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CORE PAPERS

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CORE PAPER V
POLITICAL THEORY-II
(6 Credits, 60 hours)

1. **Rights** **(15hours)**
 - a) **Theories of rights.**
 - b) **Problems in the idea of rights – group based vs individual rights**
 - c) **Civil, political, socio-economic and cultural rights; human rights.**

2. **Equality** **(15 hours)**
 - a) **Contestations on equality**
 - b) **Equality of treatment vs. treatment as equals**
 - c) **Equality of resources and outcomes.**

3. **Justice** **(15 hours)**
 - a) **Justice as fairness- John Rawls**
 - b) **Justice as entitlement- Robert Nozick, Amartya Sen**
 - c) **Justice as embedded- Michael Sandel, Iris Young.**

4. **Coercion and consent** **(15 hours)**
 - a) **Power and authority**
 - b) **Hegemony**
 - c) **Legitimation.**

Reading List: Political Theory-II

1. Berlin Isaiah, *Four Essays on Liberty*, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 2002.
2. Burchell, Graham, Gordon, Colin, and Miller, Peter (Eds.), *The Foucault Effect: Studies in Governmentality*, University of Chicago Press, Chicago, 1991.
3. Dworkin, Ronald, "What is Equality? Part I: Equality of Welfare", *Philosophy and Public Affairs*, Volume 10, No. 3, Summer 1981, pp. 185-246; "What is Equality? Part II: Equality of Resources", *Philosophy and Public Affairs*, Volume 10, No. 4, Autumn 1981, pp. 283-345.
4. Held, David, *Political Theory and the Modern State: Essays on State, Power, and Democracy*, Polity Press, Cambridge, 1989.
5. Joseph, Sarah, *Political Theory and Power*, BRILL, Delhi, 1988.
6. Kukathas, Chandran, *The Liberal Archipelago A Theory of Diversity and Freedom*, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 2003.

7. Miller, David, and Walzer, Michael, *Pluralism, Justice, and Equality*, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 2003.
8. Nozick, Robert, *Anarchy, State and Utopia*, Basic Books, Malden, 1974, pp.149-231.
9. Parekh, Bhikhu, *Rethinking Multiculturalism*, Palgrave, New York, 2000.
10. Rawls, John, *A Theory of Justice*, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 1971, pp. 3-53; (Justice as Fairness), and pp. 258-332(Distributive Shares).
11. Sen, Amartya, "Equality of What?" in McMurrin, Sterling M. (Ed.), *The Tanner Lectures on Human Values*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1980, pp. 195-220.
12. Sen, Amartya, *The Idea of Justice*, Allen Lane, London, 2009.
13. Taylor, Charles, "What is Wrong with Negative Liberty?" in Ryan, Alan (Ed.), *The Idea of Freedom: Essays in Honour of Isaiah Berlin*, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 1979, pp. 175-193.
14. Waldron, Jeremy (Ed.), *Theories of Rights*, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 1984.
15. Walzer, Michael, *Spheres of Justice: A Defence of Pluralism and Equality*, Basic Books, New York, 1983, pp 3-30.

Useful website:

- Internet Encyclopedia of Philosophy: [http://www.iep.utm.edu/home /welcome](http://www.iep.utm.edu/home/welcome)
- Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy: <http://plato.stanford.edu/>

**CORE PAPER VI
COMPARATIVE POLITICS
(6 Credits, 60 hours)**

- 1. Understanding Comparative Politics. (15 HOURS)**
 - a) Nature and Scope of Comparative Politics
 - b) Old institutionalism and New Institutionalism.
 - c) Global context of Comparative Politics

- 2. Development of Modern State. (15 HOURS)**
 - a) State in a comparative framework
 - b) State and Nation
 - c) Postcolonial State.

- 3. The Polity (15 HOURS)**
 - a) Constitution and Constitutionalism
 - b) Democratic Systems
 - c) Non-Democratic Systems

- 4. Political Process (15 HOURS)**
 - a) Political Party and Pressure groups
 - b) Public Opinion and Mass media.
 - c) Civil Society and Social Movements

Reading List: Comparative Politics

1. Bara, Judith (ed) *Comparative Politics*, Sage, New Delhi, 2009.
2. Caramani Daniele, *Comparative Politics*, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 2012
3. Clark, W., Golder , M., & Golder, S. (2012). *Principles of Comparative Politics*. USA: SAGE CQ Press
4. Hayes Jaffery, *Comparative Politics in a Globalising World*, Polity, UK, 2005.
5. Landman, Todd: *Issues and methods in comparative politics*. – Routledge, London 2002.

6. Lichbach, M., & Zuckerman, A, *Comparative Politics: Rationality, Culture, and Structure*. New York: Cabridge University Press, 2010.\
7. Lim, T. C., *Doing Comparative Politics: An Introduction to Approaches and Issues*. New Delhi: Viva Books Pvt Ltd, 2010.
8. Newton Kenneth and Jan V. Deth (eds), *Foundations of Comparative Politics*, Routledge, 2010.
9. Orvis, S., & Carol , D, *Introducing Comparative Politics: Concepts and Cases in Context*. Washington DC: SAGE CQ Press, 2012.
10. Zagorski Paul W, *Comparative Politics: Continuity and Breakdown in Contemporary World*, New York, Routledge, 2009.

CORE PAPER VII
APPROACHES AND EMERGING ISSUES IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
(6 Credits, 60 hours)

1. **Approaches to IR – I** (15 Hours)
 - a) **Liberalism**
 - b) **Realism**
 - c) **Constructivism**

2. **Approaches to IR – II** (15 Hours)
 - a) **Marxist approaches**
 - b) **Critical Theory**
 - c) **Feminist approach**

3. **International Political Economy and Globalisation** (15 Hours)
 - a) **Bretton Woods Institutions – evolving role**
 - b) **Content and impact of globalisation**
 - c) **Regional blocs, regional organisations and Free Trade Agreements.**

4. **Issues in Human Security** (15 Hours)
 - a) **Poverty, Development, Environment**
 - b) **Human Rights, Humanitarian Intervention**
 - c) **Migration**

Reading List: Approaches and Emerging Issues in International Relations
Books

1. Bajpai, Kanti and Siddharth Mallavarapu eds. *International Relations in India: Theorising the Region and Nation*, (2005: New Delhi, Orient Longman)
2. Baylis, John and Steve Smith *The Globalization of World Politics*, (2005: New Delhi, Oxford University Press)
3. Burchill, Scott, et. al. *Theories of International Relations*, (2001: New York, Palgrave)
4. Chari, P.R. and Sonika Gupta *Human Society and South Asia: Gender, Energy, Migration and Globalisation*, (2008: New Delhi, Palgrave-Macmillan)
5. Ghosh, B.N. and Halil M. Guven *Globalisation and the Third World: A Study of Negative Consequences*, (2008: New Delhi, Palgrave-Macmillan)
6. Griffiths, Martin and Terry O'Callaghan *Key Concepts in International Relations*, (2005: Chennai, Routledge)
7. Lechner, Frank J. *Globalisation: The Making of World Society*, (2009: Sussex, Wiley-Blackwell)
8. **पेंडसे, अरुणा आणि उत्तरासहस्रबुद्धे आंतरराष्ट्रीय संबंधः शीतयुद्धोत्तर आणि जागतिकीकरणचे राजकारण**, (2008, मुंबई, ओरिएंटलॉगमन)
9. Steger, Manfred *Globalization: The New Market Ideology*, (2004: Jaipur & New Delhi, Rawat Publications)
10. Stiglitz, Joseph *Globalization and its Discontents*, (2002: Penguin)
11. Wein, Thomas *Humanitarian Intervention*, (2007: Polity Press)

Journals

1. *Current History*
2. *Economist*
3. *International Relations*
4. *Orbis*
5. *World Politics*

CORE PAPER VIII
INDIAN CONSTITUTION
(6 Credits, 60 hours)

- 1. Constitution as Instrument of Socio-Economic Change (15 hours)**
 - a) Making of the Indian Constitution, salient features, Preamble**
 - b) Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles of State Policy, Fundamental Duties.**
 - c) Constitutional amendments.**

- 2. Federalism in Indian Constitution (15 hours)**
 - a) Federal structure**
 - b) Re-organisation of the states**
 - c) Emerging trends in centre-state relations.**

- 3. Parliamentary Institutions (15 hours)**
 - a) Union Executives: President, Prime Minister and the Council of Ministers**
 - b) Role and significance of the Parliament.**
 - c) Judicial independence and judicial activism, debate between Judiciary and Parliament.**

- 4. State and Local Governments (15 hours)**
 - a) Governor, Chief Minister and the Council of Ministers**
 - b) Panchayati raj and the Seventy-third constitutional amendment**
 - c) Municipal government and the Seventy-fourth constitutional amendment.**

Reading List: Indian Constitution

1. Basu, D.D., *Introduction to the Constitution of India*, Prentice Hall, New Delhi, 2008.
2. Bhargava, Rajeev (Ed.), *Politics and Ethics of the Indian Constitution*, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 2008.
3. Chakrabarty, Bidyut, and Pandey, Rajendra Kumar, *Indian Government and Politics*, Sage, New Delhi, 2008.
4. Granville, Austin, *The Indian Constitution: Cornerstone of a Nation*, Second Edition, Oxford University Press, Delhi, 1999.
5. Kashyap, Subash (Ed.), *Constitutional Reforms: Problems, Prospects and Perspectives*, Radha, New Delhi, 2004.
6. Mohanty, Biswaranjan, *Constitution, Government and Politics in India*, New Century, New Delhi, 2009.
7. Noorani, A.G., *Constitutional Questions in India: The President, Parliament and the States*, Oxford University Press, Delhi, 2000.
8. Pylee, M.V., *An Introduction to the Constitution of India*, Vikas, New Delhi, 2008.
9. Saez, Lawrence, *Federalism Without a Centre: The Impact of Political and Economic Reforms on India's Federal System*, Sage, New Delhi, 2002.
10. Sharma, Brij Kishore, *An Introduction to the Constitution of India*, Vikas, New Delhi, 2008.
11. Singh, M.P., and Roy, Himanshu (Eds.), *Indian Political System*, Manak, New Delhi, 2005.