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SEM-VI, Lesson Plans

❖ Total Papers Considered From DC-13 and DC-14):

1. **DC-13:** India's Foreign Policy in a Globalizing World
2. **DC-14:** Contemporary Political Economy

❖ Lesson Plan Distribution with Chapter Breakdown & References

Professor Dr. Situ Saikh – DC-13: India's Foreign Policy (10 Classes)

Unit	Topic	Classes	Key References
I	Determinants & Principles of Foreign Policy	2	Rajiv Sikri, Muchkund Dubey
II	India-USA, Russia, China Relations	2	David Malone, C. Raja Mohan
III	India's Neighborhood: Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka	2	V.P. Dutt, Tanham George K
IV	Multilateral Engagements (SAARC, ASEAN, BRICS, EU, UN)	2	C. Raja Mohan, Shashi Tharoor
V	Globalization & Foreign Policy Realignment	2	David Scott, R. Thakur
Total		10	

Professor Mohobub Alam – DC-14: Contemporary Political Economy (10 Classes)

Unit	Topic	Classes	Key References
I	Political Economy: Classical, Marxist, Neo-liberal Approaches	2	Susan Strange, Robert Gilpin, Amartya Sen
II	Globalization and the State	2	Manfred Steger, Joseph Stiglitz
III	Neoliberalism and Welfare State	2	David Harvey, Nancy Fraser
IV	Informal Economy, Environment, Migration	2	Piketty, Saskia Sassen
V	Development Institutions (WTO, IMF, WB) and Critiques	2	Ha-Joon Chang, Joseph Stiglitz
Total		10	

Professor Satya Priya Mitra – DSE: Feminism (5) + Dilemmas in Politics (5) = 10 Classes

♦ DSE: Feminism – Theory and Practice (5 Classes)

Unit	Topic	Classes	Key References
I	Feminist Thought: Liberal to Postmodern	1.5	Kamla Bhasin, Judith Butler, Mary Wollstonecraft
II	Gender & Patriarchy in India	1.5	Uma Chakravarti, Nivedita Menon
III+IV	Movements, Law, Representation, Media	2	Flavia Agnes, Nandita Gandhi, Patricia Uberoi
Total		5	

♦ DSE: Dilemmas in Politics (5 Classes)

Unit	Topic	Classes	Key References
I	Moral Dilemmas in Political Life	1.5	Michael Sandel, Judith Shklar
II	Civil Disobedience, Political Violence	1.5	Gandhi, Hannah Arendt
III+IV	Surveillance, Equality vs Liberty	2	Foucault, Isaiah Berlin, Amartya Sen
Total		5	

❖ Total Papers Considered From - DSE-3A, DSE-4A, DSE-3B, DSE-4B

SEM-VI Lesson Plan Distribution (Total: 30 Classes)

❖ Professor Dr. Situ Saikh – DSE-3A: India's Foreign Policy (10 Classes)

Unit	Topic	Classes	Key References
I	Determinants & Principles	2	Rajiv Sikri, Muchkund Dubey
II	India-USA, Russia, China	2	David Malone, C. Raja Mohan
III	SAARC, Pakistan, Bangladesh	2	V.P. Dutt, T.V. Paul
IV	India in ASEAN, EU, UN, BRICS	2	Tanham George, C. Raja Mohan
V	Globalization & Foreign Policy Shifts	2	David Scott, R. Thakur
Total		10	

❖ Professor Satya Priya Mitra – DSE-4A: Contemporary Political Economy (10 Classes)

Unit	Topic	Classes	Key References
I	Classical, Marxist, Neo-liberal Approaches	2	Gilpin, Susan Strange, Amartya Sen
II	Globalization & Economic Restructuring	2	Joseph Stiglitz, Manfred Steger
III	Neoliberalism & Welfare State	2	David Harvey, Nancy Fraser
IV	Migration, Environment, Informal Economy	2	Thomas Piketty, Saskia Sassen
V	IMF, World Bank, WTO – Critical Views	2	Ha-Joon Chang, Stiglitz
Total		10	

❖ Professor Mohobub Alam – DSE-3B + DSE-4B (10 Classes Total)

DSE-3B: Feminism: Theory and Practice (5 Classes)

Unit	Topic	Classes	Key References
I	Liberal, Socialist, Radical, Postmodern Feminism	1.5	Bhasin, Judith Butler, Simone de Beauvoir
II	Gender, Patriarchy, and Caste in India	1.5	Uma Chakravarti, Leela Dube
III+IV	Movements, Work, Law, Media	2	Nandita Gandhi, Flavia Agnes, Patricia Uberoi
Total		5	

DSE-4B: Dilemmas in Politics (5 Classes)

Unit	Topic	Classes	Key References
I	Moral Responsibility in Politics	1.5	Michael Sandel, Judith Shklar
II	Civil Disobedience, Violence	1.5	Gandhi, Arendt
III+IV	Surveillance, Equality vs Liberty	2	Foucault, Berlin, Amartya Sen
Total		5	

❖ Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) – Political Science**LESSON PLAN DISTRIBUTION (PUBLIC OPINION & SURVEY RESEARCH)****Professor Dr. Situ Saikh – Units I & Part of Unit II (10 Classes)**

Unit	Topic	Classes	Key References
I	Introduction to Public Opinion: Concepts and Types	3	Neuman (Public Opinion), McQuail (Media & Opinion)
I	Importance in Democracy, Public Policy Linkage	2	Walter Lippmann, Noelle-Neumann
II	Methods of Collecting Public Opinion: Surveys, Interviews	5	Converse & Presser (Survey Methodology), A. Bryman
	Subtotal	10	

Professor Mohobub Alam – Units II (cont.) & III (10 Classes)

Unit	Topic	Classes	Key References
II	Focus Group Discussions, Exit Polls, Media Analysis	2	Creswell (Qualitative Inquiry), Election Commission Reports
III	Designing Surveys: Sampling, Questionnaire Construction	4	A. Bryman, J. D. Wright
III	Pilot Surveys, Reliability & Validity	2	Groves et al., Babbie (Survey Research Methods)
III	Quantitative Tools (e.g., Likert Scales, Indexing)	2	Neuman, Likert (Foundational texts)
	Subtotal	10	

Professor Satya Priya Mitra – Unit IV & Applied Practice (10 Classes)

Unit	Topic	Classes	Key References
IV	Field Work: Planning, Ethics, Informed Consent	3	Creswell, Babbie, Fieldwork Guidelines
IV	Data Collection Tools: Forms, Apps, Note-taking	3	ODK, Google Forms, JotForm Manuals
IV	Analysis & Interpretation of Results	2	SPSS Basics, Excel Survey Tools
IV	Writing the Report: Format, Visuals, Policy Use	2	APA Guidelines, UNDP Reporting Toolkit
	Subtotal	10	

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