

Department of Political Science

University of Lucknow, Lucknow

Revised Syllabus (2018-2019)

B.A. (Honours) Political Science- Semester System

Semester- IV

Comparative Politics-II

Paper- I

Paper Code (PSC401)

Unit I

Political Parties- Structure and Function, Classification of Political Parties- Traditional and Contemporary

Unit II

Pressure Groups- Electoral System, Theories of Representation

Unit III

Public Opinion, Role and Function of Mass media

Unit IV

Emerging trends in Comparative Politics- Sub-Nationalism, Cooperative Federalism, Role of Religion

Books Recommended:

- Johri, J C New Comparative Government
- Ghai U R Comparative Politics and Government
- Jena, C P ~~ryukRed jktuhr~~
- Biswal, Tapan (ed.) Comparative Politics: Institutions and Processes
- Dahl, Robert Modern Political Analysis

B.A. (Hon's) Semester- IV

Agitational Politics in India

Paper-II

Paper Code (PSC402)

Unit I

Separatism in India, Regional and Sub-Regional Movements, Intra-State Movement in North-East India

Unit II

Working Class Movements, Right-based Movement-Consumer, Women and Environment, Swadeshi Issues and Ideology

Unit III

Mandal Commission, OBC Movement, Movements for inclusion in OBC-Jats, Marathas and Patidars etc

Unit IV

Agrarian Movement, Maoist and Tribal Movements, Civil Society- theoretical aspects and movements in India

Books Recommended:

- Brass, P R ‘Crisis of National Unity, Punjab, The Northeast and Kashmir’ in the Politics of India Since Independence
- Kothari, R Introduction; in Caste in Indian Politics
- Jafferlot, C The Politics of the OBC’s
- Maheswari, S R The Mandal Commission and Mandalisation, A Critique
- Maheshwari S R Regionalism in India; Political and Administrative Reforms
- Desai, A R Peasant Struggle in India
- Desai, A R Rural Sociology in India

B.A. (Hon's) Semester- IV

Local Government

Paper- III

Paper Code (PSC403)

Unit I

Meaning and Scope of Local government, Characteristics of Local Government, Distinction between Local Government and Local Self- Government

Unit II

Evolution of Local Government in India, 74th Constitution Amendment Act of 1992, Municipal Councils and Municipal Corporation

Unit III

Main features of British System of Local Government, Parish, Borough, County, Relation between the Central Government and Local Government

Unit IV

Main features of Local Government in United States, Counties, Municipalities, Relation between State Government and Local Government

Books Recommended:

Sharma, M P	Local Government in India
Maheshwari, S R	Local Government in India
Sachdeva, Pradeep	Local Government in India
Smith, Kevin B	State and Local Government
Martin, Eileen M (ed.)	The Structure of Local Government Throughout the World
Wilson, David and Chris Game	Local Government in the United Kingdom

B.A. (Hon's) Semester- IV

International Politics-II

Paper- IV

Paper Code (PSC404)

Unit I

Origin of the Cold War, Phases of Cold War, Non-Aligned Movement, Third World

Unit II

Causes and Consequence of the end of the Cold War, Disintegration of Soviet Union, Post Cold War International Politics

Unit III

9/11 and its impact on International Politics, Power structure of the post 9/11 International System, New trends in International Politics

Unit IV

Major issues in Contemporary International Politics- Globalization, Human Rights, Environment

Books Recommended:

John Lewis Gaddis	The United States and the origins of the Cold War, 1941-1947
John Lewis Gaddis	We Now Know: Rethinking Cold War History
Karen Mingst	Essentials of International Relations
Paul Kennedy	Preparing for the Twenty First Century
Peter Calvocoressi	World Politics
D. Held, A McGrew,	Globalisation / Anti Globalisation; Beyond the Great Divide,
Jack Donnelly	Universal Human Rights in Theory and Practice
L M Elliot	The Global Politics of Environment
Shukla, Shashi	Antar Rastriya Rajniti

B.A. (Hon's) Semester- IV
International Organization-II

Paper- V

Paper Code (PSC405)

Unit I

The United Nations- Structure, Function and Role

Unit II

Evolution of the United Nations, U N Reform, Contemporary Challenges

Unit III

Regional Organizations- Dynamism of Regionalism, Classification of Regional Organizations, Role of Regional Organizations in International Politics

Unit IV

Major Regional Organizations- North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO), the European Union (EU), Asia- Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC)

Books Recommended:

- Karns M and
K Mingst, International Organizations: The Politics and Process of Global Governance
- Thakur Ramesh The United Nations Peace and Security: From Collective Security to Responsibility to Protect
- Moore, J and
J Pubantz The New United Nations- International Organization in the Twentieth Century
- Schmidt, G (ed.) A History of NATO: The First Fifty years
- Duighan Peter NATO: Its Past, Present and Future
- Blair, A The European Union Since 1945
- Dinan, D(ed.) Origins and Evolution of the European Union
- Shukla, Shashi Antar Rashtriya Sangathan