



UNIVERSITY OF MYSORE

DEPARTMENT OF STUDIES IN SOCIOLOGY, MANASAGANGOTRI, MYSORE

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MASTERS DEGREE PROGRAMME IN SOCIOLOGY  
TWO YEARS FOUR SEMESTERS - SEVENTY SIX CREDITS

Sl. No.	Title of the Paper	HC/SC/OE	Number of Credits			
			L	T	P	Total
<b>I SEMESTER</b>						
1	Classical Sociology	HC	3	1	0	4
2	Research Methods in Social Sciences	HC	3	1	0	4
3	Rural Society in India: Change and Development	HC	3	1	0	4
4	Society and Education	SC	3	1	0	4
5	Sociology of Marginalized Group	SC	3	1	0	4
6	Sociology of Development	SC	3	1	0	4
<b>II SEMESTER</b>						
1	Modern Sociological Theories	HC	3	1	0	4
2	Sociology of Health	HC	3	1	0	4
3	Sociology of Social Movements	HC	3	1	0	4
4	Gender and Society	SC	3	1	0	4
5	Sociology of Professions	SC	3	1	0	4
6	Indian Society in Transition	OE	3	1	0	4
<b>III SEMESTER</b>						
1	Contemporary Sociological Theories	HC	3	1	0	4
2	Statistics and Computer Applications	HC	3	1	0	4
3	Politics and Society	HC	3	1	0	4
4	Human Rights and Social Justice	SC	3	1	0	4
5	Urban Society in India	SC	3	1	0	4
6	Social Disorganization and Reconstruction	OE	3	1	0	4
<b>IV SEMESTER</b>						
1	Approaches to the Study of Indian Society	HC	3	1	0	4
2	Globalization and Indian Society	HC	3	1	0	4
3	Society, Media and Development	SC	3	1	0	4
4	Social Policy and Social Development	SC	3	1	0	4
5	Sociology of Family	OE	3	1	0	4
6	Project Work	HC	-	-	4	4

HC : Hard Core  
SC : Soft Core  
OE : Open Elective

L : Lecture  
P : Practical  
T : Tutorial

**CLASSICAL SOCIOLOGY (HC) 4 CREDITS**

**Unit 1: Introduction**

- Nature, Characteristics and Importance of Sociological Theory
- Types of Sociological Theory
- Reciprocity between Theory and Research.

**Unit 2: Evolutionary Perspective**

**a. Auguste Comte**

- Law of Human Progress
- Hierarchy of Sciences, Positivism

**b. Herbert Spencer**

- Organismic Analogy
- Types of Societies

**Unit 3: Structural Approach**

- Alfred Reginald Radcliffe Brown
- Siegfried Fredrick Nadel
- Claude Levi Strauss

**Unit 4: Functional Perspective**

- Bronislaw Malinowski
- Talcott Parsons
- Robert Merton
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**Reading List:**

- Aron, Raymond (1991). *Main Currents in Sociological Thought (Vol. 1)*, London: Penguin.
- Barnes H.E. ed. (1948). *An Introduction to the History of Sociology*, Chicago: Chicago University Press.
- Black, Max ed. (1961). *The Social Theories of Talcott Parsons: A Critical Examination*, Carbondale: Southern Illinois University Press.
- Coser, Lewis (1975). *Masters of Sociological Thought: Ideas in Historical and Social Context*, New York: Harcourt Brace Jovanovich.
- Firth, Raymond (1957). *Man and Culture: An Evaluation of the Work of Bronislaw Malinowski*, New York: Humanities Press.
- Merton, R.K. (1968). *Social Theory and Social Structure*, New York: The Free Press
- Nadel, S.F. (1957). *The Theory of Social Structure*, Glencoe: The Free Press.
- Routledge Library Edition (2004). *The Sociology of Radcliffe Brown*, London: Routledge.
- Tucker, K.N (2002). *Classical Social Theory*, Oxford: Blackwell Publication
- Wiseman, Boris (1998). *Introducing Lévi-Strauss*. Toronto: Totem Books.

**RESEARCH METHODS IN SOCIAL SCIENCES (HC)**

**4 CREDITS**

**Unit 1: Social Research**

- Scientific Method and its Application to Social Research
- Meaning and Importance of Social Research
- Stages of Social Research
- Types of Social Research: Pure and Applied
- Inter-disciplinary Research
- Problems of Objectivity in Social Research

**Unit 2: Research Procedure**

- Social Survey – Stages, Types and Importance
- Hypothesis – Meaning and Characteristics
- Research Design – Meaning and Types
- Sampling: Methods of Sample Selection

**Unit 3: Tools and Techniques of Data Collection**

- Primary Data: Observation, Questionnaire, Interview
- Secondary Data: Sources of Secondary Data

**Unit 4 : Methods of Social Research and Report Writing**

- Case Study, Historical and Descriptive Methods
- Qualitative and Quantitative Research
- Preparation of Research Report
- Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA)
- Rapid Rural Appraisal (RRA)
- Writing Research Proposals

Reading List:

- Bose, Pradip Kumar (1995). *Research Methodology*, New Delhi: ICSSR.
- Bryman, Alan (2001). *Social Research Methods*, New York: Oxford University Press.
- Carol Grbich (2000). *New Approaches in Social Research*, London: Sage Publications.
- D. A. DE VAUS (1986). *Surveys in Social Research*, London & Winchester, MA: George Allen & Unwin.
- Dooley, David (1997). *Social Research Methods*, New Delhi: Prentice Hall of India.
- Goode and Hatt (1952). *Methods in Social Research*, New York: McGraw Hill.
- Young Pauline V. (1992). *Scientific Social Surveys and Research*, New Delhi: Prentice Hall of India.
- Sadhu, A.N. and Amarjit Singh (1980). *Research Methodology in Social Sciences*, Bombay: Himalaya Publishing House.
- Yayas, Simeon (2004). *Doing Social Science Research*, London: Sage Publications.

MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMME IN SOCIOLOGY  
I SEMESTER

**RURAL SOCIETY IN INDIA: CHANGE AND DEVELOPMENT (HC) 4 CREDITS**

**Unit 1: The Changing Rural Society**

- Features and Factors of Change
- Land Rights
- Changing Power Structure
- Migration and Education.

**Unit 2: Recent Trends in Rural Society**

- Impact of Industrialization
- Urbanization
- Globalization on Rural Society
- GATT, W.T.O., IPRs

**Unit 3: Rural Development since Independence:**

- Community Development Programme(CDP)
- Panchayat Raj
- Integrated Rural Development Programme (IRDP)
- Green Revolution
- Rural-Cooperatives
- Self-Help-Groups
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**Unit 4: Challenges to Rural Development**

- Natural Calamities: Droughts, Floods
- Casteism
- Poverty, Indebtedness and Unemployment
- Factional Politics and Political Interference

**Reading List**

- Birch, Berberogues ed. (1992). ***Class, State and Development in India***, New Delhi: Sage Publications.
- Desai A.R. ed. (1969). ***Rural Sociology in India***, Bombay: Popular Publications.
- Epstein T.S. (1978). ***South India – Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow***, London: Macmillan Publications.
- Lakshminarayana H.D. (1980). ***Democracy in Rural India***, New Delhi: National.
- Oommen T.K. (1984). ***Social Transformation in Rural India***, New Delhi: Vikas Publications.
- Omvedt, Gail (1987). ***Land, Caste and Politics***, New Delhi: Department of Political Science, Delhi University.
- Satyamurthy, T.V (1996). ***Industry and Agriculture in India since Independence***, (Volume 2), New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Singh, Katar (1999). ***Rural Development***, New Delhi: Sage Publications.
- Thorner Daniel and Alice Thorner (1962). ***Land and Labour in India***, Bombay: Asia. Publications.

**Unit 1: The Relationship between Society and Education**

- Introduction to Sociology of Education
- Theoretical Approaches in Sociology of Education: Functional, Conflict and Radical Perspectives

**Unit 2: Education and Socialization**

- Interrelationship between Education and Socialization
- Agencies of Socialization: Family, Peer Group, School and Communication Media

**Unit 3: Education and Social Stratification**

- Barriers to Equal Access: Caste, Class, Tribe and Gender
- Rural – Urban Differences
- Education and Social Mobility
- Role of Modernization and Globalization in Social Mobility

**Unit 4: Society and Education in India**

- A Brief Socio – Historical View: Pre-Colonial, Colonial and Independent India
- Contemporary Educational Scenario in India
- School and Higher Education: Diversities, Disparities and Challenges
- Right to Education Act

**Reading List**

- Ashok Kumar (1990). *Current Trends in Indian Education*, New Delhi: Ashish Publishing House.
- Banks, Olive (1976). *Sociology and Education*, London: Batsford.
- Blackledge, D. and B. Hunt (1985). *Sociological Interpretations of Education*, London: Croom Helm.
- Boudon, Raymond (1973). *Education, Opportunity and Social Inequality*, New York: John Wiley & Sons.
- Brint, Steven (1998). *Schools and Societies*, Thousand Oaks, California: Pine Forge Press.
- Brookover, Wilburt B. (1955). *Sociology of Education*, New York: American Book Company.
- Dreze, Jean and Amartya Sen (1995). *Indian Economic Development and Social Opportunity*, Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Durkheim, Emile (1956). *Education and Sociology*, New York: Free Press.
- Jayaram, N. (1990). *Sociology of Education in India*, Jaipur: Rawat Publications.
- Gore, M.S., I.P. Desai and Suma Chitins eds. (1967). *Papers in the Sociology of Education in India*, New Delhi: NCERT.

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I SEMESTER

**SOCIOLOGY OF MARGINALIZED GROUPS (SC)**

**4 CREDITS**

**Unit 1 : Introduction**

- Meaning and Process of Marginalization
- Scope and Importance of Studying Marginalization
- Socio-Economic Indices of Marginalization: Poverty, Relative Deprivation, Exploitation, Discrimination, Backwardness and Inequality
- Marginalization and Exclusion

**Unit 2: Perspectives on Marginalization**

- Role of Ideology in Identification of Marginalization
- Views of Jyotiba Phule, Periyar, B.R. Ambedkar and Ram Manohar Lohiya

**Unit 3: Marginalized Groups in India and Affirmative Action**

- Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Minorities and Other Backward Classes
- Constitutional Provisions
- Central and State (with special reference to Karnataka) Schemes and Programmes
- Implementation and Hurdles

**Unit 4: Social Change and Marginalized Groups**

- Recent Trends in the Movement for Development of Marginalized Groups
- Social Mobility among Marginalized Groups: Education, Employment, Political Participation, Conversion, Migration and Social Legislation

**Reading List**

- Ambedkar, B.R. (1946). *Who were the Shudras? How They Came to be the Fourth Varna in the Indo-Aryan Society*, Bombay: Thackers.
- Beteille, Andre (1981). *Backward Classes and the New Social Order*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Beteille, Andre (1992). *Backward Classes in Contemporary India*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Charsley, S.R. and G.K. Karanth eds. (1998). *Challenging Untouchability*, New Delhi: Sage.
- Gore, M.S. (1993). *The Social Context of an Ideology: The Social and Political Thoughts of Babasaheb Ambedkar*, New Delhi: Sage.
- Guha, Ranjeet ed. (1996). *Subaltern Studies: Writings on South Asian History and Society*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Khan, Mumtaz Ali (1980). *Scheduled Castes and Their Status in India*, New Delhi: Uppal Publishing House.
- Jogdand, P.G. (2000). *New Economic Policy and Dalits*, Jaipur: Rawat Publications.
- Omvedt, Gail (1995). *Dalit Visions: The Anti Caste Movement and the Construction of an Indian Identity*, New Delhi: Orient Longman.
- Parvathamma, C. (1989). *Scheduled Castes at the Cross Roads*, New Delhi: Ashish Publishing House.
- Singh, K.S. (1995). *The Scheduled Tribes*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

**Unit 1: Introduction**

- Meaning, Scope and Importance of Sociology of Development
- Sociology of Economic Life
- Sociological Dimensions of Development
- Cultural Dimension and Trends of Development

**Unit 2: Concepts of Development**

- Human Development
- Economic Development
- Ecological Development
- Social Development
- Sustainable Development
- Right to Development

**Unit 3 : Theories of Development and Underdevelopment**

- Structural – Functional Theory
- David McClelland's Socio-Psychological Theory
- W.W.Rostow's Stages of Growth Modes
- Dependency Theory
- Development of Under Development

**Unit 4: Social Structure and Development with Reference to India**

- Education and Development
- Climate Change and Development
- Gender and Development
- Development Disparities

**Reading List**

- Alavi, Hamza and Teodor Shanin eds. *Introduction to the Sociology of Developing Societies*, London: Macmillan.
- Appadurai, Arjun (1997). *Modernity at Large: Cultural Dimensions of Globalization*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Desai, A.R. (1997). *India's Path of Development: A Marxist Approach*, Bombay: Popular Prakashan.
- Dreze, Jean and Amartya Sen (1996). *Indian Economic Development and Social Opportunity*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Haq, Mahabubul (1991). *The Sociology of Modernization and Development*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Harrison, D. (1989). *The Sociology of Modernization and Development*, New Delhi: Sage.
- Hoogvelt, Ankie M.M. (1998). *The Sociology of Developing Societies*, London: Macmillan.
- Hoselitz, Bert F. (1996). *Sociological Aspects of Economic Growth*, New Delhi: Amerind Publishers.
- Kiely, Ray, and Phil Marfleet eds. (1998). *Globalization and the Third World*, London: Routledge .
- Kothari, Rajani (1990). *Rethinking Development: In Search of Humane Alternatives*, New Delhi: Aspects Publications.
- Pandey, Rajendra (1985). *Sociology of Development*, New Delhi: Mittal.
- Pandey, Rajendra (1986). *Sociology of Underdevelopment*, New Delhi: Mittal.
- Rostow, W.W. (1960). *The Stages of Economic Growth*, London: University Press
- Singh, Chew C. and Robert A. Denmark eds. (1996). *The Underdevelopment of Development*, New Delhi: Sage.
- Smelser, Neil J. (1988). *The Sociology of Economic Life*, New Delhi: Prentice Hall .
- Webster, Andrew (1984). *Introduction to the Sociology of Development*, London: Macmillan.
- Zimmerman, Carle C. and Richard E. Duwods eds. (1976). *Sociology of Underdevelopment*, Jaipur: Rawat Publications .

**Unit 1: Karl Marx and Marxism**

- Marx's Conception of Society: Historical and Dialectical Materialism
- Class Struggle
- Alienation

**Unit 2**

**a. Max Weber**

- Social Action
- Protestant Ethic and Spirit of Capitalism
- Types of Authority

**b. Georg Simmel**

- Social Types
- Modern Culture

**Unit 3: Emile Durkheim**

- Theory of Suicide
- Division of Labour
- Sociology of Religion

**Unit 4: a. Vilfredo Pareto**

- Logical and Non-logical Action
- Residues and Derivations
- Circulation of Elites

**b. Pitrim Alexandrovitch Sorokin**

- Theory of Social Mobility
- Society and Culture

**Reading List**

- Abraham, Francis (1984) *Modern Sociological Theory*, New Delhi: Orient Longman.
- Collins, Randall (1997). *Sociological Theory*, Jaipur: Rawat Publications
- Coser, Lewis (2002). *Masters of Sociological Thought*, Jaipur: Rawat Publications.
- Craib, Ian (1992). *Modern Social Theory: From Parsons to Habermas*, London: Harvester Press,
- Giddens, Anthony (1983). *Sociology*, Cambridge: Polity Press.
- Martindale, Don (1960). *The Nature and Types of Sociological Theory*, London: Routledge and Kegan Paul.
- Morrison, Ken (1995). *Marx, Durkheim, Weber-Formation of Modern Social Thought*, London: Sage Publications.
- Ritzer, George (2000). *Sociological Theory*, New York: McGraw Hill.
- Sorokin, Pitirim A. (1978). *Contemporary Sociological Theories*, New Delhi: Kalyani Publishers.
- Turner, Jonathan (1987). *The Structure of Sociological Theory*, Jaipur: Rawat Publications.
- Zetlin, I.M. (1998). *Rethinking Sociology: A Critique of Contemporary Theory*, Jaipur: Rawat Publications.



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II SEMESTER

**SOCIOLOGY OF HEALTH (HC)**

**4 CREDITS**

**Unit 1: Introduction**

- Meaning, Nature and Scope of Sociology of Health
- Emergence and Development of Sociology of Health
- Importance of Sociology of Health
- Sociology of Health in India.

**Unit 2: Health and Disease**

- The Sick Role and Patient Role
- Treatment: Preventive, Curative and Rehabilitative
- Epidemiology of Disease
- Natural History of Disease
- Systems of Medicine

**Unit 3: Determinates of Disease**

- Socio-Economic-Cultural Determinants
- Health Seeking Behavior – Doctor-Patient – Nurse Relationship
- Hospital as a Social Organization.

**Unit 4: Community Health and Health Policy in India**

- Community Health Problems and Health Care Delivery
- Implementation and Utilization of Health Care Delivery Programmes
- Social Legislation and Health Care
- Health for All – Privatization of Health Care and Corporatization of Health in India

**Reading List**

- Albert, Gary L. and R. Fitzpatrick (1994). **Quality of Life in Health Care: Advances in Medical Sociology**, Mumbai: Jai Press.
- Annandale Allen (2001). **The Sociology of Health and Medicine – A Critical Introduction**, Cambridge: Polity Press.
- Bloom, Samuel W. (1963). **The Doctor and His Patient**, New York: Free Press.
- Coe, Rodney M. (1970). **Sociology of Medicine**, New York: McGraw Hill.
- Chloe Bird, Peter Conrad and Alan Fremont eds. (2000). **Handbook of Medical Sociology**, New York: Prentice Hall.
- Cockerham, William C. (1997). **Medical Sociology**, New Jersey: Prentice Hall
- Conrad, Peter ed. (2005). **Sociology of Health and Illness: Critical Perspectives**, New York: Worth Publishing.
- Dutta, P.R. (1955). **Rural Health and Medical Care in India**, Ambala: Army Education Press.
- Madan, T.N. (1980). **Doctors and Nurses**, New Delhi: Vikas.
- Ommen, T. K. (1978). **Doctors and Nurses: A Study in Occupational Role Structures**, Bombay: Macmillan.
- Rama, Baru V. (1998). **Private Health Care in India**, New Delhi: Sage.
- Schwatz, Howard (1994) **Dominant Issues in Medical Sociology**, New York: McGraw Hill.
- Venkataratnam, R (1979). **Medical Sociology in an Indian Setting**, Madras: Macmillan.

**SOCIOLOGY OF SOCIAL MOVEMENTS (HC)**

**4 CREDITS**

**Unit 1: Introduction**

- Scope and Significance of Sociology of Social Movements
- Genesis and Ideology of Social Movements

**Unit 2 : Reform Movements**

- Brahmo Samaj, Prarthana Samaj, Satyashodhak Samaj, Arya Samaj and Kabir Panth
- Protest Movements – Jainism, Buddhism, Veerasaivism and Sikhism

**Unit 3: Dalit and Backward Class Movements**

- Emergence of Dalit Movement in India
- Role of Jyotiba Phule and B.R. Ambedkar
- Dalit Movement in Karnataka (DSS)
- Backward Classes Movement in Karnataka

**Unit 4: Tribal and Peasant Movements**

- Peasant Movement in India
- Peasant Movement in Karnataka
- Political Awakening among Tribals  
Santal Movement  
Jharkhand Movement
- Tribal Self Rule

**Reading List**

- Banks, J.A. (1972). *The Sociology of Social Movements*, London: Macmillan.
- Cameron, W.B. (1966). *Modern Social Movements: A Sociological Outline*, New York: Random House.
- Choudhary, S. (1971). *Peasants' and Workers' Movement in India-1905-1929*, New Delhi: People's Publishing House.
- Hardgrave, Robert L. (1965). *The Dravidian Movement*, Bombay: Popular Prakashan.
- Malik, S.C. (1977). *Dissent, Protest and Reform in Indian Civilization*, Shimla: Indian Institute of Advanced Study.
- Patwardhan, Sunanda (1973). *Change among Indian Harijans: Maharashtra, A Case Study*, New Delhi: Orient Longman.
- Rao, M.S.A. ed. (1979). *Social Movements and Social Transformation*, New Delhi: Mac Millan.
- Rao, M.S.A. ed. (1979). *Social Movements in India*, New Delhi: Macmillan.
- Shah, Ganshyam (2002). *Social Movements and the State*, New Delhi: Sage.

**GENDER AND SOCIETY (SC)**

**4 CREDITS**

**Unit 1: Social Construction of Gender**

- The Relevance of Gender Studies to Sociology
- Basic Concepts in Gender Studies: Gender vs. Biology(Sex), Patriarchy, Gender Bias, Gender Relations, Gender Division of Labour, Gender Equality, Gender Neutrality, Gender Justice, Androgyny and Gender Sensitivity

**Unit 2: Sociology and Feminism**

- Interrelationship and Interdependence of Sociology and Feminism
- Theoretical Debates on Feminism-Liberal, Marxist, Radical, Socialist, Existential and Post-Modern Schools
- Indian Perspectives on Feminism

**Unit 3: Gender and Society in India**

- The Construction of Gender in Indian Social Institutions- Family, Marriage, Education, Economy, Religion and Caste
- Changing Status of Women in India-Pre-Independence, From Independence to the International Women's Decade and From International Women's Decade to Contemporary Times (With reference to laws and schemes)

**Unit 4: Women's Movement in India – Issues and Achievements**

- Role of State and Autonomous Women's Groups in Women's Emancipation
- Contemporary Challenges before the Women's Movement
- India's Changing Demographic Profile
- Domestic Violence- Communal Violence
- Religious Fundamentalism and Political Marginalization

**Reading List**

- Altekar, A.S. (1983). *The Position of Women in Hindu Civilization*, Delhi: Motilal Banarasidas.
- Channa, Karuna ed. (1988). *Socialization, Education and Women*, New Delhi: Orient Longman.
- Chaudhuri, Maitrayee ed. (2004). *Feminism in India*, New Delhi: Kali for Women and Women Unlimited.
- Desai, Neera and Maithreyi Krishnaraj (1987). *Women and Society in India*, Delhi: Ajanta.
- Dube, Leela, Eleanor Leacock and Shirley Ardner (1986). *Visibility and Power: Essays on Women in Society and Development*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Forbes, Geraldine (1998). *Women in Modern India*, New Delhi: Cambridge University Press.
- Gandhi, Nandita and N.Shah (1992). *Issues at Stake: Theory and Practice in the Contemporary Women's Movement in India*, New Delhi: Kali for Women
- Geetha, V. (2002). *Gender*. Calcutta: Stree.

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II SEMESTER  
**SOCIOLOGY OF PROFESSIONS (SC)                      4 CREDITS**

**Unit 1: Introduction**

- Definition and Scope of Sociology of Professions
- Sociological Perspectives on Professions
- Contributions of Indian Sociologists to the Study of Professions

**Unit 2: Professions-Concept and Reality**

- Professions and Semi Professions: Definitions and Attributes
- Distinction between Occupations and Professions
- Professionalization – Professionalism

**Unit 3: Issues in Professions**

- Professional Organizations: Structure and Functions
- Professional Ethics and Commitment
- Professional-Client Relationship
- Professions and Social Change

**Unit 4: Studies on Professions and Semi-Professions**

- Doctors, Engineers, Lawyers, Teachers, Nurses and Social Workers.

**Reading List**

- Bhoite, U.B. (1987). ***Sociology of Indian Intellectuals***, Jaipur: Rawat Publications.
- Chitnis, Suma and Philip G. Altbach eds. (1979). ***The Indian Academic Profession***, New Delhi: Macmillan.
- Dingwall, Robert and Philip Lewis eds. (1983). ***The Sociology of the Professions: Lawyers, Doctors and Others***, London: Macmillan.
- Eliatt Philip (1972). ***The Sociology of Professions***, London: Macmillan.
- Glass, D.V. (1954). ***Social Mobility in Britain***, London: Routledge and Kegan Paul.
- Gamdhi, K S. (1987). ***Sociology of Legal Profession, Law and Legal Systems***, Delhi: Cian.
- Lal, Shoekumar ed. (1988). ***Readings in the Sociology of Professions***, Delhi: Cian.
- Larson, M.S. (1977). ***The Rise of Professionalism***, Berkely: The University of California Press.
- Misra, B B. (1961). ***The Indian Middle Classes: Their Growth in Modern Times***, London: Oxford University Press.
- Montagna, Paul D. (1997). ***Occupations and Society***, Canada: John Willey and Sons.
- Nagla, Madhu (1997). ***Sociology of Medical Profession***, Jaipur: Rawat Publications.
- Oommen, T.K. (1978). ***Doctors and Nurses***, New Delhi: Vikas Publications.
- Ullen, John B. (1978). ***The Structure of Professionalism***, New York: Petrotelli-Books Inc.

**Unit 1: From Tradition to Transition**

- The Nature and Direction of Change in Indian Society
- The Changing Face of Indian Social Institutions: Family, Caste, Economy and Polity

**Unit 2: India's Changing Villages**

- Indicators of Change: Infrastructure, Education, Poverty Reduction, Employment Guarantee
- Participation in Democratic Processes and Governance - Panchayati Raj
- The Rural-Urban Divide
- A Critical Insight into Rural Development Initiatives

**Unit 3: The Movement for Social Justice**

- A Background View
- Role of the Constitution of India and Legislation
- Backward Classes and Dalit Movements
- Opportunities for Social Mobility for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Backward Classes, Minorities and Women

**Unit 4: India in the Globalization Era**

- The Nature and Impact of Changes on different Sections of Indian Society
- Contemporary and Future Challenges Facing Indian Society

**Reading List**

- Ahuja, Ram (1993). *Indian Social System*, Jaipur: Rawat.
- Deshpande, Satish (2003). *Contemporary India: A Sociological View*, New Delhi: Viking.
- Desouza, P.R (2000). *Contemporary India: Transitions*, New Delhi: Sage Publications.
- Dube, S.C(1900). *Indian Society*, New Delhi: National Book Trust.
- Galanter, Marc (1984). *Competing Equalities: Law and the Backward Classes in India*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Sharma, K.L (1997). *Social Stratification in India: Issues and Themes*, New Delhi: Sage Publications.
- Thappar, Romila (1978). *Ancient Indian Social History: Some Interpretations*, Mumbai: Orient Longman.
- Sassen, Saskia and Kwame Anthony Appiah(1998). *Globalization and Its Discontents*, New Press.

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III SEMESTER

**CONTEMPORARY SOCIOLOGICAL THEORIES (HC)**

**4 CREDITS**

**Unit 1: Phenomenology**

- Alfred Schultz
- Karl Manheim

**Unit 2: a. Ethnomethodology**

- Harold Garfinkel

**b. Symbolic Interactionism**

- George Herbert Mead
- Charles Horton Cooley
- Herbert Blumer

**Unit 3: a. Neo-Functionalism**

- Jeffrey Charles Alexander

**b. Neo-Marxism**

- Louis Pierre Althusser
- Jürgen Habermas

**Unit 4: a. Structuration**

- Anthony Giddens

**b. Post Modernism**

- Michel Foucault
- Jacques Derrida

***Reading List***

- Giddens, Anthony (2004). *In Defense of Sociology*, Cambridge: Polity Press.
- Giddens, Anthony and J.H.Turner (1987). *Social Theory Today*, Cambridge: Polity Press.
- Jeffrey, Alexander C. (1985). *Neofunctionalism*, London: Sage.
- Luckmann, Thomas ed. (1978). *Phenomenology and Sociology: Selected Readings*, New York: Penguin Books.
- Rabinow, Paul ed. (1986). *The Foucault Reader*, Harmondsworth: Penguin.
- Ritzer, George ed. (2007). *The Blackwell Encyclopedia of Sociology*, Oxford: Blackwell.
- Scott, Applelrouth and Laura Desfor Edles (2008). *Classical and Contemporary Sociological Theory: Text and Readings*, California: Pine Forge Press.

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III SEMESTER

**STATISTICS AND COMPUTER APPLICATIONS (HC) 4 CREDITS**

**Unit 1: Introduction**

- Social Statistics: Scope and Importance
- Deductive and Inductive Statistics
- Classification and Tabulation of Data
- Diagrammatic and Graphical Representation

**Unit 2: Methods of Statistical Measurement**

- Measures of Central Tendency – Arithmetic Mean, Median and Mode
- Measures of Dispersion – Range, Quartile Deviation Standard Deviation and Mean Deviation
- Correlation – Pearson's Correlation and Rank Correlation
- Factor Analysis – Association of Attributes – Chi-Square Test

**Unit 3: Vital Statistics**

- Meaning and Uses of Vital Statistics
- Methods of Collecting Data on Vital Events
- Measures of Mortality and Fertility.

**Unit 4: Computer Operations**

- Software Packages: MS OFFICE, EXCEL, SPSS, FLOW CHARTS  
Power Point Presentation
- Application of Computers in Social Research

**Reading List**

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- Irvine, J. I. Miles and J.Evans eds. (1979). **Demystifying Statistics**, London: Pluto Press.
- Norton, Peter (2005). **Introduction to Computers**, New Delhi: Tata McGraw Hill.
- Rajaraman, V. (2004). **Fundamentals of Computers**, New Delhi: Prentice Hall.
- Shipman, Martin (1998). **The Limitations of Statistics**, London: Longman.

**POLITICS AND SOCIETY (HC)**

**4 CREDITS**

**Unit 1: Introduction**

- Scope and importance of Political Sociology
- Emergence of Political Sociology
- Visions of Society and Politics – Thomas Hobbes, Jean-Jacques Rousseau, Karl Marx, Max Weber, Vilfredo Pareto

**Unit 2 : Political and Political Systems**

- Characteristics and Functions of Political System
- Types of Political System
- Political System as a Social System
- Relationship between Political System and Non-Political System

**Unit 3: Political Socialization and Participation**

- Politicalization and Politicization
- Political Socialization and its Agencies
- Political Participation and its Pattern
- Political Mobilization and Political Culture
- Political Communication and its Patterns

**Unit 4: Analysis of Electoral Behaviour in India**

- Introduction to Psephology – Meaning, Scope and Importance

**Reading List**

- Ali, Ashraf and C.N. Sharma (1983). *Political Sociology: A New Grammar of Politics*, Madras: University Press.
- Bendix, Reinhard (1968). *State and Society*, Boston: Little Brown.
- Dahl, Robert (1983). *Modern Political Analysis*, New Delhi: Prentice Hall.
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- Kothari, Rajni ed. (1973). *Caste in Indian Politics*, New Delhi: Orient Longman.
- Lipset, Seymour Martin. (1960). *Political Man: The Social Bases of Politics*, New York: Feffer and Simons.
- Mitra, Subrata K. and James Chiriyandath eds. (1992). *Electoral Politics in India: A Changing Landscape*, New Delhi: Segment Books
- Mukhopadhyay, A.K. (1977). *Political Sociology: An Introduction*, Calcutta: Bagchi.



**HUMAN RIGHTS AND SOCIAL JUSTICE (SC)**

**4 CREDITS**

**Unit 1: Introduction**

- Human Rights: Meaning, Definition and Characteristics
- History of Human Rights
- Forms of Rights: Civil, Democratic and Human Rights
- Theories of Human Rights: Classical, Marxist, Neo-Marxist and Liberal
- Forms of Social Justice: Meaning, Definition and Characteristics
- Issues and Dimensions of Social Justice in India: Dalit, Minorities, Tribes, Women and Children

**Unit 2 : State, Constitutional Rights and Social Justice**

- Constitution and Rights with special reference to Class, Caste, Tribe, Minorities and Gender
- Growth of New Rights: Environment, Education, Prisoners' Rights, Women's Rights and Rights of Children
- Rights related to Health
- Rights of Unorganized Sector Labour
- Right to Information
- Rights of Third Gender

**Unit 3: Human Rights Movements and Stakeholders**

- Concerns with Human Rights and Movements-The Stakeholder Approach
- Civil Society Organizations

**Unit 4: Application and Relevance of Human Rights and Social Justice in a Globalized World**

- Relevance and Application of Human Rights and Social Justice
- Social Justice and the Corporate Sector-Social Marketing

**Reading List**

- Blau, Judith, E. Keri and Iyall-Smith (2006). *Public Sociologies Reader*, Toronto: Rowman and Littlefield Publications.
- Desai, A.R. (1986). *Violation of Democratic Rights in India*, Bombay: Popular Prakashan.
- Haragopal, G. (1997). *The Political Economy of Human Rights*, Himalaya, Hyderabad.
- Iyer, Krishna (1983) *Indian Social Justice in Crisis*, New Delhi: Ease West Press.
- Jogdand.P.G ed. (2008). *Globalization and Social Justice*, Jaipur: Rawat Publications.
- Richard Falk (2000). *Human Rights Horizons: The Pursuit of Justice in a Globalizing World*, New York: Routledge.
- Robertson, A.H. (1972). *Human Rights in the World*, Manchester: Manchester University Press
- UNDP, *Human Development Reports*
- Zinnos, Albert A. ed. (2007). *Human Rights; A Bibliography with Indexes*, Inc.: Nova Science Publishers.

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**URBAN SOCIETY IN INDIA (SC)      4 CREDITS**

**Unit 1 : Introduction**

- Study of City life in India: Origin and Development
- Scope and Importance of the Study of City life in India
- City life in Ancient and Medieval India

**Unit 2: Urbanization in India**

- The Process of Urbanization
- Nature of Urbanization in India
- Trends and Patterns of Urbanization
- Factors of Rapid Urbanization
- Problems of Urbanization – Over Urbanization

**Unit 3: Problems of City Life**

- Poverty – Nature, Causes and Consequences
- Slum – Causes and Consequences
- The Problem of Urban Infrastructure
- Urban Environmental Problems

**Unit 4: Urban Renewal and Urban Governance**

- Urbanization Policy in India
- Urban Renewal Mission –Issues –Problems of Urban Development
- Role of Urban Local Bodies in Urban Development

**Reading List**

- Abrahamson, M. (1980). *Urban Sociology*, Englewood: Prentice Hall
- Bhardwaj, R.K. (1974). *Urban Development in India*, New Delhi: National Publishing House.
- Bose, Ashish (1978). *Studies in Indian Urbanization 1901-1971*, New Delhi and Bombay: Tata Mc Graw Hill.
- Castells, M. (1977). *The Urban Question*. London: Edward Arnold.
- De Souza, Alfred (1979). *The Indian City: Poverty, Ecology and Urban Development*, New Delhi: Manohar.
- Desai A.R. and S.D. Pillai ed. (1970) *Slums and Urbanization*, Bombay: Popular Prakashan.
- Pickvance, G.G. ed. (1976). *Urban Sociology: Critical Essays*, London: Tavistock.
- Quinn J.A. (1955). *Urban Sociology*, New Delhi: S. Chand and Co.
- Ramachandran, R. (1991). *Urbanization and Urban Systems in India*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Ronnan, Paddison ed. (2001). *Handbook of Urban Studies*, London: Sage Publications.
- Saunders, P. (1981). *Social Theory and the Urban Question*. London: Hutchinson.

**SOCIAL DISORGANIZATION AND RECONSTRUCTION (OE)**

**4 CREDITS**

**Unit 1: Introduction**

- Concepts of Disorganization and Social Reconstruction
- Theoretical Approaches to the Study of Disorganization

**Unit 2: Problem of Crime and Delinquency**

- Incidence, Causes, Types of Crime and Remedies
- Cyber Crimes

**Unit 3: Socio-Economic Problems**

- Alcoholism
- Drug Abuse
- Domestic Violence
- Child Labour
- Corruption
- Communal Riots
- Terrorism

**Unit 4: Penological and Correctional Measures**

- Theories of Punishment – Retributive, Deterrent and Reformative
- Law and Social Reconstruction
- NGOs and Social Reform

**Reading List**

- Ahuja, Ram (1997). ***Social Problems in India***, Jaipur: Rawat Publications.
- Ahuja, Ram (2000). ***Criminology***, Jaipur: Rawat Publications.
- Williamson, Hearld E. (1990). ***The Correction Profession***, New Delhi: Sage Publications.
- Gill, S. (1998). ***The Pathology of Corruption***, New Delhi: Harper Collin – Ministry of Home Affairs.
- Parsonage Willam H. (1979). ***Perspective on criminology***, London: Sage Publications.
- Sutherland, Edwin, H and Donald R. Creassy (1968). ***Principles of Criminology***, Bombay: Times of India Press.
- Shankar Dass Rani Dhawan (2000). ***Punishment and the Prison – India and International Perspective***, New Delhi: Sage Publications.
- Reid Sue Titus (1976). ***Crime and Criminology***, Illinois: Deyden Press.
- Varshney, Ashutosh (2003), ***Ethnic Conflict and Civic Life: Hindus and Muslims in India***, New Heaven: Yale University Press.
- Williams, Frank P. and Marilyn D. MC Shane (1998). ***Criminological Theory***, New Jersey: Prentice Hall.

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**APPROACHES TO THE STUDY OF INDIAN SOCIETY (HC) 4 CREDITS**

**Unit – 1: Society in Pre-Colonial India**

- Western Accounts of India
- British Reports on 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> Century India with Special Reference to Village Economy and Education
- British Census of India

**Unit – 2 a. Indological and Textual**

- Louis Dumont
- Govind Sadashiv Ghurye

**b. Structural Functionalism**

- Mysore Narasimhachar *Srinivas*
- Shyama Charan Dube

**c. Marxism**

- Dhurjati Prasad Mukherjee
- Ramakrishna Mukherjee
- Akshaybhai Ramanlal Desai

**d. Synthesis of Textual and Field Views**

- Irawati Karve

**Unit -3: Subaltern Perspective**

- Bhimrao Ramji Ambedkar
- Ranajit Guha
- David Hardiman

**Unit – 4: Current Debates in Indian Sociology**

- Culture and Sub-Culture
- Sociology for India

**Reading List**

- Beteille, Andre (2002). *Sociology: Essays on Approach and Method*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Dahiwale, S.M. ed. (2004). *Indian Society: Non-Brahmanic Perspectives*, Jaipur: Rawat Publications.
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- Das, Veena (2004). *Handbook of Indian Sociology*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Dumont, Louis (1970). *Homo Hierarchicus: The Caste System and its Implications*, Delhi: Oxford University Press.
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- Inden, Ronald (1990). *Imaging India*, Oxford: Basil Black Well.
- Madan, T.N. (1995). *Pathways: Approaches to the Study of Indian Society*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
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- Said, Edward (1979). *Orientalism*, New York: Vintage Books.
- Srinivas, M.N. (1962). *Caste in Modern India and Other Essays*, Bombay: Asia Publishing House.
- Vivek, P.S. (2002). *Sociological Perspectives and Indian Sociology*, Mumbai: Himalaya Publishing House.

**GLOBALIZATION AND INDIAN SOCIETY (HC)**

**4 CREDITS**

**Unit 1: Understanding Globalization**

- The Concept of Globalization and its Historical and Social Context
- Characteristics of Globalization
- The Role of Information and Communication Technology
- Positive and Negative Effects of Globalization

**Unit 2: Agencies of Globalization**

- Political Economy of Globalization
- Agencies of Globalization: Multi-national Corporations (MNCs), Nation, State, Media, Market, Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs), International Agencies (International Monetary Fund and World Bank)

**Unit 3: Theoretical Approaches**

- Roland Robertson
- Immanuel Wallerstein
- Martin Albrow
- Anthony Giddens

**Unit 4: Globalization and the Indian Experience**

- Globalization and Public Policy
- Debate on Globalization
- Impact of Globalization: Trends and Prospects
- Changing Role of the State in the Globalization Era

***Reading List***

- Appadurai, Arjun (1996). ***Modernity at Large***, University of Minnesota Press.
- Applebaum R. and W. Bobinson (2005). ***Critical Global Studies***, New York: Routledge.
- Bremen, Yam (1993). ***Footlost Labour***, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Browning, Halcli, Webster ed. (1996). ***Understanding Contemporary Society: Theories of the Present***, London: Sage Publications.
- Cohen, Robin and M. Shirin ed. ***Global Social Movements***, London: The Athlone Press.
- Giddens, Anthony (2000). ***Runaway World: How Globalization is Reshaping Our Lives***, New York: Routledge.
- Jha, Avinash (2000). ***Background to Globalization***, Mumbai: Centre for Education and Documentation.
- Jogdand, P.G., P.Bansode and N.G.Meshram eds. (2008). ***Globalization and Social Justice***, Jaipur: Rawat Publications.
- Kofman and Young (2003). ***Globalization, Theory and Practice***, London: Continuum.
- Lechner F. and J. Boli ed. (2000). ***The Globalization***, Oxford: Blackwell.
- Schuurman Frans J. ed. (2002). ***Globalization and Development Studies***, New Delhi: Sage Publications.
- Upadhya C. and A.R. Vasavi ed. (2007). ***In an Outpost of the Global Economy: Work and Workers in India's Information Technology Industry***, London: Routledge.
- Waters M. (1995). ***Globalization***, London: Routledge.

**Unit 1: Media and Society: Introduction**

- Scope and Importance of Sociological Study of Media
- Social History of Media
- State, Civil Society and Media in India
- Theoretical Perspectives on Media

**Unit 2: Mass Media**

- Print, Electronic and New Media
- The Use and Abuse of Media – Analysing Media Content from a Development Angle
- Information Flow and Knowledge Society

**Unit 3: Media and Popular Culture**

- Regional - National – Transnational Media
- Representation of Diversity in Media (with specific reference to different types of Media)
- Media Responses to Issues of Deprivation and Exclusion

**Unit 4: Impact of Media on Society**

- Media, Crime and Violence
- Media and Gender Issues
- Impact of Media on Socialization of Youth, Lifestyle and Social Relations
- Media ,Consumerism and Globalization

**Reading List**

- Abbas, Ackbar and John Nguyet Erni (2005). *Internationalizing Cultural Studies: An Anthology*, London: Blackwell.
- Asa Briggs & Burke (2005). *A Social History of the Media*, Cambridge: Polity Press.
- Ash Amin and Nigel Thrift eds. (2004). *Cultural Economy Reader*, London: Blackwell.
- Don Robotham (2005). *Culture, Society and Economy: Bringing Production Back In*, London: Sage Publications.
- Dwyer, Rachel (2010). *Bollywood's India: Hindi Cinema as a Guide to Modern India*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Dwyer, Rachel and C.Pinney ed. (2001). *Pleasure and the Nation: The History of Consumption and Politics of Public Culture in India*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Elizabeth Long ed. (1997). *From Sociology to Cultural Studies*, London: Blackwell.
- Gray, Ann (2005). *Research Practice for Cultural Studies*, London: Sage
- Ingles, David (2005). *Culture and Everyday Life*, London: Routledge
- Jan van Dijk (2006). *The Network Society*, London: Sage Publications.
- Nandy, Ashis (1995). *The Secret Politics of Our Desires*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press
- Niranjana, Tejaswini, P. Sudhir and Vivek Dhareshwar ed. (1995). *Interrogating Modernity: Culture and Colonialism in India*, Calcutta: Seagull.
- Rajgopal, Arvind (2001). *Politics after Television: Hindu Nationalism and the Reshaping of Public in India*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Stuart Hall ed. (1997). *Cultural Representation and Signifying Practices*, London: Sage.

**SOCIAL POLICY AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT (SC)**

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**Unit 1: Introduction**

- Nature, Scope and Significance of study of Social Policies
- Social Policy and Planning for Social Engineering
- Millennium Development Goal
- Emergence of Social Policy and Planning in India
- Role of Social Policy in tackling Social Exclusion

**Unit 2: Policy Frame Work of India**

- Uniform Legal Framework in India and Its impact
- Indian Constitution: Fundamental Rights, Duties and Responsibilities

**Unit 3: Social Development and Planning**

- Rural and Urban Plans in India
- Bottom-up Planning Process – Micro Level Planning – Stakeholder Analysis
- Project Planning using Logical Framework Analysis (LFA)
- Social Infrastructure and Social Development

**Unit 4: Sectoral Approach to Development in India**

- Livelihood Promotion
- Micro-Finance
- Reproductive and Child Health Programmes
- Role of State, International and Civil Society Groups in Sectoral Development

**Reading List:**

- Chaudhury, Sukant K.(2006). **Culture, Ecology and Sustainable Development**, New Delhi: Mittal Publications.
- Council for Social Development (2005). **India Social Development Report**, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Dean, H. (2006). **Social Policy**, Cambridge: Polity Press.
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- Livingstone, A. (1969). **Social Policy in Developing Countries**, London: Routledge and Kegan Paul.
- Madison, B.Q. (1980). **The Meaning of Social Policy**, London: Croom Helm.
- Mathur, Hari Mohan (2008). **India Social Development Report 2008: Development and Displacement**, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Pathak, S. (1981). **Social Welfare: An Evolutionary and Development Perspective**, Delhi: McMillan.
- Sharma, S.L. (1985). **Development: Socio-Cultural Dimensions**, Jaipur: Rawat Publications.
- Venkata Ravi, R., V. N. Reddy and Venkataramana eds. (2004). **Empowerment of People: Grassroot Strategies and Issues**, New Delhi: Kanishka Publishers.

**Unit 1: Introduction**

- Family – Definition, Challenges of Defining a Family Today
- The Expanding Notions of Family in Modern Society
- Family's Shift from Private to Public Domain
- Sociology of Family – Scope and Importance

**Unit 2 : Spectrum of Family Relations**

- Stages of Coupling
- Relations between Spouses through Time – Parenting – Singlehood
- Marital Disunions and Divorce
- Institutions Affecting and Affected by Family – Family Court – Family Counseling

**Unit 3 : The Changing Nature of Modern Marriages and Freedom of Choice**

- Marriage and Family in India
- Impact of Global Trends on Marriage and Family in India
- Changing Life styles and Family

**Unit 4: Challenges of Family Life Today**

- Nurturing the Elderly
- Sick and Dependent Members
- Increasing Parent – Child Divide
- Family Violence
- Invasion of Communication Media and Electronic Gadgets

**Reading List**

- Das, Veena. **Handbook of Indian Family**, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Furguson, Susan (2007). **Shifting the Center: Understanding Contemporary Families**, USA: McGraw Hill.
- Karraker Meg W. and Susan Furguson (2007). **Global Families (Families in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century**, Needham Heights: Allyn & Bacon.
- Newman, David M, Liz Grauerholz and Elizabeth Grauerholz (2002). **Sociology of Families**, California: Pine Forge Press.
- Patel, Tulsi (2005). **The Family in India: Structure and Practice**, New Delhi: Sage Publications.
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Field Based Project – Project Topic is to be decided in consultation with the Guide