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Date: 17/10/2025

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| <p>1) The Head,
Concerned Departments,
Shivaji University, Kolhapur</p> | <p>2) The Principal/ Director,
All affiliated Colleges/ Institute,
Shivaji University, Kolhapur.</p> |
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Subject: Regarding revised syllabus of **Ph. D. Coursework** under the Faculty of Humanities as per National Education Policy 2020.

Sir/Madam,

With reference to the subject mentioned above, I am directed to inform you that the university authorities have accepted and granted approval to the revised syllabi, Nature of Question paper and equivalence of **Ph. D. Coursework** under the Faculty of Humanities as per National Education Policy 2020.

1.	History
2.	Political Science
3.	Hindi
4.	Sociology
5.	English

This Syllabus, shall be implemented from the academic year **2025-26** onwards. A soft copy containing the syllabus is attached herewith and it is available on university website www.unishivaji.ac.in **NEP-2020@suk (Online Syllabus)**.

You are therefore, requested to bring this to the notice of all students and teachers concerned.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,


Dr. S. M. Kubal
Dy. Registrar

Encl. : As above.

Copy to: For Information and necessary action.

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5	B.Sc. / M.Sc. Exam Section	11	I.T. Cell / Computer Centre
6	Eligibility Section	12	Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)

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New Syllabus For

COURSE OF PH. D. COURSE WORK

**UNDER
Faculty of Humanities**

Political Science

(TO BE IMPLEMENTED FROM ACADEMIC YEAR 2025-26 ONWARDS)

SHIVAJI UNIVERISITY, KOLHAPUR
NEW REVISED SYLLABUS FOR COURSE OF PH.D. COURSE WORK

1. TITLE:- Subject: **Political Science**

Optional/Compulsory under the Faculty of Humanities

2. YEAR OF IMPLEMENTATION:- New/Revised Syllabus will be implemented from **June 2025** onwards.

3. PREAMBLE:- The Compulsory and optional papers under the course of Ph.D. course work shall involve three Papers. All the three papers are designed in order to keep the researchers well informed about the advances in Political Science and help the students pursue research in Political Science with a theoretical perspective

I. Foundations of Research

II. Recent Trends in Political Science.

III. Optional Paper (Specialization based on the topic of research opted by candidate) (Any one should be opted)

A. Indian Constitution and Political Process : Recent Trends

B. Advances in Public Administration

C. Study of Classics

D. Modern Political Analysis

4. DURATION:-

Refer to Shivaji University Ph.D. Brochure.

5. PATTERN:-

Pattern of Examination will be Annual in respect Ph.D. Introduced from **June 2025** onwards.

6. NATURE OF QUESTION PAPER AND SCHEME OF MARKING:-

The nature of question paper for the subject / paper shall be indicated below:

a. Short answered questions

(Any four out of six questions)

(20 Marks)

b. Long answered questions

(Any two out of four questions)

(20 Marks)

c. Short notes

(Any four out of six questions)

(20 Marks)

d. Problems/Cases/ Exercise Oriented Questions

(Any one out of two questions)

(20 Marks)

Note: Question paper should focus on all units in the syllabus.

PH. D. COURSE WORK

POLITICAL SCIENCEYear of Implementation: from **June 2025**

Paper–I (Compulsory Paper)

Title of Paper: Foundations of Research

Specific Objectives: Research at Ph.D. course is essential for the subjects like Political Science. It finds selection to the problems in the field as well as equip the students with research theory and skills for conduct of research at doctoral, post-doctoral levels and undertake need based research projects and for the development of the society as a whole. The transaction tools like; discussion, group work, seminar, use of web resources, library resources can be used for teaching the paper.

	No. of lectures
Unit 1: Fundamentals of research	15
a) Research in Political Science	
b) Basic principles of research	
c) Ethics in research	
d) Preparation of proposal (Synopsis)	
e) Review of literature, objectives and hypothesis of research	
f) Research designs, sampling social survey, field study method	
g) Creativity, innovation, originality and advancement of knowledge and application to the society	
Unit 2: Research Methods	15
a) Historical, comparative, statistical, qualitative, quantitative	
b) Types and sources of data	
c) Data analysis, Interpretation of data	
d) Tabulation and graphical representation	
e) Central tendency, Dispersion, Correlation, Regression	
Unit 3: Computer application for research	15
a) Word processing	
b) Data processing	
c) Graphical processing	
d) Use of web tools for research	

- e) Use of excel
- f) Use of SPSS
- g) Use of graphical software
- h) Use of multimedia tools

Unit 4: Report Writing and evaluation

15

- a) Report writing and the writing of research papers
- b) Presentation of research : Oral and Written
(abstracts, viva-voce)
- c) Reference style and annexure
- d) Evaluation of research and referee report

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3. Dr. Raj Kumar, Methodology & Social Science Research. Book Enclave- Jaipur.
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6. Galtung Johan, (1974), Theory and Methods of Social Research, George Allan and Unwin Ltd, New Delhi.
7. Kothari C. R. (2008), Research Methodology- Methods and Techniques, Wiley and Eastern Ltd. New Delhi.
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Paper–II (Compulsory Paper)

Title of Paper – Recent Trends in Political Science

Specific Objectives: The Paper on Recent trends in Political Science would help the research students understand the newly developing trends in the subject of Political Science. This Paper would be able to lead the student in the research work from theoretical Perspective.

No of Lectures

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| <p>Unit –I: Political Theory</p> <p>a) Modernism and Post Modernism
b) Communitarianism
c) Multiculturalism</p> | <p>[15]</p> |
| <p>Unit-II: International Politics</p> <p>a) Politics of Globalized Economy – Its impact on World Politics
b) Emergence of Multi-polar world
c) Regional Organizations and recent Trends</p> | <p>[15]</p> |
| <p>Unit III: Comparative Politics</p> <p>a) Federalism and recent trends
b) Challenge to Parliamentary Democracy, Judicial Review and Judicial Activism
c) Ethnicity, Religion based issue</p> | <p>[15]</p> |
| <p>Unit–IV: Public Administration</p> <p>a) New Liberalism and its impact on Public Administration
b) PPP: its impact on policy formation
c) Sustainable development</p> | <p>[15]</p> |

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- 3) Bhargava Rajeev, Amiyakumar Bagchi, (Ed.) Multiculturalism, Liberalism, Democracy, (1999), Oxford.
- 4) Baylis John and Steve Smith, Globalization of World Politics, (2002), London Oxford U.P.
- 5) Kegley Charles and Eugene R. Wittkof, World Politics Trends and Transformation, (2001), Boston St. Martins.
- 6) David Held and Anthony McGrew, The Global Transformations Reader, (2000), Blackwell Publishers.
- 7) Susan Strange, The Retreat of the State: The Diffusion of Power in the World Economy, (1996), Cambridge University Press.
- 8) Robert Keohane, The political Economy of International Relation, (2001).
- 9) John Rawls, Political Liberalism, (1993), Columbia University Press, Columbia.
- 10) E. Said, Orientalism, (2006), Oxford University Press.
- 11) Rao M. S. A., Social Movement in India, (1978), New Delhi (Vol.I&II) Manohar publishers.
- 12) Shiva Vandana, Staying Alive: Women, Ecology and Survival in India Kali for women, (1988) New Delhi.
- 13) Omvet Gail, Reinventing Revolution- New Social Movements and the Socialist Tradition in India, (1993), New York, M. E. Sharp.
- 14) Omvet Gail, Dalit Visions: The Anti-caste movement and the Construction of an Indian Identity, (1995), Hyderabad, Orient Longman.
- 15) Betty Friedman M. Meis, Eco- feminism, Atlantic Highlands NJ., 1993.
- 16) M. Evans, (ed.) The Woman Question, Fontana, London, 1972
- 17) S. Firestone, "The Dialectics of sex, Bantom Books, New York, 1917"
- 18) B. Friedman, "The Feminine Mystique," Pengain, Harmondsworth, 1965.
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- 22) Bhargava Rajeev, Amiyakumar Bagchi, (Ed.) Multiculturalism, Liberalism, Democracy, (1999), Oxford.

Optional Papers

Paper–III [A] **Indian Constitution and Political Process: Recent Trends**

Specific Objectives: This Paper would help the students to examine a wide range of emerging issue in Indian politics. Indian Politics has been drastically changing particularly with the new economic policy adopted by the Indian government. This Paper attempts to enlighten the students of Political Science on basic Issues like Center State Conflicts & Regional Identity. Politics of Coalitions, Role of caste in Indian Politics and Indian Political Economy. The Paper would be helpful for research Students to analyze Indian Politics and Political Process.

No of Lectures

Unit–I : Indian Constitution [15]

- a) Constitutional Amendment for Social Justice and its impact on political process
- b) Democratic Decentralization
- c) Formation of new States

Unit- II : Changing nature of Parliamentary Politics [15]

- a) Changing nature of Federal System
- b) Judicial Review, Judicial Activism & PIL
- c) The rise of backward castes in Indian Politics.

Unit III : Party System [15]

- a) Changing nature of Indian Party System
- b) Rise of regional politics and coalition
- c) Decline of Congress Party and emergence of BJP

Unit– IV : Political Economy [15]

- a) India's Model of Economic Development (1950-1990)
- b) Decline of Welfare State
- c) Globalization and its impact on Indian Economy

Basic Reading

- 1) Kothari Rajni, 2009 Reprinted, Politics In India, New Delhi, Orient Blackswan.
- 2) Ram Sundar (ed.) 2000, Coalition Politics in India, Jaipur, National Publishing House.
- 3) Hasan Zoya (ed.) 2002, Parties and Party Politics in India, New Delhi, Oxford University.
- 4) Kaviraj Sudipto (ed.) 1997, Politics in India, New Delhi, Oxford University Press.
- 5) Brass Paoul, 1990, Politics of India since Independence, New Delhi, foundation books.
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- 6) Pawar Prakash 2009, Maharashtrachya Navya Rajkarnachi punarravachna, Pune, Pratima Prakashan.

Journals

- 1) Economic & Political weekly Jan 13-20 1996 August 21-28 1999
- 2) Seminar No. 480, August 1999.
- 3) Samaj Probadhan Patrika.
- 4) Sadhana
- 5) Journal of Indian Political Science Associations.
- 6) A Democratic Balance : Bureacracy, Political Parties and Political Representation. – Pradeep Chibber.
- 7) Caste Association in the post Mandal Era. Notes from Maharashtra – Rajeshwari Deshpande.
- 8) State level coalition Governments and Federal Calculation. Is a State Politics an Autonomys Domain? – Kailas K. K.

Paper III [B] Advances in Public Administration

Specific Objectives:

1. To explain different approaches to the Study of Public Administration
2. To elaborate recent trends in Public Administration
3. To analyze impact of globalization on Public Administration

No. of Lectures

Unit1: Different Approaches to Public Administration **15**

- a) Scientific Management Approach
- b) Human Relations Approach
- c) Ecological Approach
- d) Behavioral Approach

Unit2: Public Policy **15**

- a) Public Policy
- b) Public Policy Formation
- c) Public Policy Implementation
- d) Public Policy Evaluation

Unit3: Recent Trends in Public Administration **15**

- a) Government agencies, Non- government agencies
- b) E-Governance
- c) Digital Governance

Unit4: Public Administration and Globalization **15**

- a) Lokpal, Right to Information
- b) Disaster Management
- c) Redressal of Public Grievances

Basic Reading:

- 1) Chakrabarty, Vidyut and Mohit Bhattacharya (2006). Public Administration : A Reader, Oxford University Press, New Delhi.
- 2) Sharma, M. P. and B. L. Saldana (2010). Public Administration in Theory and a. Practice, Kitab Mahal, New Delhi.
- 3) Bhattacharya, Mohit (2009). New Horizons of Public Administration, Jawahar Publishers, New Delhi
- 4) Riggs, Fredrick (1964). Administration in Developing Countries, Boston Houghton Mifflin.
- 5) Awasthi and Maheshwari (1962). Public Administration, Laxmi Narain Agarwal Publishers, New Delhi.

Additional Reading:

- 1) Maheshwari, S. R. (2000). Public Administration in India, Macmillan India.
- 2) Dubhashi, P. R. (1995). Recent Trends in Public Administration, Kaveri Publication.
- 3) Shamsul Haque, M. (1996). 'The Intellectual Crisis in Public Administration in the Current Epoch of Privatization', Administration and Society, Vol 27, N0.4.
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- 5) Reddy, Sanjeev P. L. and R. K. Tiwari (2006). Democracy and Public Administration, Volume I and II, Indian Institute of Public Administration, New Delhi.

Journals:

- 1) Indian Journal of Public Administration, Indian Institute of Public Administration.
- 2) Governance: An International Journal of Policy, Administration and Institutions, Wiley-Blackwell
- 3) Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory, Oxford Journals
- 4) International Journal of Public Administration, Routledge

Paper–III [C] – Study of Classics in Political Philosophy

Specific Objectives: Study of Classics in Political Philosophy is introduced with the objective of imparting skills of textual analysis, which is very important in normative research

Unit I. **Social Contract : Jean Jacques Rousseau**

Unit II. **Rights of Men : Thomas Paine**

Unit III. **Hind Swarajya : Mahatma Gandhi**

Unit IV. **Annihilation of Caste : Dr. B. R. Ambedkar**

Paper –III [D] – Modern Political Analysis

Specific Objectives: It proceeds to examine a wide range of issue on political analysis as identified new areas emerging in Political theory. It elaborates and elucidates concept of Functionalism and structuralism, Political culture, Political Socialization and Political Development.

No of Lectures

Unit–I Introduction	15
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Emergence, nature, significance and scope of Modern Political Analysis b) Major Approaches to the study of Political Analysis: Structural, Functional and System approach 	
Unit-II Major Areas of Political Analysis	15
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Political Ideology b) Political Behaviouralism – Post Behaviouralism c) Political Participation d) Political Recruitment 	
Unit–III Political Culture and Political Socialization.	15
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Characteristics and types of Political Culture and concept of Civic Culture b) Political Culture – Elites and Political Leadership c) Political Socialization – Agencies of Socialization, Role of Social Media. d) Political Communication – Karl Deutsch 	
Unit–IV Political Development and Political Modernization	15
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Gabriel Almond and G. B. Powell’s Political Development b) Lucian Pye’s Development Syndrome c) David Apter’s Paradigm of the Developing Countries d) Samuel Huntington - Political Development and Political Modernization 	

Recommended Reading:

Books

1. Dahl R. A. Modern Political Analysis New Delhi. Prentice Hall of India. 1997.
2. Willkymlickca, Contemporary Political Philosophy - An Introduction. Oxford clarenton Press. 2005
- 3) N. Jayapalan Modern Political Analysis, Altuited.
3. Kohl E. J. A Framework of Political Analysis, New Jersey : prentice Hall 1978.
- 4) Charles worth J. C. Ed. Contemporary Political Analysis New York : Free Press 1967.
- 5) David Easton Ed. Varieties of Political Theory, New Jersey : Prentice Hall 1966
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- 8) Ray S. N. Modern Comparative Politics New Delhi : Prentice Hall of India 1999.
- 9) Young R. Approaches to the study of Politics, Ecanston : North Western University Press. 1958.
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- 2) Political Behaviors
- 3) Philosophy of Science
- 4) IJPS – IPSA – Indian Political Science Association
- 5) Economic and Political weekly
- 6) Mainstream
- 7) Political Analysis