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Session : July 2023 to December 2023

Paper	Name of the faculty	Topics
Paper Major- 1011 Western Political Thought	Prof Aziz Hasan	1) Ancient Greek Political Thought: Basic Features; Plato: Justice; Aristotle: State; 2) Medieval Political Thought: Main features; 5) Hegel: State;
	Prof. Md Heljullah	3) Machiavelli and the Renaissance: Concept of Power and Secularization of Politics; 4) Hobbes: Sovereignty; Locke: Founder of Liberalism; Rousseau: General Will; 6) Marx and Engels: Dialectical and Historical Materialism;
	Dr. Subhas Singha Roy	7) J.S. Mill: Concept of Liberty.
Minor- Political Theory (1021)		
Minor- Political Theory (1021)	Prof. Kafiullah	1. Meaning of Political Theory; Different Approaches: (a) Traditional (b) Behavioural and Post-Behavioural (c) Marxist 2. Concept of Sovereignty: (a) Monistic (b) Pluralist;
	Prof. Sk Minhajuddin	3. Rights, Liberty and Equality: Meaning and their Inter-relationships; 4. Liberalism and Neoliberalism: Basic Features; 5. Theories of State: (a) Idealist (b) Liberal (c) Marxist (d) Gandhian.
Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)		
SEC Code: POLS 1051 Human Rights Education	Dr. Subhas Singha Roy	1. Meaning of Human Rights; Evolution of the concept of Human Rights; 5. Human Rights, Terrorism and Counter-terrorism: Interrelationship
	Prof. Kafiullah	3. National Human Rights Commission: Composition and Functions; 4. Human Rights Movements in India: Basic Features;

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**MULTIDISCIPLINARY
COURSE/INTERDISCIPLINARY COURSE(MDS/IDS)**

Paper	Name of the teacher	Topics
<p style="text-align: center;">(MDS/IDS)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Code: POLS 1031 Introducing Political Science</p>	Prof. Aziz Hasan	1. Political Science: Definition, Nature & Scope; 2. Different approaches to the study of Political Science: i) Traditional Approach; ii) Behavioural Approach; 3. Origin of the State: i) Divine Origin theory; ii) Theory of Force; iii) Social Contract Theory; iv) Evolutionary Theory.
	Prof. Md. Hefjullah	4. Sovereignty: Monistic & Pluralist; 5. Rights, Liberty & Equality: Meaning and Inter-relationship; 6. Theories of the State: i) Idealist; ii) Liberal iii) Marxist iv) Gandhian.

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SEMESTER- III (Hons)

CC -5 : COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

Paper	Teacher	Topics
CC -5 : COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS	Dr. Subhas Singha Roy	1. Transition from Comparative Government to Comparative Politics - Scope and Objectives of Comparative Politics 3. Unitary Systems in France 5. Party System in France, Nigeria and Mexico 7. Judiciary in France
	Prof. Sk. Minhajuddin	2. Conventions and the Rule of Law in UK ; Bill of Rights in the USA 3. Unitary Systems: UK and France; Federal Systems: USA 4. Parliamentary and Presidential Systems: UK and USA and China 5. Party System in UK and USA, 6. Legislatures in UK and USA: Composition and Functions. 7. Judiciary in UK, USA

CC -6 : Public Administration

Paper	Teacher	Topics
CC -6 : Public Administration	Prof. Aziz Hasan	1. Public Administration: Meaning, dimensions and significance of the; Evolution of Public Administration as a Discipline ; Identity crisis of Public Administration 2. Classical Theories: Scientific Management (F.W. Taylor); Administrative Management(Gullick, Urwick); Ideal type bureaucracy (Weber) 3.Neo-Classical Theories: Human Relations(Elton Mayo); Decision Making Theory (Herbert Simon); Motivation Theory(Herzberg, Maslow) 4.Contemporary Theories: Ecological Approach(Fred Riggs); Innovation and Entrepreneurship (Peter Drucker) 5.Concepts of Administration: Hierarachy, Span of Control, Unity of Command, Line and Staff, Centralization-Decentralization, Devolution, Delegation 6. Major approaches in Public Administration – New Public Administration, New Public Management, New Public Service Approach, Feminist Perspective.

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SEM- III

CC -7 : LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN INDIA

Paper	Teacher	Topics
CC -7 : LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN INDIA	Md Hefjullah	1. 73rd Amendment Act and its implications for rural local-self Government in India. 2. 74th Amendment Act and its implications for urban local-self Government in India. 3. Rural Administration in West Bengal: Panchayati Raj Institutions; Role of BDO. 4. Urban Administration in West Bengal: Municipalities and Municipal Corporations. 5. District Administration: Role of DM, SP & SDO. 6. State Administration in West Bengal: Chief Secretary; Divisional Commissioner; 7. Administrative Reforms in India: Impact of Globalization – RTI, Lokpal and Lokayukta

SEC-1: Legislative Support

Paper	Teacher	Topics
SEC-1 : Legislative Support	Sk Minhajuddin	1. Powers and functions of people's representatives at different tiers of governance – Members of Parliament; State Legislative Assemblies 2. Supporting the legislative process – Law-making procedure, Role of Committees.
	Dr. Subhas Singha Roy	3. Reading the budget document – Overview of Budget Process, Role of Parliament in reviewing the Union Budget. 4. Examination of Demands for Grants of Ministries, Working of Ministries.

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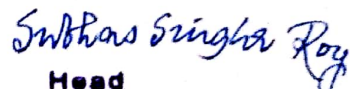
Semester-III (Pass courses)

CC-1C/GE-3: (Indian Political Thought)

Paper	Teacher	Topics
CC-1C, (Indian Political Thought)	Dr. Subhas Singha Roy	3. Rammohun Roy : perception of British Colonial Rule and their role as Modernizers. 4. Bankim, Vivekananda : Nationalism. 5. Gandhi : Satyagraha; trusteeship. 7. Ambedkar : Social Justice.
	Prof. Aziz Hasan	1. Ancient Indian Political Thought : Features ; Kautilya's theory of Saptanga and the concept of 'Dandaniti'. 2. Main features of medieval Muslim Political Thought. 6. Tagore ; State, Society and Nation

SEC-1 : (Electoral Practices and Procedure)

Paper	Teacher	Topics
SEC-1 : (Electoral Practices and Procedure)	Sk Minhajuddin	1. Electoral Process in India-Method of conducting General (Parliamentary) elections and elections to state assemblies. 2.Election Commission In India-Composition, Structure, Functions 3. Role of Chief Election Commissioner 4. Role of State Election Commission 5. Electoral Reforms in Indi


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SEM - V : CC-11 : SOCIAL MOVEMENTS IN INDIA

Paper	Teacher	Topics
CC-11 : SOCIAL MOVEMENTS IN INDIA	Kafullah	1. Social Movements: Definition; Distinction between "new" and "old" social movements 2. Positive discrimination and Dalit movements (Panthers) in India 3. Trade Union movements in India: an overview of strength and weaknesses. 4. Peasant movements in India: Case Study (Telengana and Tebhaga) 5. Women's movements in India: key issues 6. Environmental Movements in India: Chipko, Narmada Bachao Andolan.

CC-12 :

ELEMENTARY RESEARCH METHODS IN POLITICAL SCIENCE

Paper	Teacher	Topics
CC-12 : ELEMENTARY RESEARCH METHODS IN POLITICAL SCIENCE	Dr. Subhas Singha Roy	1.a. Meaning and Objective of social science research b. Theoretical foundations of research: A brief outline of Positivism, Post-Positivism, and their critiques. 2. Methodology of research: Qualitative and Quantitative 3. Vocabulary of research: Concept, Variable, Proposition, Hypothesis, Theory 4. Components of Research Design: Problemation, Hypothesis formulation, Data collection, and testing of hypothesis. 5. Major methods and techniques of Data Collection: Survey method, Interview, and Case study

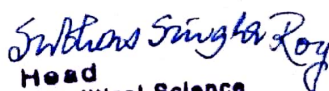
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DSE-1 : SELECT COMPARATIVE POLITICAL THOUGHT

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<u>DSE-1,</u> SELECT COMPARATIVE POLITICAL THOUGHT	Prof. Aziz Hasan	1 Distinctive features of Indian and Western political thought 2 . Indian Thought: Thinkers and Themes a) Kautilya on State b) Tilak and Gandhi on Swaraj c) Ambedkar on Social Justice d) Nehru and Jayaprakash Narayan on Democracy
	Hefjullah	3. Western Thought: Thinkers and Themes a) Aristotle on Citizenship b) Locke on Rights c) Rousseau on inequality d) J. S. Mill on liberty and democracy

DSE-2: Democracy and Decentralized Governance

Paper	Teacher	Topics
<u>DSE-2,</u> Democracy and Decentralized Governance	Dr. Subhas Singha Roy	1 Evolution of the state system and the concept of sovereignty. 2 Global Economy: Bretton Woods institutions(WORLD BANK, IMF) and W.T.O.
	Sk. Minhajuddin	3. Transnational economic actors-Role of MNC s. 4. Global Poverty: Sustainable Development Goal. 5. Dynamics of Civil Society: New Social Movements and Various interests, Role of NGOs



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Semester-V(General): SELECT COMPARATIVE POLITICAL THOUGHT

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<u>DSE-1A,</u> SELECT COMPARATIVE POLITICAL THOUGHT	Prof. Kafiullah	1 Distinctive features of Indian and Western political thought 2 . Indian Thought: Thinkers and Themes a) Kautilya on State b) Tilak and Gandhi on Swaraj c) Ambedkar on Social Justice d) Nehru and Jayaprakash Narayan on Democracy
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SEC-1 : (Democratic Awareness Through Legal Literacy)

Paper	Teacher	Topics
SEC-1 : (Democratic Awareness Through Legal Literacy)	Dr. Subhas Singha Roy	1 Constitution – fundamental rights, fundamental duties, other constitutional rights 2 Laws relating to dowry, sexual harassment and violence against women – laws relating to consumer rights and cyber crimes 3 Anti-terrorist laws: Implication for security and human rights 4 System of courts/ tribunals and their jurisdiction in India – criminal and civil courts, writ jurisdiction, specialized courts such as juvenile courts, Mahila courts and tribunal


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GE-1 : INDIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT

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