester University Press, 1997.</p> <p>Zulfikar Ali Bhutto. If I am Assassinated, Vikas, New Delhi, 1979.</p>	
<u>Learning Outcomes</u>	Students should be able to understand and analyse the dynamics of South Asian Politics from a comparative and country specific perspective.	

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Tentative Time Table (II & IVth Semester 2021)
M.A. I 8em II

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:45am to 11:45am	PSC104 (RT)	PSC104 (RT)	PSC103 (AS)	PSC103 (AS)	PSO207 (PN)
11:45 noon to 1:45 pm	PSO207 (PN)	PSO202 (RG)	PS202 (RG)	PS211 (RT)	PSO211 (RT)

Core Papers:

PSC103: Public Administration: Theories and Concepts

Dr. Alaknanda Shringare

PSC104: Political Economy of India

Dr. Rahul Tripathi

Optional Papers:

PSO202: Research Methods in Political Science

Mr. Ravaji Gaunkar

PSO207: Urban Governance and Environment

Ms. Prachi Naik

PSO211: International Political Economy

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M.A. II 8em IV

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:30am to 11:30am	PS108 (PD)	PS108 (PD)	PS107 (SN)	PS107 (SN)	PS214 (PD)
11:30 am to 1:30 pm	PS209 (RG)	PS206 (AS)	PS206 (AS)	PS214 (PD)	PS209 (RG)

Core Papers:

PS107: Govt. & Politics in South Asia

Dr. Shradha Naik

PS108: Democratic Politics in India: Issues and Dynamics

Dr. Prakash Desai

Optional Papers:

PS206: Development Administration & Good Governance

Dr. Alaknanda Shringare

PS214: Key Texts in Indian Political Thought

Dr. Prakash Desai

PS209: Political Economy of Goa

Dr. Ravaji Gaunkar

Note: Classes for M.A.I will commence from 11th January 2021 and for M.A. II from 25th January 2021.

Saturdays will be used for extra classes.



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MASTER OF ARTS IN HISTORY

College/Department Department of History

Paper Code: PSO 215

Paper Name: Government & Politics in South Asia

Max ISA - 2 Marks: 40 May 2022

Credits Allotted: 4

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