

Department of Humanities & Social Sciences

Syllabus

**MA (Political Science)
(Session 2025-26)**

Semester – I & II



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Course Code	A060701T/HP413	Title of the Course	International Relations: Theories & Concepts	L	T	P	C
Year	I	Semesters	I	4	0	0	4
Prerequisite	Graduation	Co-requisite	None				
Course Objectives	This course is an introduction to International Relations theory. Theories provide interpretative frameworks for understanding what is happening in the world. These frameworks allow us to focus on factors essential in organizing our thinking about international relations. Each theory & approach makes a series of assumptions to make sense of the complexity of international politics. The course would also expose the students to approaches that think about International Relations theory differently. The course aims to enable students to assess the contributions and shortcomings of both mainstream and alternate International Relations theories. It hopes to inculcate in students skills and provide them the intellectual tools to develop the ability to examine international events and processes.						

Course Outcomes	
CO1	To understand and functions of International Relations as discipline.
CO2	To know the evolution and explain of history of IR.
CO3	To discuss to explain of learn theories and approaches.
CO4	To discuss and learn contemporary theories and approaches.
CO5	To the examine and evaluate for IR in the twentieth century.
CO6	To compare and elaborate the IR in the Cold War period.
CO7	To summarize and explain the nature of war and arms race in IR.
CO8	To enable students to interpret and understand the evaluate post-cold war events in IR.

Unit No.	Title of the Unit	Content of Unit	Contact Hrs.	Mapped CO
1	Introduction to IR	● International Relations: Meaning, Nature and Scope	04	01
2	Evolution & History of IR	● Evolution of IR as Discipline; Historical Major Events in World History	04	02
3	Theories & Approaches –I	● Theories of IR: Realism and Liberalism, Neo-Realism and Neo-Liberalism, Neo-Neo Debate	07	03
4	Theories & Approaches –II	● Approaches in IR: Constructivism and Feminism, Post-Modernism	06	04
5	Overview of the IR in Twentieth Century	● World War I: Causes and Consequences ● Russian Revolution: Causes and Consequences ● World War -II: Causes and Consequences	07	05
6	IR during Cold War	● Cold War (1945-1990): Dimensions and Consequences ● Disintegration of USSR: Causes & Consequences	06	06
7	Arms and Wars	● War: Nature, Causes and Types of Wars/Conflicts ● Weapons: Conventional; Nuclear; Bio-Chemical ● Arms Race, Arms Control and Disarmament	06	07
8	IR in the Post-Cold War	● World Order: Unipolar, Bipolar, Multipolar ● Global Governance: Structure, Issues and Challenges	05	08

Reference Books:

- Chris Brown, Understanding International Relations (New York: St. Martin Press, (1997)
- John Baylis and Steve Smith (eds.), The Globalisation of World Politics: An Introduction to International Relations (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2001 and later editions)
- Karen Mingst, Essentials of International Relations (New York: W.W. Norton Co.,2003)
- Robert Jackson and Georg Sorensen, Introduction to International Relations: Theories and Approaches (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2007)

E-Learning Source:

<https://www.e-ir.info/>

<https://www.britannica.com/topic/international-relations>

<https://www.internationalrelationsedu.org/what-is-international-relations/>

Course Articulation Matrix: (Mapping of COs with POs and PSOs)											
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CO6	1	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	3	2	2
CO7	1	3	2	3	2	1	2	3	3	3	3
CO8	3	2	1	2	2	3	1	2	3	1	3

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Course Code	A060702T/HP414	Title of the Course	Public Administration: Theories & Concepts	L	T	P	C
Year	I	Semesters	I	4	0	0	4
Pre-Requisite	Graduation	Co-requisite	None				
Course Objectives	This course aims to provide students with a comprehensive understanding of the foundational theories, core concepts, and emerging dimensions of Public Administration. It explores the evolution of the discipline, key administrative thinkers, classical and modern theories, and principles of organization, personnel administration, administrative law, and the impact of technological and societal changes on governance. The objective is to equip students with analytical tools and practical insights for understanding administrative structures and processes in both traditional and contemporary contexts.						

Course Outcomes	
CO1	Understand the meaning, nature, scope, and importance of Public Administration as an academic discipline and practical field.
CO2	Analyze the evolution of Public Administration and distinguish between public and private administration.
CO3	Evaluate the major contemporary paradigms theories in Public Administration, such as New Public Management, Public Choice Theory etc.
CO4	Explain the classical administrative theories and contributions of key thinkers like Fayol, Gulick, Urwick, Taylor, and Max Weber.
CO5	Assess behavioral and human relations approaches in administration, including the contributions of Elton Mayo, H.A. Simon, F.W. Riggs etc.
CO6	Demonstrate an understanding of key organizational principles such as hierarchy, span of control, unity of command etc.
CO7	Examine the principles and improve practices of personnel administration, including recruitment, training, promotion, and civil service systems in India.
CO8	Critically classify to compare with function with emerging trends such as e-governance, citizen-centric, good governance, and the role of civil society in shaping modern public administration.

Unit No.	Title of the Unit	Content of Unit	Contact Hrs.	Mapped CO
1	Introduction to Public Administration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public Administration: Meaning, Nature, Scope and Importance Evolution of Public Administration as a Discipline 	08	01
2	Private & Public Administration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public and Private Administration Politics-Administration Dichotomy 	08	02
3	Classical Administrative Theories	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Classical Theory: Fayol, Gulick and Urwick Scientific Management Theory: F.W. Taylor Bureaucratic Theory: Max Weber 	12	03
4.	Behavioral and Human Relation Approaches	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Human Relations Approach: Elton Mayo Decision Making Theory: H.A. Simon Ecological Approach: F.W. Riggs Motivation Theories: Maslow, Herzberg, 	12	04
5.	Principles of Organization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Organization: Meaning, Nature, Scope Hierarchy and Unity of Command Span of Control Authority, Responsibility 	08	05
6.	Personnel Administration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Civil Service: Meaning, Significance, Functions & Civil Service in India Recruitment & Selection Training, Promotion and Recruitment Agencies Position and Rank Classification, 	08	06
7	Administrative Law	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Administrative Law: Meaning, Definition, Sources, scope Delegated Legislation, Administrative, Tribunals. 	09	07
8	Emerging Trends in Public Administration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> E-Governance and Digital Administration Good Governance and Citizen-Centric Administration Role of Civil Society in Governance 	10	08

Reference Books:

M.P. Sharma & B.L. Sadana – *Public Administration in Theory and Practice*
Bidyut Chakrabarty & Prakash Chand – *Public Administration in a Globalizing World*
Nicholas Henry – *Public Administration and Public Affairs*
Mohit Bhattacharya – *New Horizons of Public Administration*

Willoughby, Westel W. – *Principles of Public Administration*
Fadia & Fadia – *Public Administration: Administrative Theories and Concepts*
Ramesh K. Arora – *Comparative Public Administration and Administrative Theory*
Fred W. Riggs – *Ecology of Public Administration*
Dwivedi & Bhattacharya – *Public Administration: Issues and Perspectives*

Course Articulation Matrix: (Mapping of COs with POs and PSOs)											
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CO6	1	2	1	2	3	2	1	1	3	3	1
CO7	2	3	2	3	3	1	1	3	2	2	1
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Course Code	A060703T/HP415	Title of the Course	Classical Political Thought	L	T	P	C
Year	I	Semesters	I	4	0	0	4
Pre-Requisite	Graduation	Co-requisite	None				
Course Objectives	To enable the students in understanding the evolution and diverse areas of the Western political thought. It offers an introduction to the history of Western political ideas. Close readings of the canon allow us to discuss enduring questions regarding freedom, equality, legitimacy, political economy, and liberalism. The course concludes with a look at the continuing impact of these canonical thinkers on contemporary political thought.						

Course Outcomes	
CO1	To understand the meaning and nature and theories of political thought.
CO2	To understand to developed the features and relevance of western political thought.
CO3	To explain and solve to compare knowledge of Greek Political Thought and understand Plato's political thought.
CO4	To evaluate the theories contribution to the western political thought.
CO5	To develop and opinion to understanding about the medieval political thought.
CO6	To knowledge to elaborate and understand St. Augustine's political thought.
CO7	To enable students to interpret and explain the thought of the early modern period.
CO8	To justify the theme and utilize of Jean Bodin's contribution to the political thought.

Unit No.	Title of the Unit	Content of Unit	Contact Hrs.	Mapped CO
1	Meaning and Nature of Political Thought	Political Thought: Meaning, Nature, Relationship between Political Thought & Political Science and Theory	5	01
2	Origin of Western Political Thought	Western Political Thought: Nature and Significance Features and Relevance of Western Political Thought	5	02
3	Greek Political Thought-I	Features of Greek Political Thought Plato: Theory of Ideal State, Education, Justice, Communism	9	03
4	Greek Political Thought-II	Aristotle: Origin of State, Classification of Constitutions, Best Practicable State, Theory of Revolutions	9	04
5	Medieval Political Thought-I	Features of Medieval Political Thought St. Thomas Aquinas: Theory of State, Theory of Law	5	05
6	Medieval Political Thought-II	St. Augustine: Theory of Two Cities	3	06
7	Early Modern Political Thought-I	Machiavelli – Religion and Politics, Theory of Statecraft Montesquieu: Liberty, Separation of Power.	5	07
8	Early Modern Political Thought-II	Jean Bodin: Theory of Sovereignty	3	08

Reference Books:
Ernest Barker: Greek Political Theory- Plato and His Predecessors, 2015
Subrata Mukherjee and Sushila Ramaswamy: A History of Political Thought (Plato to Marx), 2004
C L Wayper: Political Thought, 2018
E-Learning Source:
https://archive.nptel.ac.in/courses/109/103/109103176/

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CO5	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	1	1
CO6	3	1	2	1	1	2	3	1	2	1	1
CO7	2	3	2	1	2	2	1	2	3	1	2
CO8	2	1	2	1	1	2	3	1	3	1	1

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Course Code	A060704T/HP416	Title of the Course	Introduction to Political Theory	L	T	P	C
Year	I	Semester	I	4	0	0	4
Pre-Requisite	Graduation	Co-requisite	None				
Course Objectives	To introduce students to the foundational concepts, debates, and methodologies in political theory and enable them to critically analyze key political ideas and their implications in contemporary contexts.						

Course Outcomes	
CO1	Understand and explain the nature, scope, and relevance of political theory.
CO2	Explain different approaches to summarize the political theory including normative, historical and behaviouralism.
CO3	Analyze concepts of state, power, authority, and sovereignty.
CO4	Critically evaluate the idea of liberty and its dimensions.
CO5	Examine the theories of equality & justice
CO6	Analyze and categorized the meaning and theories of rights.
CO7	Discuss the debates on democracy and its contemporary relevance.
CO8	Reflect on contemporary challenges to solved and elaborate to political theory including identity, gender, and ecology

Unit No.	Title of the Unit	Content of Unit	Contact Hrs.	Mapped CO
1	Nature and Scope of Political Theory	Definition, nature, and scope; Difference between Political theory and Political thought	8	CO1
2	Approaches to Political Theory	Normative, Historical; Behaviouralism & Post Behaviouralism	7	CO2
3	State and Sovereignty	Concepts of state, power, authority, and sovereignty	8	CO3
4	Liberty and Its Dimensions	Meaning of Liberty; Negative and positive liberty	7	CO4
5	Equality & Justice	Meaning and the concept of equality, Rawls' theory of justice	8	CO5
6	Introduction to Rights	Meaning and Theories of Rights	7	CO6
7	Democracy and Its Theories	Direct and representative democracy; deliberative democracy; critiques of liberal democracy	8	CO7
8	Contemporary Challenges	Identity Politics, Gender, Ecological Justice	7	CO8

Reference Books:

- Bhargava, R., & Acharya, A. (2008). *Political theory: An Introduction* (2nd ed.). Pearson Longman.
- Heywood, A. (2021). *Political theory: An introduction* (5th ed.). Red Globe Press.
- Vincent, A. (2010). *The nature of political theory*. Oxford University Press.
- Christiano, T. (Ed.). (2003). *Philosophy and democracy: An anthology*. Oxford University Press.
- Kymlicka, W. (2002). *Contemporary political philosophy: An introduction* (2nd ed.). Oxford University Press.

e-Learning Source:

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wGF88gQQ2d0&t=4s>

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CO6	2	1	3	1	2	3	1	2	2	3	3
CO7	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	2
CO8	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3

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Course Code	A060705R/ HP417	Title of the Course	Internship/ Dissertation/Field Survey/Project Work	L	T	P	C
Year	I	Semesters	I	0	4	0	4
Pre-Requisite	Graduation	Co-requisite	None				
Course Objectives	This paper intends to develop a comprehensive insight in the students so that given an opportunity they can initiate a minor research proposal or attempt a minor dissertation on their area of interest.						

Suggested Topic	No. of Lectures	No. of Practical
A project on the working of any representative body, starting from parliament down to the Panchayat.	15	15
A project on study of issues involved in national, state or local election and post-facto analysis.		

Reference Books:

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e-Learning Source:

Course Articulation Matrix: (Mapping of COs with POs and PSOs)											
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CO3	1	2	2	2	2	3	2	3	3	2	1
CO4	1	3	2	3	2	3	2	3	1	3	2
CO5	2	3	1	2	2	3	1	3	2	3	2

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Course Code	A060801T/HP418	Title of the Course	Comparative Politics	L	T	P	C
Year	I	Semesters	II	4	0	0	4
Prerequisite	Graduation	Co-requisite	None				
Course Objectives	This is a foundational course in comparative politics. The purpose is to familiarize students with the basic concepts and approaches to the study of comparative politics. More specifically the course will focus on examining politics in historical framework while engaging with various themes of comparative analysis in developed and developing countries.						

Course Outcomes

CO1	Understand the explain to meaning, evolution, and significance of comparative politics as a discipline.
CO2	Examine different methods and approaches used in compare comparative political analysis.
CO3	Analyze the structure, performance, and functioning of political systems.
CO4	Understand key political ideologies and the concept of power, authority, and legitimacy.
CO5	Explore the nature of political participation and factors influencing it in varied contexts.
CO6	Assess the structure, functions, and typologies of political parties and pressure groups.
CO7	Critically evaluate concepts and theories of representation and democratic systems.
CO8	Apply comparative perspectives to analyze and modify contemporary issues in developed and developing nations.

Unit No.	Title of the Unit	Content of Unit	Contact Hrs.	Mapped CO
1	Introduction to Comparative Politics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meaning, nature, evolution of Comparative Politics; Significance in political studies 	06	CO1
2	Methods and Approaches in Comparative Politics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Empirical, Behavioral, Structural-Functional, 	08	CO2
3	Methods and Approaches in Comparative Politics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Systems Analysis, Institutionalism, Rational Choice 	08	CO3
4	Political System and Its Capabilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meaning, nature and characteristics and functions of Political System; Capabilities of Political System: Extractive, Regulative, Distributive, Symbolic, and Responsive capabilities 	07	CO4
5	Power, Authority, and Legitimacy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Definitions, types, and sources of power; Concepts of authority and legitimacy; Power structures in different regimes 	08	CO5
6	Political Participation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meaning and types of political participation; Factors influencing participation in developed and developing democracies 	08	CO6
7	Political Parties and Pressure Groups	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Party systems; Models by Mitchels, Lenin, Duverger; Pressure groups: functions, typologies, role in policy making 	07	CO7
8	Representation and Democratic Systems	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Theories and practices of representation; Forms of democracy: Conservative, Liberal, Social; Issues of representation in multicultural societies 	08	CO8

Reference Books:

- G.A. Almond and J.S. Coleman, Politics of Developing Areas
- G.A. Almond and G.B. Powell, Comparative Politics today
- L.W. Pye, Aspects of Political Development
- M.A. Quartis, Comparative Government and Politics

E-Learning Source:

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CO8	3	2	2	1	1	2	2	2	3	2	3

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Effective from Session: 2025-26							
Course Code	A060802T/HP419	Title of the Course	Global Politics	L	T	P	C
Year	I	Semesters	II	4	0	0	4
Prerequisite	Graduation	Co-requisite	None				
Course Objectives	The objective of this course is to make the students familiar with the mainstream discourse in Global Politics. It will help students in understanding both national and international events in the global context. It also looks at some of the vital issues and concerns relating to the discipline.						

Course Outcomes	
CO1	To the explore and understand the meaning and nature of Global Politics in the context of IPE.
CO2	To the theory and solutions of the basic concepts of Modern Politics Post-Cold.
CO3	To explore and understand the basic concepts of global politics.
CO4	To the compare and understand the politics of global politics in Power and Security
CO5	To the analyze and built to the politics of interdependence in global politics
CO6	To discuss and explain with the changing nature of global politics under globalization.
CO7	To introduce students with the interpretation of Human Rights in IR.
CO8	To personal opinion with understand the politics of in global politics in Revivalism Politics

Unit No.	Title of the Unit	Content of Unit	Contact Hrs.	Mapped CO
1	Introduction to Global Politics and IPE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Emergence of Global Politics: Issues & Challenges Rise of International Political Economy (IPE): Meaning, Nature and Characteristics Traditional approaches: Mercantilism, Liberal and Marxist 	06	01
2	Approaches to Global Politics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Modern approaches Post-Cold War Economy: WTO, Neo-colonialism, World System, dependency 	05	02
3	Concepts in Global Politics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Power: Meaning, Nature and Determinants Power Management 	05	03
4	Power and Security Politics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Balance of Power and Collective Security National Security: Meaning, Nature and Changing Character 	04	04
5	Politics of Interdependence in Global Politics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regional Integration: Global Rise of Regionalism, European Integration, EU Conceptualizing Globalization: Meaning, Nature and Characteristics 	06	05
6	Contemporary Global Issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Globalization and State Sovereignty Environment and Climate Change International Terrorism 	06	06
7	Human Rights in IR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Human Rights in IR: UDHR, Universal Rights vs. Cultural Relativism, Clash of Civilization Debate 	05	04
8	Revivalism Politics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Islamic Revivalism Issue of Humanitarian interventions 	05	08

Reference Books:

- Joshua S. Goldstein, International Relations, (Chapter 4, Foreign Policy) Sixth Edition, Person, Delhi, 2007
- Sorensen, G., Möller, J., & Jackson, R. H. (2022). Introduction to international relations: theories and approaches. Oxford university press.
- Baylis, J. (2020). The globalization of world politics: An introduction to international relations. Oxford university press, USA.
- Devetak, R., George, J., & Percy, S. (Eds.). (2017). An introduction to international relations. Cambridge University Press.
- Heywood, A. (2014). Global politics. Bloomsbury Publishing.

E-Learning Source:

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<https://www.britannica.com/topic/international-relations>

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Course Code	A060803T /HP420	Title of the Course	Modern Political Thought	L	T	P	C
Year	I	Semester	II	4	0	0	4
Pre-Requisite	Graduation	Co-requisite	None				
Course Objectives	To understand key modern political thinkers and ideas that shaped political institutions, ideologies, and revolutions from the 16th century to the 20th century. The course emphasizes critical engagement with modernity, individual rights, the state, and political authority.						

Course Outcomes

CO1	To examine the theories the knowledge of Machiavelli's break from classical thought and his realist theory of power.
CO2	To identify and examine of Hobbes' social contract and foundational views on state authority.
CO3	To Analyze and compare Locke's liberalism and theory of natural rights.
CO4	To understand and evaluate theory of Rousseau's critique of inequality and concept of general will.
CO5	To the elaborate, Evaluate and compare of J.S. Mill's utilitarianism, liberty, and ideas on representative government.
CO6	Interpret Hegel's views on built to developed in civil society, freedom, and the state.
CO7	Explore Karl Marx's critique of capitalism and dialectical materialism.
CO8	Study Gramsci's theory of hegemony and revision theme of Marxism.

Unit No.	Title of the Unit	Content of Unit	Contact Hrs.	Mapped CO
1	Machiavelli	Human nature, politics and morality, republicanism, statecraft	8	CO1
2	Hobbes	Social contract, Individualism, Sovereignty	7	CO2
3	Locke	Social Contract, Natural rights, limited government	8	CO3
4	Rousseau	Social Contract, inequality, general will, critique of representation	7	CO4
5	J.S. Mill	Liberty, utilitarianism, representative government	8	CO5
6	Hegel	Dialectics, State, civil society, Right	7	CO6
7	Karl Marx	Historical materialism, class struggle, Surplus, alienation.	8	CO7
8	Antonio Gramsci	Neo-Marxism, civil society, hegemony,	7	CO8

Reference Books:

- Mukherjee, S., & Ramaswamy, S. (2011). *A history of political thought: Plato to Marx*. PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.
- Sabine, G. H., & Thorson, T. L. (2018). *A history of political theory*. Oxford and IBH Publishing.
- Wayper, C. L. (2018). *Political thought*. Surjeet Publications.
- Nelson, B. R. (2015). *Western political thought: From Socrates to the age of ideology*. Waveland Press..
- Boucher, D., & Kelly, P. (Eds.). (2017). *Political thinkers: from Socrates to the present*. Oxford University Press.

e-Learning Source:

- <https://oyc.yale.edu/political-science/plsc-114>
- https://onlinecourses.nptel.ac.in/noc25_hs188/preview

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CO6	2	1	3	1	2	2	3	2	2	3	3
CO7	3	3	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	3	2
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Course Code	A060804T/ HP421	Title of the Course	Indian Administration	L	4	T	0	P	0	C	4
Year	I	Semesters	II								
Prerequisite	Graduation	Co-requisite	None								
Course Objectives	This is a foundational course in comparative politics. The purpose is to familiarize students with the basic concepts and approaches to the study of comparative politics. More specifically the course will focus on examining politics in historical framework while engaging with various themes of comparative analysis in developed and developing countries.										

Course Outcomes	
CO1	To the functions and Understand the roots of Indian Administration from ancient to medieval periods.
CO2	To the justify and analyze the features and impacts of British colonial administration in India.
CO3	To the Identify Describe the structure and functions of the Central Secretariat and Cabinet system.
CO4	To the Examine and utilized functions of the Prime Minister's Office and its coordination with ministries.
CO5	To the Analyze the structure and operational mechanisms of State Secretariat and its leadership.
CO6	To the Understand the functioning of Divisional and District Administration.
CO7	To the Evaluate mechanisms of law and order at the district level under the DM, SSP, and Commissioner system.
CO8	To the Assess the various control mechanisms over Indian administration: legislative, executive, judicial, and citizen.

Unit No.	Title of the Unit	Content of Unit	Contact Hrs.	Mappe d CO
1	Historical Evolution of Indian Administration	Evolution from Ancient to Medieval period; Administrative legacies of Mauryas, Mughals	06	CO1
2	Colonial Legacy and Indian Administration	British administrative structure; Features and impact of colonial rule on post-independence administration	08	CO2
3	Central Administration	Structure and functions of Central Secretariat; Cabinet Secretariat, Secretaries	09	CO3
4	Prime Minister's Office and Cabinet System	PMO: Role, functions, significance; Interrelationship with Cabinet and Ministries	06	CO4
5	State Administration	Structure and functions of State Secretariat; Chief Secretary; State Secretariat vs Directorate	08	CO5
6	Divisional and District Administration	Role and responsibilities of Divisional Commissioners; Structure and powers of District Collector	08	CO6
7	Law and Order Administration	Role of DM, SSP, and Commissionerate system in law and order; Inter-agency coordination	08	CO7
8	Control Over Administration	Legislative, Executive, Judicial and Citizen control mechanisms over administration	07	CO8

Reference Books:

- Maheshwari, S.R. - Indian Administration
- Singh, Hoshier - Indian Administration
- Arora, R.K. & Goel. Rajni - Indian Public Administration
- Johari, J.C. - Indian Govt & Politics
- Maheshwari, S.R. - State Administration

E-Learning Source:

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CO5	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	3
CO6	2	1	3	1	2	3	1	2	2	3	3
CO7	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	2
CO8	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3

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Course Code	A060805T/ HP422	Title of the Course	International Law	L	T	P	C
Year	I	Semesters	II	4	0	0	4
Pre-Requisite	Graduation	Co-requisite	None				
Course Objectives	To study the nature, sources, and operation of International Law and International Organizations. To provide an introduction and background to questions of international law as they may arise in practice, including an understanding of how international law is made and applied. Provide students with a better understanding of what “law” means in modern society and how international law functions or fails to function in the global society, and to empower them to participate in that ongoing dialog.						

Course Outcomes	
CO1	To investigate and construct the meaning and nature of international law.
CO2	To deconstruct and design the historical development and sources of international law.
CO3	To critically appraise and produce the theoretical aspect of international law.
CO4	To investigate the concept of sovereignty in International law.
CO5	To create knowledge about the Recognition of State.
CO6	To scrutinize the formation of the Treaty in International Law.
CO7	To investigate the Principles of Extradition.
CO8	To critically appraise and produce the judicial interpretation of International law.

Unit No.	Title of the Unit	Content of Unit	Contact Hrs.	Mapped CO
1	Introduction to International Law	Meaning and Nature of International Law, Evolution of International Law –	08	01
2	Sources of International Law	Sources - Treaties, Customs, General Principles of Law, Judicial decision and opinion of publicists	08	02
3	International & Municipal law	Monistic & Dualistic theory of International law & Municipal Law; Relationship between International law and Municipal law Practice of UK, USA & India	12	03
4.	Sovereignty & International Law	Sovereignty Immunity – Immunity of States – Immunity of state organ and property – Responsibility of State in International Law	12	04
5.	Concept of Recognition	Recognition - Theories - Kind – Recognition of State and Government State Territory - Mode of acquiring and losing territory.	08	05
6.	Concept of Treaty	Meaning of Treaty in International Law; Formation process of Treaty; Law of Treaty; Regulation of Treaty	08	06
7	Concept of Extradition	Meaning of Extradition in International Law; Principles of Extradition treaty; International and Domestic Processes	09	07
8	Judicial Interpretation of International Law	International Court of Justice; International Criminal Court; Crimes and Punishment in International Law	10	08

Reference Books:

- Robert Kolb, An Introduction to the Law of the United Nations, Hart Publishing Limited.
- S.K. Kapoor, International Law and Human Rights, Central Law Agency publication.
- Ian Brownlie, Principles of Public International Law, Oxford University Press.

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CO4	1	3	2	3	2	3	3	2	2	3	1
CO5	2	3	1	2	2	3	2	1	1	3	2
CO6	1	2	1	2	3	2	1	3	3	1	3
CO7	2	3	2	3	3	1	1	2	2	1	3
CO8	1	2	2	3	1	1	2	3	1	2	3

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Course Code	A060806T/HP423	Title of the Course	Introduction to Human Rights	L	T	P	C
Year	I	Semesters	II	4	1	0	5
Pre-Requisite	Graduation	Co-requisite	None				
Course Objectives	This course enables the students to understand the contentious relationship between human rights and economic development; issues related to poverty and economic-social and cultural rights; democracy as an instrument in the promotion of human rights along with minority and women's rights; enlighten the ways sought to realize it in practice both within countries and through transnational mechanisms such as the UN. The course will also adopt a double focus – both theory and practice.						

Course Outcomes	
CO1	To examine and construct the meaning and nature of Human Rights.
CO2	To investigate and design the historical development of Human Rights.
CO3	To assess and develop the theoretical aspect of Human Rights.
CO4	To deconstruct and propose the India's Concept of Human Rights.
CO5	To explore and formulate knowledge about the dimension of Human Rights.
CO6	To interpret and design the mechanism of Human Rights.
CO7	To evaluate and devise the responsibilities of Human Rights.
CO8	To examine the violation and adjudication of Human Rights.

Unit No.	Title of the Unit	Content of Unit	Contact Hrs.	Mapped CO
1	Introduction to Human Rights	Meaning and Nature of Human Rights, Difference between Rights & Obligations	08	01
2	Evolution of Human Rights	Evolution of the concept of Human Rights - Universal Declaration of Human Rights and International Covenants thereon	10	02
3	Theories of Human Rights	Theories of Rights - Views of John Locke, J.S. Mill, H.J. Laski,	08	03
4.	India's View of Human Rights	Mahatma Gandhi, Rabindranath Tagore, B.R.Ambedkar	08	04
5.	Dimension of Human Rights	Human Rights Dimensions – Rights of Women, Children, Minorities, the subalterns and right to development	08	05
6.	Mechanism of Human Rights	Human Rights Monitoring Mechanisms - United Nations System, Judiciary, International Court of Justice	13	06
7	Responsibility of Human Rights	Human Rights and Social Responsibility – Role of Education, NGOs, Media, Civil Society	12	07
8	Human Rights Violation & Commission	Human Rights Violations – case studies; NHRC: Role and Functions	10	08

Reference Books:

- Ansari, M.R. (2006). Protecting Human Rights. New Delhi : Maxford Books.
- Ray, Arun. (2005). National Human Rights Commission of India. Delhi : Khama Publishers.
- Rajindra, Sachar. (2004). Human Rights: Perspectives and challenges. New Delhi: Gyan Publishing House.
- J O'Byrne, Darren. (2003). Human Rights: an introduction. Delhi: Pearson Education.
- Borgonain, B. (1999). Human Rights: Social Justice and Political Challenges. New Delhi: Kanishka Publishers

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CO7	3	2	1	2	1	2	3	1	2	3	2
CO8	2	1	3	2	2	1	3	1	2	3	1

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Course Code	A060807T/HP424	Title of the Course	Comprehensive National Power	L	T	P
Year	I	Semester	II	4	0	0
Pre-Requisite	Graduation	Co-requisite	None			
Course Objectives	The course aims to equip students and early professionals with a foundational understanding of Comprehensive National Power (CNP), emphasizing its multidimensional aspects such as economy, defense, diplomacy, technology, and culture. Through India-focused case studies, interactive learning, and strategic frameworks, the course fosters critical thinking, systems analysis, and civic responsibility. It prepares learners to analyze national strength holistically and engage meaningfully in policy, governance, and development discourse.					

Course Outcomes	
CO1	Evaluate major CNP models and India's geopolitical setting, then construct a comparative framework positioning India within a multipolar order.
CO2	Appraise India's economic indicators: GDP, trade, fiscal health, innovation, and design evidence-based strategies to strengthen economic power.
CO3	Assess military and strategic capabilities across land, sea, air, and cyber domains, and develop scenario-based deterrence and force-modernization plans.
CO4	Critique India's diplomatic reach in multilateral forums and soft-power arenas and formulate initiatives to expand political influence abroad.
CO5	Analyze demographic trends and social-cohesion metrics, then devise inclusive policies that convert human capital into national strength.
CO6	Scrutinize science-and-technology capacities in AI, space, and cyber, and create innovation roadmaps for strategic self-reliance.
CO7	Examine cultural and media assets such as Bollywood, yoga, and digital narratives, and generate global communication strategies to enhance ideational power.
CO8	Integrate economic, military, diplomatic, demographic, technological, and cultural metrics to build a composite CNP score and strategic roadmap for India's ascent.

Unit No.	Title of the Unit	Content of Unit	Contact Hrs.	Mapped CO
1	Introduction to CNP & Geopolitical Environment	Concept, History, Frameworks (E.g., Hu Angang Model, U.S. Methods); India's Position in Global Order, Neighbours, Multipolarity	10	CO1
2	Economic Power	GDP, Trade, Fiscal Health, Innovation, Infrastructure	05	CO2
3	Military & Strategic Power	Hard Power, Deterrence, Maritime, Defence Technology	05	CO3
4	Diplomatic & Political Influence	Foreign Policy, Multilateral Forums, Soft Power	05	CO4
5	Demographic & Social Cohesion	Human Capital, Education, Gender, Internal Stability	05	CO5
6	Science, Technology & Innovation	AI, Space, Cyber, Indigenous Tech Capabilities	05	CO6
7	Culture, Media, Ideational Power	Bollywood, Yoga, Narratives, Public Diplomacy	05	CO7
8	Integrated CNP Scoring & India's Path to Power	Composite Index Building, Simulations, Country Comparisons; Strategic Roadmap, Role of Youth, National Goals	10	CO8

Reference Books:	
1.	Hu, A., & Men, H. (2002). <i>The rising of modern China: Comprehensive national power and grand strategy</i> . Center for China Studies, Tsinghua University.
2.	Jaishankar, S. (2020). <i>The India way: Strategies for an uncertain world</i> . Harper Collins.
3.	Cohen, S. P. (2008, June). India: Just too darn complicated for serious countries to bother with. <i>Wired</i> .
4.	<i>Bhonsle, Brig (Retd.) Rahul (March 2016), Strategies for Enhancing India's Comprehensive [sic] National Power (PDF), Vivekananda International Foundation</i>
5.	<i>Singh, P. K.; Gera, Y. K.; Dewan, Sandeep (2013). Comprehensive National Power: A Model for India. Vij Books India Pvt Ltd. ISBN 978-93-81411-39-1.</i>
e-Learning Source:	
1.	https://onlinecourses.swayam2.ac.in/ini25_hs31/preview
2.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mYvym8Vbbrg

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Course Code	A060808R/ HP425	Title of the Course	Internship/ Dissertation/Field Survey/Project Work	L	T	P	C
Year	II	Semesters	II	0	4	0	4
Pre-Requisite	Graduation	Co-requisite	None				
Course Objectives	This paper intends to develop a comprehensive insight in the students so that given an opportunity they can initiate a minor research proposal or attempt a minor dissertation on their area of interest.						

Suggested Topic	No. of Lectures	No. of Practical
A project on the working of any representative body, starting from parliament down to the Panchayat.	15	15
A project on study of issues involved in national, state or local election and post-facto analysis.		

Reference Books:

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e-Learning Source:

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