

Department of Political Science

Govt. Autonomous College, Rourkela

Programme Outcome

PO-1: To Understanding political narratives and application of the same in analyzing political structures and the phenomenon.

PO-2: To Applying acquired knowledge and skills to explore newer challenges in formal and informal political structures.

PO-3: To Able to understand the politics of everyday and relate it with the narratives and approaches.

PO-4: To Should be able to understand the politics of social equations and power of using political texts to change or perpetuate stereotypes over a range of issues like gender, class etc.

PO-5: To Accomplish profound expertise in discipline and increase ability to function in multidisciplinary domains.

PO-6: Capability of working as a team and setting direction and using management skills to achieve the Vision and Mission.

PO-7: Manage ability to exercise research intelligence in investigations/ innovations and to communicate research findings in a clear, concise manner.

PO-8: Gain knowledge of ethical principles and commit to professional ethics.

PO-9: Ability to work independently, identify appropriate resources required for projects, manage projects, enable learning through ICT tools and integrate self-directed learning, digital learning with life-long learning.

PO-10: In-depth knowledge of Indian Political system, Political thinkers, administrative system.

PO-11: Take informed actions after identifying the assumptions that frame our thinking and actions, checking out the degree to which these assumptions are accurate and valid, and looking at our ideas and decisions (intellectual, organizational, and personal) from different perspectives.

PO-12: Skills of working collaboratively in teams and plan as well as manage their workload.

PO-13: Awareness of personal strengths and weaknesses. Will have self-reflection and discipline.

PO-14: Elicit views of others, mediate disagreements and help reach conclusions in-group settings.

PO-15: Demonstrate empathetic social concern and equity centered national development, and the ability to act with an informed awareness of issues and participate in civic life through volunteering.

PO-16: Recognize different value systems including your own, understand the moral dimensions of your decisions, and accept responsibility for them.

PO-17: Acquire the ability to engage in independent and life-long learning in the broadest context of socio-technological change.

Programme Specific Outcome

PSO-1: Political science gives the students a meaningful and rational basement to understand the working of politics systems.

PSO-2:Students will be able to recognize the working pattern of different political systems, organizations, societies, cultures.

PSO-3: This course introduces the fairly comprehensive overview of Major political system of USA and CHINA.

PSO-4: To offer specialized courses such as Introduction to Human Rights, Public Administration, Social Movements in India, etc.

PSO-5: To train the students in skill-oriented course such as Women and Politics, Politics in India, Local Self-Government in India, Welfare State: Issues andChallenges etc.

PSO-6: Enables the students to grasp the knowledge of political ideals and social & political philosophy, fosters knowledge about constitutionalism and comparative constitutional system.

PSO-7: Learns about the politics of India along with constitutional structures and institutions. Enriches the knowledge of students about western political thinkers of the ancient and medieval periods.

PSO-8: Efforts are being made to appraise the global and regional politics along with the inter-state relationship.

PSO-9: Familiarized with the Indian political thought and movement from ancient to the medieval period.

PSO-10: Learn about the organization and theories of public administration with their application in India.

PSO-11: Demonstration and understanding of fundamental political processes, institutions, actors, Behavior, and ideas; and familiarity with major theories, methods, and concepts of Political Science.

PSO-12: Demonstrate a proficiency in thinking systematically about political interactions in national, global and international contexts.

PSO-13: Apply methods appropriate for accumulating and interpreting data applicable to the discipline of political science.

PSO-14: Educate the elected representatives about the parliamentary procedures and constitutional position of the country.

PSO-15: Analyse the relations between political functionaries, thinkers, ideas and narratives to create linkages with contemporary society.

PSO-16: Understand the socio-political and cultural development of society with intra- national and international systems at work.

PSO-17: Acquisition of the ability to critically perceive the historical timeline of political events both by means of formal and informal relationships.

PSO-18: Imparting sound knowledge about the political situation and the effects of identities and institutions on the system.

PSO-19: The students will learn to work responsibly and creatively as an individual or as a member or leader of a team and in multidisciplinary environments.

PSO-20: Political Sciences as ‘Master Science’ had spawned International Relations, later emerging as an autonomous discipline, Comparative Politics later

PSO-21: Shifting to Area Studies and Public Administration which again became an autonomous discipline though taking a turn to management and policy studies. This Masters programme provides a broad view of this disciplinary development.

PSO-22: The programme provides a balanced treatment to both empirical and normative aspects of the discipline of Political Science. The students get a balanced footing on concepts and methodology as the programme has made Research Methodology and Field Research compulsory.

PSO-23: The Programme draws on research thrust areas of the department like India’s state and sub-state politics, public policy, India’s foreign policy, women and politics and social movements, to name a few.

B.A Political Science

Course Outcome

SEM-I

Core-I (Understanding Political Theory)

To understand about political theory, its nature and scope and its relation with other social sciences to analyse political science as an interdisciplinary subject.

To acquaint the students with basic idea about different trends and approaches of political theory with highlighting the changing nature of political theory and emergence of new school of thought in the discipline.

Core-II (Constitutional Government and Democracy in India)

Knowledge gained about the constitutional structure and process in India and Understanding the making of Indian constitution.

Understand the structure, power and functions of the Indian government and enlighten the students to understand basic rights and duties of the citizen.

SEM-II

Core-III (Political Theory: Concepts and Debates)

The students will learn about the various concepts and approaches which will help them in getting and exploring as well as analysing various issues regarding the development of theories in Political Science. Students will have to study the basic role of political concepts by analysing, classifying and evaluating various theories which are important functionalities of day-to-day social life.

Core-IV (Political Process in India)

The students acquire knowledge of the various provisions that differentiate a party as a national party in India with justification presented by the norms stated by election commission of India.

Introduces the students to entities of caste, religion and region which have been great influencing actors in Indian politics.

Students will be familiar with the primary theories and concepts that form the building blocks of the comparison between systems and governments as they are applied to different states in the world.

SEM-III

Core-V (Introduction to Comparative Government and Politics)

Understanding and critically analysing the political system of U.S.A and CHINA and to understand historical context of modern government

Understand Contribution of David Easton and Almond for developing new approaches and theories like System Approach and Structural Functional Approach.

Core-VI (Introduction to Public Administration)

An elucidation on the evolution of the discipline of Public Administration and its multifarious ideas and concepts guiding the governance structure of a country as well as an appraisal of the Indian administrative system.

To gain the knowledge on the historical background of Public Administration as the discipline and its relations with other social sciences.

Core-VII (Perspective on International Relations)

To understand the meaning of international Politics and its nature and scope by highlighting its differences with international relations and given the basic idea about different approaches to the study of international relation and tries to analyse the present order from the perspective of those approaches.

Demonstrate a knowledge of the key dimensions, events and processes of international relations within their historic context, such as: the formation of the modern state system, the Treaty of Westphalia, the evolution of global capitalism, the origins of the Cold War, the shift to the post-Cold War system, the role of race, gender and class in the structure of the modern world system, major conflicts such as the world wars, US intervention in various places in the world, ascendant conflicts, the features and effects of globalizing market capitalism, growing environmental problems and human rights.

Core-VIII (Political Processes and Institutions in Comparative Perspective)

To introduce students to the theoretical perspectives in Political Science inquiry on the nature, role and functions of political institutions.

To provide comparative perspectives on the ways in which political institutions function in different countries.

Understand that different political institutions play the specific roles in the political process in different contexts.

SEM-IV

Core-IX (Public Policy and Administration in India)

To motivate the skill enhancement programme in Understanding the critical access to the public policies.

To encourage alternative solutions and remedies to the problems and challenges of policy making process.

To get the knowledge about the techniques and mechanism of policy implementations and to analyse the policy evaluation by means of case studies.

Core-X (Global Politics)

This course will make students able to understand the basic facts about the world politics.

Students will be able to understand the international politics in the context of globalization and to understand the Global Economy, Environment and Gender issue.

To gained Knowledge about the Global Resistance and on Ecological Perspective.

SEM-V

Core-XI (Western Political Thought)

To introduce the students to the Greek political tradition, specifically the ideas of Plato and Aristotle.

To familiarise the students with the exponents of the Social Contract Theory- Hobbes, Locke and Rousseau.

To help the students to develop and elaborate understanding the idea of Marxian political thought.

Core-XII (Indian Political Thought (Ancient and Medieval))

Students know the Tradition of ancient and medieval Indian Political Thought.

The paper shall introduce the most prominent Indian Political Thinkers like Manu, Kautilya, and Barani.

It shall also explain the ideas of Abul Fazal and Kabir.

DSE-I (Introduction to Human Rights)

To acquaint the students with the different approaches and perspective of human rights.

Knowledge gained about different generation of Human Rights through Charters and the areas of application.

DSE-II (Development and Social Movements in Contemporary India)

To get the knowledge of Welfare State, Development and Role of Planning Commission and to understand the Agricultural Development and Agrarian Crisis.

Exploring the importance of Industrial Development and its impact on Organized and unorganized Labour.

Knowing the traditional social movements in India and to exploring the new social movements in India.

SEM-VI

Core-XIII (Contemporary Political Philosophy)

To explain the Philosophy of Lenin and Mao Zedong

To acquaint with the ideas of Antonio Gramsci.

To understand the theory of justice was given by John Rawls.

Core-XIV (Modern Political Thought)

The paper broader explain the ideas of M N Roy, Pandita Ramabai and Swami Vivekanand

To understand the thoughts of political thinkers of modern India.

Exploring the thoughts of R.N Tagore, Veer Savarkar, J. Nehru, R.M Lohia and J.P. Narayan.

DSE-III (India's Foreign Policy in a Changing World)

To knows about the major issues and determinants of India's Foreign policy.

Analyzing the Postcolonial Perspective of India's Foreign policy and evaluating the India's relations with U.S.A and Russia.

To Studying the relationship between India with China and Neighbouring Countries.

DSE-IV

Dissertation

M.A Political Science

Course Outcome

SEM-I

PSC- 101 (Modern Political Theory)

To understand about modern political theory, its nature and scope and its relation with other social sciences to analyze political science as interdisciplinary subject.

To make the student understand about Political Decision-Making Theory of Harold Laswell and Group theory of Politics.

Students enable to understand the system theory of David Easton and structural functional analysis of political life.

PSC- 102 (Western Political Thought- I)

To analyse the theory of ancient political thought of Plato and Aristotle.

To acquire knowledge about modern political thinker like Machiavelli and his views on statecraft.

To compare with social contractalist thoughts of Hobbes, Locke and Rousseau and their view regarding state, government and general will.

To understand the social infra-structure of the Indian Polity and Political Culture.

Knowledge gained about the ideology and the organization of political parties in India and changing party systems

PSC103 (Indian Political System)

Looking at the Centre-State Relations with focus on the Legislative, Administrative and Financial Relations. Evaluating the Electoral Process in India with focus on the Election Commission: Composition, Functions and Role.

Critically analyzing the important institutions of the Indian Union: The Executive: President; Prime Minister, Council of Ministers; Governor, Chief Minister and Council of Ministers; The legislature: Rajya Sabha, Lok Sabha, Speaker, Committee System, State Legislature, The Judiciary: Supreme Court and the High Court: composition and functions- Judicial Activism.

PSC- 104 (International Politics: Theory and Dynamics)

To understand about the nature, scope and approaches of international politics and to Understanding the key concepts in international Relations like national interest, balance of power and deterrence, collective security and economic imperatives.

To analyse the international security; Disarmament, Arms Control and Nuclear nonproliferation.

This paper shall help the students to develop a deeper understanding of International Relations along with the different international organizations and stakeholders in it.

SEM-II

PSC- 201 (Contemporary Political Theory: Issues and Debates)

To understand about the genesis, nature and scope of contemporary political theory.

Understanding the concept of Freedom and its contemporary relevance.

To know what is Equality having different facets and to get the basic idea on Right and Justice with different practical forms and to Exploring the grounds of political obligation and relevance of civil society.

PSC- 202 (Western Political Thought-II)

Acquainted with the prominent among utilitarianism and to know the concept of representative government and liberty given by J.S. Mill.

Knowledge gained about key concepts in Marxist thought historical and dialectical method of analysis.

Knowledge gained about the concept of justice given by John Rawls.

Knowledge gained about the political ideas of Indian thinkers covering both ancient and modern political thinkers from renaissance to modernity.

PSC- 203 (Indian Political thought)

It tries to understand the emergence of Indian renaissance and thinking of the heroes of Indian nationalism.

It explores the changing trends of political thought along with the time and emergence of new political theories.

PSC- 204 (Contemporary Political Issues in India)

To introduce and explain the ideas of human development and human security as well as to elaborate on the issues of gender in international politics.

To explain the current issues of international politics to the students- like environmental issues and terrorism.

Understand the concept like human rights, globalization and liberalization in the Indian Context.

PSC-301 (Theory of Public Administration)

The paper will introduce the students to the basic concepts of Public Administration along with its founding principles and history.

To introduce the concept of development administration and to the contributions of Fred W. Riggs and to Understand the policy formulation, policy implementation and evaluation of public policy along with various issues and challenges related to public policy.

To get the knowledge on the theoretical foundations of administration by various contemporary thinker's views.

PSC-302 (Political Sociology)

Knowledge gained about the relationship between Political Science and Sociology as two-way impact of society on politics and politics on society.

To elaborate on the primary concepts of political culture, socialization and political mobility and gives the students an exposure to the converging areas of politics and society.

SEM-III

PSC-303 (India's Foreign Policy)

This course improves the knowledge and information of students about foreign policy of India.

They will be able to understand the objectives of Indian Foreign Policy, its Internal and external determinants and relations between India and its neighboring countries.

The course focuses on different International Organizations and how they are related to India and Skill gained ability to understand the objectives, goals and foreign policy trends at bilateral and multilateral levels.

PSC-304 (Research Methodology)

Introducing the Research in Social Science and to Importance the objectivity, research design, and hypothesis in research.

To develop the idea about how to write research proposal and report and to Understanding the sampling procedure and tools of research.

To Knowing the various Measures of data analysis.

PSC-305

Seminar (Field Study/Survey Report) (Literature review)

SEM-IV

PSC-401 (Public Administration in India)

To understand about the concept of grass root level democracy in the form of decentralization and local government in India.

To gain the knowledge on the concept of social welfare administration and impact of globalization in Public Administration.

To introduce the concept, scope and historical evolution of public administration and to familiarized with the administrative structures and processes of India.

PSC-402 (International Organization and Administration)

To provide a general understanding of the major international organization, with particular emphasis on the analysis of its powers and areas of operation and to promote further study of the European Union and the United nation.

To allow a better understanding of the structure of international organization and to Skill gained: of the contextualize recent international crises and their resolution.

Competency gained: Faculty to represent the country in diplomatic circles, armed with the proper knowledge of international organizations.

PSC-403 (Comparative Government and Politics)

To understand the types of government of major countries of the world UK, USA and China and to understand the political and judicial institutions of US constitution.

To know the socio-economic foundations, political institution including role of communist party of People's Republic of China.

Competency gained to apply the knowledge gained in understanding the politics of different nations and the political trends including area studies.

PSC-404 (Politics in India)

To familiarized with the concept like modern state in India.

To understand different issues of Politics in India.

To look into different values such as Democracy, Socialism and Secularism and to understand social base such as Caste, Class and Gender.

PSC-405 (PROJECTS PAPER (100))

Project-80

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