### As Per NEP 2020

# University of Mumbai



#### Title of the program

**A** - P.G. Diploma in Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Thoughts

2023-24

Syllabus for

Semester – Sem I & II

Ref: GR dated 16th May, 2023 for Credit Structure of PG

### University of Mumbai



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| Sr.<br>No. | Heading                              | Particulars  |  |  |  |  |
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| 1          | Title of program O: A                | A  | Title of the program P.G. Diploma in Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Thoughts |  |  |  |
| 2          | O: A Eligibility                     | A  | Graduate in any discipline   |  |  |  |
| 3          | R: Duration of program               | One Year   |  |  |  |  |
| 4          | R: Intake Capacity                   | 100  | 100  |  |  |  |
| 5          | R: Scheme of Examination             | NEP 1  |  |  |  |  |
|            |                                      | 50% Internal<br>50% External, Semester End Examination |  |  |  |  |
|            |                                      | Individual Passing in Internal and External            |  |  |  |  |
|            |                                      | Examination  |  |  |  |  |
| 6          | R: Standards of Passing              | 40%  |  |  |  |  |
| 7          | R: Credit Structure                  | Attac  | hed Herewith   |  |  |  |
| 8          | Semesters                            | A  | Sem I & II   |  |  |  |
| 9          | Program Academic Level               | A  | 6.0  |  |  |  |
| 10         | Pattern                              | Seme   | Semester   |  |  |  |
| 11         | Status                               | New  | New  |  |  |  |
| 12         | To be implemented from Academic Year | From Academic Year: 2023-24                            |  |  |  |  |

#### Sign of HOD

Name of the Head of the Department: Prof. Manisha Karne Name of the Department: Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar International Research Centre

#### Sign of Dean

Name of the Dean: Dr. A. K. Singh Name of the Faculty: Faculty of Interdisciplinary Board

#### 1) Introduction

The will be a full-time one year programme. The Centre wants to emerge as the foremost Research Centre to focus on policy and developments for social justice and humanities studies. Hence, this programme provides as apt opportunity to those who aspire to work in this area.

#### 2) Aims and Objectives

- 1. It mainly focusses on the areas related to the Dr. Ambedkar's thoughts and vision of modern India.
- 2. To understand philosophical basis of Dr. Ambedkar's ideas on equality and social justice
- To understand the work and contribution of Babasaheb Ambedkar in the disciplines such as economic, social, anthropological, history, political science and human rights

#### 3) Learning Outcomes

#### Students will achieve the following outcomes

- Acquire domain knowledge
- Have a better understanding of the working of Democratic institutions and relate there functioning to the greater cause of nation building.
- To gain critical thinking and develop the ability to make logical inferences about creating inclusive society and polity
- Ability to understand and analyse the relevance of Dr. Ambedkar's perspective on diverse areas such as origin of caste, socioeconomic and anthropological evolution of the Indian society

#### 4) Any other Points:

Graduate of any discipline in eligible to apply for this course. A part from lecture method, class discussion, interaction and presentation will be used in teaching.

#### 4) Baskets of Electives: See Annexure I

- 1. Economic Contributions of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar- Paper I
- 2. Economic Contribution of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Paper II

5) Credit Structure of the Program (Sem I, II, III & IV) (Table as per Parishisht 1 with sign of **HOD** and Dean)

| R             | 3          |              |
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| Post Graduate | Programs i | n University |

Parishishta - 1

| <b>Year</b><br>(2 Yr | Level               | Sem.<br>(2 Yr) | Major  |   | RM      | OJT<br>/ FP    | RP | Cum.<br>Cr. | Degree                                       |
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| PG)                  |                     |                | Mandatory*   | Electives Any one   |         |                |    |             |  |
| I                    | 6.0                 | Sem I          | Course 1 Social Justice Discourse- I Credits 4  Course 2 Social, Political and Religious Thoughts of Dr. Ambedkar-II Credits 4  Course 3 Ambedkar's Thoughts and Contemporary Issues III Credits 4  Course 4 Annihilation of Caste Credits 4 | Credits 4  Course 1  Dr. Ambedkar's Economic Thoughts (Paper 1) | 4<br>RM |                |    | 22          | PG<br>Diploma<br>(after 3<br>Year<br>Degree) |
|                      |                     | Sem II         | Course 1 Social Justice Discourse-II Credits 4  Course 2 Social, Political and Religious Thoughts of Dr. Ambedkar-II Credits 4  Course 3 Ambedkar's Thoughts and Contemporary Issues_III Credits 4  Course 4 Buddha and his Dhamma           | Credits 4  Course 1  Dr. Ambedkar's Economic Thoughts (Paper 2) |         | 4<br>OJT<br>FP | /  | 22          |  |
| Cu                   | ım. Cr. F<br>Diplon |                | Credits 4  | 8   | 4       | 4              | -  | 44          |  |

Note: \* The number of courses can vary for totaling 14 Credits for Major Mandatory Courses in a semester as illustrated.

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### P.G. Diploma in Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Thoughts

#### **Annexture I: Baskets of Electives**

#### Semester- I

Course 1:

Dr. Ambedkar's Economic Thoughts Paper -I (Credits- 4)

#### Semester- II

Course 1:

Dr. Ambedkar's Economic Thoughts Paper -II (Credits- 4)

# SEM - I

#### **Syllabus**

# (P.G. Diploma in Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Thoughts) (Sem. I & II) Syllabus for Core/Elective Courses

#### Semester I

Paper I: Social Justice Discourse (4 Credits) 15 hours of teaching per module.

#### **Course Outcomes:**

CO1: Understand the principles of social structure.

CO2: Understand work and life Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar and its influence on the Indian masses.

Pattern of Examination: All the modules will be given equal weightage in evaluation.

#### **Module 1: Concept & Theoretical Expositions part I**

The conceptual framework- the rationale - The Theory of Individualists -known as the Proprietarian Theory of Justice

#### Module 2: Concept & Theoretical Expositions part II

The Utilitartian Theory of Justice – The Theory of Justice (propounded by John Rawls) – Dwarkin Ronald the Theory of Justice (propounded by John Rawls) – Dwarkin Ronald

#### Module 3 Human Rights Discourse

Social Justice: An Integrated Coherence of Equality, Liberty and Fraternity – Dr. Ambedkar's Philosophy of social justice

#### **Module 4: Case studies**

Country experiences of human rights movements - evolution of the ideas of social justice and Human rights for indigenous people

- Dumont, Louis Homo Hierarchicus: The Caste System and its Implications, Vikas, Delhi, 1974.
- Dwarkin, Ronald Taking Rights Seriously, Harvard University Press. 1977.
- Rawls, John A Theory of Justice, OUP, 1972.
- John Mill Stuart On Liberty (Republished in 1974) Utilitarianism, London, 1961.
- Ram Nandu Beyond Ambedkar, Har Anand Publications, New Delhi, 1995.
- Sushila, R. Liberty, Equality & Social Justice: Rawl's Political Theory, Ajanta Pub., New Delhi, 1990.
- Marc Galanter Competing Equalities: Law and the Backward Classes in India, OUP, 1991.

# Paper II: Social, Political and Religious Thoughts of Dr. Ambedkar (4 Credits) 15 hours of teaching per module.

#### **Course Outcomes:**

CO1: Understand the theories of caste in India

CO2: Understand the Dr, Ambedkar's perspectives on caste, social and political rights of the marginalized groups

Pattern of Examination: All the modules will be given equal weightage in evaluation.

#### Module 1:

Theories of Caste (Origin and operational mechanism) S. V. Ketkar, Risley, Dumont Louis, Ambedkar

#### Module 2:

Social Issues - Problems of Labourers, Women and SCs and STs-status of women- importance of education- affirmative actions

#### Module 3:

Dr. Ambedkar's perspective on political rights of the marginalised groups. -Thoughts on Pakistan-Formation of states

#### **Module 4:**

Dr. Ambedkar's Dhamma and Scientific temper (John Dewey and Ambedkar)- conversion to Buddhism

- Beteille Andre The Backward Classes & The New Social Order, OUP, 1981.
- Rao Subba K. Social Justice and Law, National Pub. House, 1974.
- Barry, Brian Theories of Justice, University of California Press, Berkley, 1989.
- Hans Kelsen What is Justice? University of California Press.
- Purohit & Joshi (eds) Social Justice in India, Rawat Publiction, N. Delhi/Jaipur, 2003.
- Chandra Bharil Social & Political Ideas of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, Aalekh Publishers, Jaipur, 1977.
- Jatav, D. R. Social Philosophy of Ambedkar, Phoenix, Publishing Agency, Agra, 1965.

# Paper III: Dr. Ambedkar's Thoughts and Contemporary Issues (4 Credits) 15 hours of teaching per module

#### **Course Outcomes:**

CO1: Understand the theories centre-state relations CO2: Understand the rationale of affirmative actions

Pattern of Examination: All the modules will be given equal weightage in evaluation.

#### Module 1:

Caste and Casteism (Untouchability) – Overt and Covert forms

#### Module 2:

Centre-State relationship (Nationalism) Politics – Political Socialisation and Political Participation of the Dalits, Current Dalit-Bahujan Politics

#### **Module 3:**

Reservation (Current debate) Affirmative Action Policy or Reservation Policy in Private Sector. Social Dynamics – Social mobility and the contribution of Ambedkarite Movement

#### **Module 4:**

Social Dynamics – Social mobility and the contribution of Ambedkarite Movement- Dalit uprising in rural areas and urban areas

- Jogdand, P. G. Dalit Movement in Maharashtra, Kanak Publications, New Delhi, 1991.
- Bhagwandas Thus Spoke Ambedkar, Vol. I to IV.
- Dongre, M. K. Economic Thought of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar.
- Narsu, P. Laksmi The Essence of Buddhism, Buddha Bhumi Prakashan, Nagpur, II Edition, 2002.
- Gail Omvedt Buddhism in India, Sage, 2003.
- Teltumbde, A. 'Ambedkar' in and for the Post Ambedkar Dalit Movement, Sugawa, 1997.
- Valerian Rodrigues The Essential Writings of B. R. Ambedkar, OUP, 2004.

# Paper II: Annihilation of Caste: Critical Explorations (2 Credits)

#### 15 hours of teaching per module.

#### **Course Outcomes:**

CO1: Understand the caste and origin of untouchability in India in India

CO2: Understands the Dr, Ambedkar's perspectives on caste mobility and honour, social and political rights of the marginalized groups

**Pattern of Examination:** All the modules will be given equal weightage in evaluation.

#### Module 1: Caste in India

Caste – Historical outline- -, hierarchy and difference, caste practices-origin of untouchability in India- race and caste comparison-caste system in contemporary times -occupation mobility, caste and labour

#### **Module 2: Resistance and Assertion**

Annihilation of Caste - Mahad satyagraha -Temple Entry- counter arguments of social reformers on caste in India-inter caste marriages- Honour Killing in contemporary period- struggle and movements for equal rights, equal status and protection

#### **References:**

Yengde. S. (2019) Caste Matters, Penguine Random House, India

Narsu, P. Laksmi - The Essence of Buddhism, Buddha Bhumi Prakashan, Nagpur,

II Edition, 2002.

Gail Omvedt - Buddhism in India, Sage, 2003

Gail Omvedt - Dalit Vision, Orient Longman, 1996.

Gail Omvedt - Dalits and the Democratic Revolution, Sage Publication, 1994

Ketkar S.V. B. R. Ambedkar, Penguine Publishers, 2004.

(1998) - History of Caste in India

# Paper I: Dr. Ambedkar's Economic Thoughts (Elective) (4 Credits)

#### 15 hours of teaching per module.

#### **Course Outcomes:**

CO1: Understand the principles of social structure.

CO2: Understand the knowledge about India with reference to work and life Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar and its influence on the Indian masses.

**Pattern of Examination:** All the modules will be given equal weightage in evaluation.

#### Module 1: Dr. Ambedkar's Economic Writings -I

- East India Company: Administration and Finance
- Parliamentary Democracy under Capitalism
- State Socialism

#### Module 2: Dr. Ambedkar's Economic Writings-II

The Evolution of Provincial Finance in British India The Problem of Rupee its Origin and Solution

#### Module 3: Ambedkar's Perspective on Economic Development

- Rural Poverty (Khoti system and Bill to abolish it)
- Mahar Watan Bill No. XII of 1928 and Bill No. XXIII of 1937

#### Module 4: Dr. Ambedkar on Labour

- Labour reforms
- Independent Labour Party's Programme
- Political Economy of Hindu Social Order (Caste, Untouchability)

- Thorat, S. K. Ambedkar's Role in Economic Planning & Water Policy, Shipra Publication, New Delhi.
- Mungekar Bhalchandra India's Economic Reforms and the Dalits: An Ambedkarian Perspective, Dr. Ambedkar Institute of Social and Economic Change, Mumbai, 2003.
- Kasbe Raosaheb Ambedkar Ani Marx (in Marathi), Sugawa.
- Jadhav Narendra Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Arthik Vichar Ani Tatwadnyan (in Marathi), Sugawa, 1992.
- Lokhande, G. S. Bhimraoji Ramji Ambedkar A Study in Social Democracy, Intellectual Publishing House, New Delhi, 1977
- Dhale Raja Dr. Ambedkar and Social Revolution, Bombay, 1976.
- Mangudkar, M. P. Dr. Ambedkar & Family Planning, 1976.

#### Research Methodology (4 Credits) 15 hours of teaching per module.

#### **Course Outcomes:**

CO1: Understand analytical skills and sufficient knowledge of quantitative methods as well as qualitative methods

**CO2:** Develop research acumen among students.

**CO3:** understand and become proficient in the qualitative research methods.

Pattern of Examination: All the modules will be given equal weightage in evaluation.

#### **Module 1: Introduction to Statistics**

Types of Data- Nominal, Ordinal & Ratio-Scale Data, Qualitative and Quantitative Data, Individual, Discrete and Continuous Data- Cross Section, Time Series and Pooled Data- Sources of Data- Population and Samples- Descriptive Statistics and Inferential Statistics.

#### **Module2: The Special Nature of Qualitative Research**

Introduction to qualitative -Fundamental issues in research design — The phases of qualitative studies —The sample in qualitative designs — The nature of data in qualitative research — Ethical issues in research design — Research-Procedures for designing and setting up a qualitative research study. Conceptual Frameworks-Research questions, validity in data gathering —role of the researcher; confidentiality; collecting background information, sampling and validity in data gathering. The core of the mixed approach—Mixed Methods.

#### **Module 3: Data Collection Procedures**

Sampling and Sampling techniques- Survey method- Key techniques for data collections in qualitative research, including observation, interview, and visual data methods and ways that mobile and online data collection methods are extending these fundamental modes – types of interviews-Types of observation procedures. Focus groups- Documents and archival data-Definition, review of sources and types of data methods of collection and analysis- Integrating and synthesizing data, reflexivity.

#### Module 4: Representation, Writing, and Presentation

Basic principles of qualitative analysis – Computer-assisted content analysis – The role of theory in qualitative data analysis- Working out the meaning of a text- Analytic induction and grounded theory- Other ways of analysing qualitative data- Writing a report- the importance of originality-Literature Survey –writing an outline of the research- Transparent presentation: A case study – Analysing and interpreting the data. The importance of Originality-Plagiarism and ethics in writing -Citations and referencing.

- Wooldridge, J., Introductory Econometrics: A Modern Approach, Cengage Learning, 2009.
- Damodar Gujarati, Basic Econometrics (McGraw-Hill, USA)
- Warne, R. (2020). Correlation. In Statistics for the Social Sciences: A General Linear Model Approach (pp. 334-374). Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. Doi:10.1017/9781108894319.013
- Spanos, A. (2019). Hypothesis Testing. In Probability Theory and Statistical Inference: Empirical Modeling with Observational Data (pp. 553-624). Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. Doi:10.1017/9781316882825.014.
- Bogdan, R.C. and Taylor, S.J. Introduction to qualitative research methods: A phenomenological approach to the social sciences, Boston: Allyn & Bacon, 1975.
- Denzin, N.K. and Lincoln, Y.S. (eds.). Handbook of Qualitative Research, Sage, Thousand Oaks, 1994.
- Kirk, J. and Miller, M.L. Reliability and Validity in Qualitative Research, Sage Publications, Newbury Park, California, 1986.
- Strauss, Anselm and Juliet Corbin. 1990. Basics of Qualitative Research: Grounded Theory Procedures and Techniques. Newbury Park, CA: Sage Publications.
- Boyle JS. Styles of ethnography. In: JM Morse, editor. Critical issues in qualitative research methods. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage, 1994:159–85.
- Crotty, M. (1998). The Foundations of social research: Meaning and perspective in the research process. London: Sage.

# SEM - II

#### **Semester II**

# Paper I: Social Justice Discourse II (4 Credits) 15 hours of teaching per module.

#### **Course Outcomes:**

CO1: Understand the principles of social structure.

CO2: Understand the knowledge about Constitution of India.

Pattern of Examination: All the modules will be given equal weightage in evaluation.

#### Module 1:

Social Justice and the Indian Constitution – Provisions in the Constitutions (State Action) Justice, Social, economic and political-illustrations with country experiences

#### Module 2:

Liberty of thought, expression and belief, faith and worship, Equality of Status and opportunity, Fraternity assuring the dignity of the individual and the Unity and integrity of the nation

#### **Module 3:**

Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy (Legal Aspects) Dr. B. R. Ambedkar on Social Justice – Architect of Indian Constitution

#### **Module 4:**

Different Protests (Satyagrihas) & their consequences concerning movements (Social, Political and Cultural) - Social Justice - Gender Justice (Hindu Code Bill debate)

- Austin Granville, Working a Democratic Constitution: The Indian Experience.
- Zajda J., Majhanovich S., Rust V. (2006) Education and Social Justice: ISBN 1-4020-4721-5
- Ganendragadkar P. B. (1964:77,99), Law, Liberty and Social Justice
- Laxmikanath, M. (2008:29), Indian Polity
- Iyer Krishna MLJ (1985) "Processual Justice to the Peoples".
- Anand A.S., Justice for Women: Concerns and Expressions; Universal Book Traders, Delhi (2002)
- Bakshi P.M., Constitution of India; Universal Book Traders, New Delhi

# Paper II: Social, Political and Religious Thoughts of Dr. Ambedkar II (4 Credits) 15 hours of teaching per module.

#### **Course Outcomes:**

CO1: Understand the principles of socio-political structure.

CO2: Learn the thoughts of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar in various contexts.

Pattern of Examination: All the modules will be given equal weightage in evaluation.

**Module 1:** Ideas on Nationalism - Political Philosophy — Constitutionalism- Radical Democracy and Social Justice

#### Module 2:

Dr. Ambedkar on parliamentary democracy, Union Government. Dr. Ambedkar's view on Nation and Nationalism

#### Module 3:

Dr. Ambedkar on Religion – Dr. Ambedkar's views on other religions (Hinduism, Islam, Sikhism and Christianity).

Module 4: Buddha and his Dhamma (Dharma & Dhamma) -Conversion to Buddhism and its implications

- Bhattacharjee, Arun, The Prophets of Modern Indian Nationalism, Delhi, Ashish Publishing House, 1993
- Datta, Amlan, Beyond Socialism, Bombay, Popular Prakashan, 1993.
- Desai, A.R., Social Background of Indian Nationalism, Bombay, Popular Prakashan, 1996.
- Gore, M.S., The Social Context of an Ideology: Ambedkar's Political and Social Thought, New Delhi, Sage Publications, 1993.
- Singh, Chandrakant, Socialism in India: Rise, growth and Prospect, New Delhi, D.K. Publishers, 1986.
- Rajgopalchari, C., Ambedkar Refuted, Hind Kitabs, Bombay, 1946.
- Khairmode, Changdeo, Bhimrao Ramji Ambedkar, Charitra Khand (12 Volumes) (In Marathi) Maharashtra Rajya Sahitya Ani Sanskriti Mandal, Mumbai.

# Paper III: Dr. Ambedkar's Thoughts and Contemporary Issues III (4 Credits) 15 hours of teaching per module.

#### **Course Outcomes:**

CO1: Understand the different issues in India and its implications

CO2: Gain the knowledge the relevance of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar in present scenario.

Pattern of Examination: All the modules will be given equal weightage in evaluation.

#### Module 1:

Empowerment of the Weaker Sections – constitutional provisions- Role of the State – affirmative actions-role of Non-government organizations

**Module 2**: Status of Women- Gender Discourse- Dr. Ambedkar's thoughts on emancipation of women in India- women as equal partners in social, economic and political spheres

#### Module 3:

Ambedkar's Legacy: Relevance of Ambedkarism in the era of Globalisation (situating Ambedkar in contemporary period). Population Problem – Ambedkar's views

**Module 4**: case studies on application of Dr. Ambedkar's thoughts in contemporary times- evaluation of political organization claiming to follow Ambedkarite ideology

- Ambedkar, B.R. (1982). Works by Babasaheb Ambedkar, Vol. II. Bombay: Government of Maharashtra.
- Ambedkar, B.R. (1990). Annihilation of Caste: An undelivered speech. New Delhi: Arnold Publishers.
- Jaffrelot C. (2005). Dr. Ambedkar and untouchability: Analysing and fighting caste. New Delhi: Permanent Black.
- Kamble S., Pardeshi P. (1997). Manusmriti striya ani Dr. Ambedkar (Marathi). Pune: Krantisinh Nana Patil Academy.
- Lanjewar J. (1992). Phule, Ambedkar ani stree mukti chalval Sankalp (Marathi). Nagpur: Sankalp Prakashan.
- Zelliot E. (2004). Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar and the untouchable movement. New Delhi: Blumoon Books.
- Ambedkar, B.R. (1917, May). Castes in India: Their genesis, mechanism and development. The Indian Antiquary, 46, 81-95.

## Paper IV: Buddha and his Dhamma (2 Credits)

### Buddha and His Dhamma: A Critical Reading 15 hours of teaching per module.

#### **Course Outcomes:**

CO1: Understand the students about the concept of Dhamma as given by Buddha and the extensive literature on Dhamma.

CO2: Understand the thoughts of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar on Buddha and his Dhamma.

**Pattern of Examination:** All the modules will be given equal weightage in evaluation.

#### Module 1

- Life of Gautam Buddha
- Teachings of Buddhism Four Noble Truths Eight-fold path
- Spread of Buddhism
- Schools and sects of Buddhism

#### Module 2

• Buddhist Scriptures- Buddhist Metaphysics- • Pratitya Samputapada vada

- Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Writings and Speeches, Vol. 1, p.23.
- Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Writings and Speeches, Vol. 3, p.25.
- Guha Ramchandra, [ed], Makers of Modern India, Penguin Books India, New Delhi, 2010.
- Narsu, P. Laxmi, The Essence of Buddhism, Thacker & Company, Bombay, 1948.
- Shashi, S.S. [ed.], Ambedkar and Social Justice, Vol. 1, Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, Government of India, New Delhi, 1992.
- Jatava, D.R., Ambedkar: The Prime Mover, ABD Publishers, Jaipur, 2004.
- Kataria Kanta, Relevance of Ambedkar's Ideology, Rawat Publications, New Delhi, 2015.
- G. S. Lokhande: Bhimrao Ramji Ambedkar: A Study in Social Democracy, II Revised Edition, New Delhi, Intellectual Publishing House, 1982, pp. 3-9.
- W. N. Kuber: Builders of Modern India B. R. Ambedkar, Publications Division, Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, Government of India, 1990, p.20.
- Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar: Writings and Speeches, Vol. 3, 1987, p.462

# Paper I: Dr. Ambedkar's Economic Thoughts (Elective) II (4 Credits)

#### 15 hours of teaching per module.

#### **Course Outcomes:**

CO1: Understand the Economic thoughts in Ambedkar's perspectives.

CO2: Understand various policies in India.

**Pattern of Examination:** All the modules will be given equal weightage in evaluation.

#### Module1: Dr. Ambedkar's Views on Water Policy

Origin of Water Policy - Conservation of Water Resources - Multi-purpose Projects Plan for Power and energy resources

#### Module 3: The Essence of Dr. Ambedkar's Economic Philosophy

Bahujan Hitaya, Bahujan Sukhaya (Welfare to all, Happiness to all)- the rationale and the provisions made in as per this ideology in constitution

#### Module 3: Public Policy for labour

Labour laws and labour reforms- constitutional provisions- Dr. Ambedkar's work as labour ministerrelevance of labour reforms- evolution in labour laws and its implications on labour in contemporary times

#### Module 4:

Evaluation of Affirmative actions- Political reservations and its implications of development- review of public expenditure on SCs, STs and other marginalised groups- Evaluation of TSP and Special component plan

- Ingle P.S. (September 2010). Relevance of Dr. Ambedkar's economic philosophy in the current scenario, International research Journal.
- Ambedkar B.R. (April 16, 1925). The present problem in Indian currency, The Servant of India.
- Jadhav, Narendra: (13th April 1991). "Neglected Economic Thought of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar" Economic & Political Weekly.
- Thorat S.K. (2002). 'New Economic Policy and Employment and Poverty of Scheduled castes, pp. 199-230.
- Jha, P. (1997), "Economic Reforms and Agricultural Labourers", Economic & Political Weekly, Vol. XXXII, No. 20, May 30.
- Thorat Sukhdeo (2005), 'Caste Systems and Economic Discrimination: Lessons from Theories,' in Thorat Sukhdeo and Aryama Prashant Negi.
- Sukhdeo Thorat, "Ambedkar's Role in Economic Planning Water and Power Policy", Shipra Publications, New Delhi.

**Letter Grades and Grade Points** 

| Semester GPA/<br>Program CGPA<br>Semester/Program | % of Marks | Alpha-Sign / Letter Grade<br>Result |
|---|------------|-------------------------------------|
| 9.00-10.00  | 90.0-100   | O (Outstanding)                     |
| 8.00-<9.00  | 80.0-<90.0 | A+ (Excellent)                      |
| 7.00-<8.00  | 70.0-<80.0 | A (Very Good)                       |
| 6.00-<7.00  | 60.0-<70   | B+ (Good)                           |
| 5.50-<6.00  | 55.0-<60.0 | B (Above Average)                   |
| 5.00-<5.50  | 50.0-<55.0 | C (Average)                         |
| 4.00-<5.00  | 40.0-<50.0 | P (Pass)                            |
| Below 4.00  | Below 40   | F (Fail)                            |
| Ab (Absent)                                       | -          | Absent                              |

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I/c. Director

Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar

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University of Mumbai

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### Justification for P.G. Diploma Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Thoughts

| 1. | Necessity for starting the course:  | Dr. Ambedkar was a distinguished alumnus of University of Mumbai. This centre is entrusted with teaching and interdisciplinary research in Political Science, Public Policy, Social Policy, Philosophy, Sociology, Economics, Anthropology and Literature. There is need to have collaborative teaching and research with the international universities and institutions on above subjects. |
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| 2. | Whether the UGC has recommended the course:   | The centre was started with UGC funding in the tenth five-year plan under epoch making social thinkers of India  |
| 3. | Whether all the courses have commenced from the academic year 2023-24   | Yes, 2023-2024   |
| 4. | The courses started by the University are self-financed, whether adequate number of eligible permanent faculties are available? | Ad-hoc faculty and visiting faculty are employed   |
| 5. | To give details regarding the duration of the Course and is it possible to compress the course?                                 | One-year PG Course – Not possible to compress  |
| 6. | The intake capacity of each course and no. of admissions given in the current academic year:                                    | 100  |
| 7. | Opportunities of Employability / Employment available after undertaking these courses:  | Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Thoughts is highly in demand and it is being pursued by diverse groups to learn more about Dr, Ambedkar's legacy and mostly these students look forward to work with NGOs.  |

Sign of HOD

Name of the Head of the Department: Prof. Manisha Karne Name of the Department: Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar International Research Centre

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International Research Centre
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Sign of Dean

Name of the Dean: Dr. A. K. Singh Name of the Faculty: Faculty of Interdisciplinary Board