

**DEPARTMENT OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
MA SYLLABUS**

Semester I

INT-PG-C101: Introduction to International Relations: Concepts and Theories

Unit I: The Nature of International Relations Theory

History and scope of the Discipline

Traditional and Scientific Approaches in International Relations

Post-positivist Approach

Major Concepts

State, Sovereignty; Power/Hegemony, National interest; Security, Anarchy

Civil Society; Citizenship, Identity; Gender; Cosmopolitanism

Globalisation, Poststructuralism, Green Politics

Unit II: Traditional Theories in IR

Realisms

Liberalisms

Marxism

International Society/English School

Unit III: Emerging Theories in IR: An Introduction

Critical Theories

Constructivisms

Post-Structural Theories

Unit IV: Indian Writings of International Relations

Anticolonialism

Nonalignment

Survey of Indian Writings in IR

Essential Readings

Bajpai, Kanti and Siddharth Mallavarapu (eds.), *International Relations In India: Bringing Theory Back Home* (New Delhi: Orient Longman, 2005)

Baldwin, David, ed., *Neorealism and Neoliberalism: The Contemporary Debate* (New York: Columbia University Press, 1993).

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Burchill, Scott et al, *Theories of International Relations* 4th (ed.) (London: Palgrave, 2001)

- Christian Reus-Smith and Duncan Snidal, (eds.) *Oxford Handbook of International Relations* (2008)
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- Jackson and Sorenson, *Introduction to International Relations*
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- Ken Booth, and Steve Smith (eds) *Positivism and Beyond: International Relations Theory Today* (Oxford: Polity Press, 1995).
- Keohane, Robert O. and Joseph N. Nye (1977), *Power and Interdependence*. Chapters 1-3.
- Lapid, Yosef "The Third Debate: On the Prospects of International Theory in a Post-Positivist Era," *International Studies Quarterly*, vol. 33, no. 3 (September 1989), pp. 235-254;
- Smith, Steve, 'The Development of International Relations as a Social Science', *Millennium*, vol. 16, no. 2 (1987), pp. 189-206.
- Vasquez, J., "The Post-Positivist Debate" ch.10 in Booth & Smith, eds.

INT-PG-C102: Introduction to Political Thought

Unit I: The Nature of Political Thought, Theory and Philosophy

What is Political Theory/Philosophy? Why do we study Political Thought?
 How do we study history of ideas?
 Political Thought: Indian and Western Tradition

Unit II: Sovereignty

Concept, Meanings and Usages
 Machiavelli on the Prince's Power
 Sovereignty in the Social Contract Tradition
 Contemporary Debates on Sovereignty: Michel Foucault, Giorgio Agamben

Unit III: Liberty

Historical development of the concept: Different Traditions of Interpreting Liberty
 Locke on Liberty as a Natural Right
 J.S. Mill's Defence of Personal Liberty
 'Negative' and 'Positive' Liberty in Modern Political Thought
 Contemporary Debates: John Rawls, Charles Taylor, Michael Sandel (Communitarian Critique)

Unit IV: Equality

Rousseau's Vision of Democratic Equality
 J.S. Mill on Equality of Opportunity and on Equal Status for Women
 Marx on Equality in a Communist Society
 Contemporary Debates: John Rawls, Robert Nozick

Essential Readings:

Agamben, Giorgio: *Homo Sacer, Sovereign Power and Bare Life* 1995.

Jones Tudor, *Modern Political Thinkers and Ideas: An Historical Introduction*, London, Routledge, 2002.
Mill, J.S *Three essays: On Liberty, Representative Government and the Subjugation of Women* (intro. By R. Wollheim), Oxford, oup, 1975.
Plamanatz, J. *Man and Society*, Vol. I & Vol. 2, London, Longman, 1965.
S. Avineri, *The Social and Political Thought of Karl Marx*, Cambridge, CUP, 1968.
Sabine, G.H., *A History of Political Theories*, Oxford & IBH Publishing House, New Delhi, 1973.
Skinner, Q. “Meaning and Understanding in the History of Ideas”, *History*, 1969.
Smart, Barry (1994). Michel Foucault. New York: Routledge

INT-PG-C103: India’s Foreign Policy-I

Unit I: An Introduction to India’s Foreign policy

Historical origins and Determinants

Institutions and Actors in the Making of India’s Foreign Policy: Parliament, Cabinet, Political parties, Pressure Groups, Foreign Policy Planning, Bureaucracy, Military, National Security Council and Personalities

Unit II: Strategic Aspects in Indian Foreign Policy

Defining Strategy

Grand Strategy and Strategic Culture

Strategic Thinking in India-Historical Roots

Ashoka, Mughals and the Colonial India

Classical and Modern Strategic Thinkers in India

Mahabharata, Ramayana and Arthashastra

Nehru, Tagore, Gandhi, Patel, Iqbal, Ambedkar and M.N. Roy

Contemporary Indian Strategic Thinking

Does India think strategically?

Post-Independence Strategic thinkers - KM Panikkar, K. Subramaniam

India and the Nuclear Debate- Disarmament, CTBT, NPT, Nuclear Deal

Unit III: Defence Policy of India

Defence Policy Making – Actors/Institutions and Processes

Key Features of Indian Defence Policy

Defence Cooperation

Indian Maritime Policy

India and the Indian Ocean: Strategic Aspects

Unit IV: Indian Foreign Policy: Emerging Issues

Terrorism

Energy

Piracy

Internal Security Concern

Essential Readings:

- Jain, B. M., *Global Power: India's Foreign Policy 1947-2006* (Lexington Books, 2008)
- Rajan, Mannaraswamighala Sreeranga, *Studies on India's Foreign Policy* (ABC Pub. House, 1993)
- Jayapalan, N., *Foreign policy of India* (Atlantic Publishers & Distributors, 2001)
- Gupta, K.R. & Vatsala Shukla, *Foreign Policy Of India* (Atlantic Publishers & Distributors, 2009)
- Mansingh, Lalit et al, eds., *Indian Foreign Policy: Agenda for the 21st Century*, Vol.1 and 2, New Delhi: Foreign Services Institute with Konark, 1998)
- Sinha, A. and M. Mohta (eds), *Indian Foreign Policy: Challenges and Opportunities*, (New Delhi: Academic Foundation. 2003)
- P. M Kamat, *Emerging International Order and Foreign Policy Options for India* (Indian Academy of Social Sciences, 1999)

INT-PG-C104: International Organization and Global Governance

Unit I: Introduction to International Organizations and Global Governance

Rationale and Scope

Unit II: Historical Legacy of International Organization and Global Governance

- The League of Nations
- The United Nations
- United Nations in the Post-Cold Cold War Era
 - Reforming the United Nations
 - Peacekeeping Operation
 - UN and Humanitarian Intervention
 - UN and Global Environmental Issues

Unit III: International Financial Institutions

Breton Woods System
WTO

Unit IV: Non States Actors in Global Governance

- Globalization and Non-States Actors
- Global Civil Society
- Sports and International Organisation
- MNCs, TNCs

Essential Readings

Abbot, Kenneth and Snidal, Duncan, "Why States Act Through Formal Organizations", *Journal of Conflict Resolution* Vol. 42, No. 1 February 1998, pp. 3-32

- Albrecht Schnabel & Ramesh Thakur, "From An Agenda for Peace to the Brahmi Report: Towards a New Era of UN Peace Operation"
- Barnett, Michael and Duvall, Raymond (Eds), *Power in Global Governance* (Cambridge University Press)
- Devesh Kapur, "The IMF: A Cure or a Curse?" *Foreign Policy*, No 111 (summer, 1998) , pp 114-129
- Fred Haliday, "Global Governance: Prospects and Problems, *Citizenship Studies*, Vol 4, No 1, 2000
- Inis Claude, *Swords into Plowshares: The Problems and Progress of International Organizations*(Delhi: Anupam Publications(reprint), 1987)
- Karns, Margaret P. and Mingst, Karen A., *International Organizations: The Politics and Process of Global Governance* (New Delhi: Viva Books, 2005)
- Margaret E Keck & Kathryn Sikkink, *Activist Beyond Borders: Advocacy Network in International Politics* (Cornell Univ Press, 1998)
- Peter Coffey, " The Background to and the Creation of the Original Bretton Woods System" in Peter Coffey & Robert J Riley, *Reforms of the International Institutions, the IMF, World Bank and the WTO*
- Roland Paris, "Peacekeeping and the Constraints of Global Culture" ,*European Journal Of International Relations*, Vol 9 (3), 2003, pp 441-73
- Thomas G Weiss & Karen E Young, "Compromise and Credibility: Security Council Reform?," *Security Dialogue*
- Vijay Kelkar, Vikash Yadav and Praveen Chaudhry, "Reforming the Governance of the International Monetary Fund"

Semester II

INT-PG-C201: Contemporary Theories of International Relations

Unit I: Introduction

Explaining or Understanding International Relations?
The Post structural turn in IR Theory

Unit II: Neo Marxist/Critical Theories in International Relations

Neo-Gramscianism – Gramsci, Cox
The Frankfurt School - Habermas, Linklater
Historical Sociology

Unit III: Major Theories in Contemporary IR

Constructivisms
Normative Approaches
Feminist Theories
Postmodernism and IR Theory
Post-colonialism and IR

Unit IV: Globalisation and IR Theory

Globalisation & State

Beyond Great Divide

Cosmopolitanism & Communitarianism

Essential Readings

- Ashley, Richard and R.B.J. Walker, 'Reading Dissidence/Writing the Discipline: Crisis and the Question of Sovereignty in International Studies,' *International Studies Quarterly* 34 (1990) 367-416.
- Ashley, Richard K. Living on Border Lines: Man, Poststructuralism, and War. In . By James Der Derian and Michael Chapiro, ed, *International/intertextual Relations. Postmodern Readings of World Politics*. (New York: Lexington Books, 1989). Pp. 259-322.
- Barnett, Michael "Social Constructivism," *The Globalization of World Politics*, pp. 251-270.
- Bhabha, Homi, "Postcolonial Criticism." In Stephen Greenblatt and Giles Gunn , eds, *Redrawing the boundaries: The Transformation of English and American Literary Studies* (New York: Modern Languages Association of America, 1992), pp. 437-465.
- Bieler Andreas, and Adam David Morton, 'The Gordian Knot of Agency-Structure in International Relations: A Neo-Gramscian Perspective,' *European Journal of International Relations* 7:1 (2001) 5-35.
- Booth, Ken and Steve Smith, eds. *International Relations Theory Today*, (Cambridge: Polity, 1995).
- Burchill , Scott et al, *Postmodernism in Theories of International Relations 2nd ed* (London: Palgrave,2001)
- Campbell, David, ed, *Writing Security: United States Foreign Policy and the Politics of Identity*,. (Minneapolis: University of Minnesota Press, 1998).
- Chris Brown (1992). *International Relations Theory: New Normative Approaches*. Chapters 5-7.
- Cox, Robert "Gramsci, Hegemony, and International Relations: An Essay in Method." *Millennium* 12: 162-175. (1983).
- Cox, Robert W. 'Social Forces, States and World Orders: Beyond International Relations Theory,' in *Approaches to World Order*, Robert W. Cox with Timothy Sinclair (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1996) 85-123.
- Cox, Robert W. *Production, Power and World Order: Social Forces in the Making of History* (New York: Columbia University Press, 1987).
- Darby, Philip, "Postcolonialism" in Philip Darby (ed.), *At the Edge of International Relations: Post-colonialism, Gender and Dependency* (London: Continuum , 1997)
- Der Derian, James. The Boundaries of Knowledge and Power in International Relations. In James Der Derian and Michael Chapiro (eds), *International/Intertextual Relations. Postmodern Readings of World Politics* (New York: Lexington Books, 1989). Pp. 3-10.
- Devetak, Richard 'Critical Theory,' in *Theories of International Relations*, 2nd ed. Scott Burchill et al, (London: Palgrave, 2001) 155-180.
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- Spivak , Gayatri Chakravorty. “Poststructuralism, Marginality, Postcoloniality and Value.” In Peter Collier and Helga Geyer-Ryan, eds, , *Literary Theory Today*, (Ithaca NY: Cornell UP, 1990), pp. 219-239.

INT-PG-C202: Comparative Politics

Unit I: Comparative Politics: Introductory Concepts and Approaches

Meaning, Nature, Scope, Development
Traditional and Modern Approaches

Unit II: The State in Comparative Analysis

Development of Modern State
Liberal Democratic and Totalitarian States
Democracy, Federalism and Democratic Decentralization

Unit III: Colonialism, Nationalism and Movements

Colonialism, Nationalism and emergence of Nation/s; Theories of Movements, New Social Movements

Unit VII: Post-Colonial States and State-building

The Idea of Third world
Political Power and Social Classes in the Post Colonial World
Civil-Military Relationship

Essential Readings:

- Alavi, Hamza and T. Shanin., (eds.), *Introduction to the Sociology of Developing Societies*, London: Macmillan, 1982.
- Alavi, Hamza, , ‘State in Post Colonial Societies’, *New Left Review*, No. 74, 1974.
- Benedict Anderson, *Imagined Communities: Reflections on the Origin and Spread of Nationalism*, London, Verso, 1991
- Chilcote, Ronald H., *Theories of Comparative Politics: The Search for a Paradigm*, 2nd ed. Boulder: Westview Press, 1994.
- Doornboos, Martin and Sudipta Kaviraj (Ed) *Dynamics of State Formation: India and Europe Compared*, Sage Publications, 1997.
- Goldthorpe, J.E., *The Sociology of the Third World*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1975.
- Goulbourne, H., (ed.) *Politics and State in Third World*, London: Macmillan, 1979.
- Henderson, Karen and Neil Robinson, *Post-Communist Politics*, London: Prentice-Hall, 1977.
- Huntington, Samuel P., *The Third Wave: Democratization in the Late Twentieth Century*. Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 1991.

Jalal, Ayesha, *Democracy and Authoritarianism in South Asia: A Comparative and Historical Perspective* (Cambridge University Press, 1995)
Migdal, Joel S., *Strong Societies and Weak States* (Princeton University Press, 1988)
Partha Chatterjee, *Nation and its Fragments*, New Delhi, Oxford, 1994.
Smith, B.C., *Understanding Third World Politics*, London: Macmillan Press, 1996.
Tom Mertes (ed.), *A Movement of Movements: Is Another World Really Possible?* Verso, London, 2004.
Wolfgang Sachs (eds), *The Development Dictionary*, Orient Longman, Delhi, 1997.

INT-PG-C203: India's Foreign Policy-II

Unit I: Introduction

Indian Economic Policy

Nehruvian/socialist Phase

Liberalisation phase

Unit II: Diplomacy: Aspects of Indian Diplomacy

Conference Diplomacy

Summit/Track Two Diplomacy/ Economic Diplomacy

India and International Institutions

United Nations - Security Council, Peace Keeping Missions, ICJ

UN Reforms and India

Unit III: Foreign Economic Policy/Diplomacy

Liberalization and Globalisation of Indian Economy

Structural Adjustment Programme and India and International Economic Institutions - World Bank, IMF and WTO

India's Foreign Trade Policy

Trade with Developed Economies

Trade with Emerging Economies

India and South-South Trade Co-operation

India and the Regional Cooperation/Integration-SAFTA and ASEAN

Economic Groupings - G-77 and G-20

Unit IV: Socio-Cultural Dimensions of Indian foreign Policy

'Soft Power' and Foreign Policy

Transnational Cultural Linkages

Indian Diaspora as Foreign policy's leverage

Emerging Challenges

Immigration/migration

Trafficking

India and Climate Change debates

Technology and Energy

Essential Readings

- Bandopadhyaya, Jayantanuja, *The Making of India's Foreign Policy* (Calcutta: Allied Publishers, 2003)
- Chandra, Bipan, *India After Independence 1947-2000* (New Delhi: Penguin, 2000)
- Harshe, Rajen and K.M.Seethi (eds.), *Engaging With the World: Critical Reflections on India's Foreign Policy* (Hyderabad: Orient Longman, 2005), pp.25-40
- Kapur, Harish, *India's Foreign Policy – Shadows and Substance* (New Delhi: Sage, 1994)
- Ramakrishnan, A.K., “Neoliberal Globalist Transformations in India's Foreign Policy: Implications for West Asia and North Africa”, in Anwar Alam (ed.), *India and West Asia in the Era of Globalisation* (New Delhi: New Century Publications, 2008), pp.25-30
- Shastri, Amita and Wilson, Jeyaratnam (Eds), *The Post-Colonial States of South Asia Democracy, Development and Identity* (Palgrave Macmillan 2001)
- J. N Dixit *Assignment Colombo* (New Delhi: Konarak Publishers, 1998)
- Stephen P. Cohen, *India Emerging Power*, New Delhi, Oxford University Press, 2002
- Wilson, Jeyaratnam and Dalton, Dennis (Eds), *The States of South Asia* (New Delhi: [Vikas](#))

INT-PG-C204: International Law

Unit I: Sources and Functions of International Law

- Definition, Historical Development of present system of international law
- Article 38 of the ICJ Statute
- Scope of General Principles of Law Recognized by Civilized States
- Asian-African Approach to International Law
- Relationship between Municipal and International Law**
- Monism and dualism
- Contribution of municipal law in the development of International law
- Transposition of international law within municipal system
- Reconciling conflictual situation

Unit II: Law of Treaties

- Vienna Convention on Law of Treaties, 1969
- Interpretation of Treaties
- Enforcement of and Compliance with Treaty Obligations
- Dispute Settlement for Breach of a Treaty

Unit III: Subjects of International Law

States as primary subject:

Case Study: *Reparations for Injuries Suffered in the Service of the UN, 1949*

State Jurisdiction and Responsibility

Jurisdiction

- Right to Self-determination and emergence of ‘new states’
- Modes of Acquisition of Title to Territory
- Sovereign jurisdiction [including air space and maritime boundaries] and exceptions

Extra-territorial jurisdiction [diplomatic missions; ships; aircraft; universal crimes etc.]

Diplomatic Immunities and Privileges

Extradition and Asylum

Responsibility

Basis and Nature of State responsibility

Legal Injury to the State and issue of 'reparations'

Train Smelter Arbitration (1941); *Corfu Channel case (1949)*; *Nicaragua case (1986)*; *Gabsicovo v. Nagymaros case (1997)*

The International Law Commission and "The Draft Articles on Responsibility of States for internationally wrongful acts"

International Organization: Legal Personality of IOs: *Reparations for Injuries case (1949)*;

Illegality committed by organs of IOs (such as the Security Council)

Non-State Entities [including liberation movements] and individuals

Unit IV: International Law and Its Varied Aspects

International Human Rights Law

UN Charter and international law of human rights.

Universal Declaration of Human Rights, 1948

1966 Covenants (economic, social and cultural as well as civil and political rights)

Institutions: UN Council for Human Rights; UN High Commissioner for Human Rights

Rights of Rights Internal/External Displaced Person

Rights of the Refugees; Minorities and Indigenous People

Humanitarian Intervention and International Law

Law of the Sea

Historical Background; the Third United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea and the 1982 United Nations Convention

Common Heritage of Mankind and 1994 Special Agreement: Mutilation of an Ideal?

Maritime Boundaries (issue delimitation) and relevant case law before the ICJ and Inter. Tribunal for Law of the Sea

Marine Pollution and Marine Scientific Research

Watercourse Law

Historical Background and Basic Principles on sharing of waters by riparian states

Convention on the Non-Navigable Uses of International Watercourses

UN Convention on International Watercourses

International Trade Law

International economic system

GATT and WTO system

Dispute Settlement Forum.

International Environmental Law

Background and General Principles

Stockholm Declaration; the Rio Declaration; Johannesburg Declaration

Multilateral Environmental Law-making Process

International Environmental Institutions

Select MEAs: CITES; CMS; Ozone; UNFCCC; CBD; Basel; Bio-Safety

Essential Readings

- 1997 UN Convention on International Watercourses*, reprinted in *American Journal of International Law*, vol 92, 1998, pp.97-107
- Anand, R.P, "Common Heritage of Mankind: Mutilation of an Ideal", *Indian Journal of International Law*, vol.37, 1997, pp. 1-18
- Brownie, Ian, *Principles of Public International Law* (Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1998
- Case Concerning Military and Paramilitary Activities in and Against Nicaragua* (Nicaragua vs. United States), ICJ Reports 1986, pp.97-112 (paras 183-214)
- ILC Convention on the Non-Navigable Uses of International Watercourses* reprinted in *36 International Legal Materials* 300(1997)
- Indo-Bangladesh Treaty on River Mahakali*, reprinted in *36 International Legal Materials* 531 (1997)
- International Law Commission Final Draft Articles on State Responsibility, *ILC Yearbook 2001* (ILC's Report to the UN General Assembly)
- Lauterpacht, H., *International Law and Human Rights* (New York: Garland, 1973)
- Reparation for Injuries Suffered in the Service of the United Nations Case*, ICJ Reports 1949, pp. 174-89
- Sands, Philippe, *Principles of International Environmental Law*, 2nd ed., (Cambridge University Press, 2003)
- Shaw, Malcolm N, *International Law* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1997)
- Shearer, I A., *Starke's International Law*, 11th Edition, Oxford University Press, 2007.
- Texts of GATT and WTO (Final Act of Uruguay Round of Trade Negotiations)
- The Agreement Relating to the Implementation of Part XI of the UN Convention on the Law of the Seas of 10 December 1982*, reprinted in *Indian Journal of International Law*, vol. 37, 1997, pp. 503-26
- The UN Convention on the Law of the Seas*, 1982, reprinted in *Indian Journal of International Law*, vol.22, 1982, pp. 491-662
- Vienna Convention on the Law of Treaties, 1969*, reprinted in R.P Anand, *Salient Documents in International Law* (New Delhi: Banyan Publications, 1994), pp. 171-209.

Semester III

INT-PG-C301: International Political Economy

Unit I: Introduction to International Political Economy

The Evolution and Nature

General Theories of International Political Economy

Neo-liberalism, Marxism, Welfare state, Dependency and World System, Complex Interdependence/Hegemonic Stability

Unit II: Theories of International Trade

Economic Theories of International Trade

Customs Union Theory

Theories of Business Cycle

Cartel Theory

Unit III: International Economic Regimes and Institutions

International Trade Regimes

International Monetary Regimes

Institutions in International Economy (IMF, World Bank, GATT/WTO, NAFTA))

New Actors and Institutions in the Global Economy

Unit IV: Trade and Developing Nations

UNCTAD/NIEO, South – South Cooperation

Uruguay Round and Doha round

New protectionism

MNCs and the Foreign Capital

Technology Transfer

Essential Readings

B. Stallings (ed.), *Global Change, Regional Response: The New International Context of Development* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1995)

Boyer, R, "State and Market: A New Engagement for the Twenty-First Century?" in R. Boyer and D. Drache (eds.), *States Against Markets*, pp. 84-114

Busch and Reinhardt, "Developing Countries and General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade/World Trade Organization Dispute Settlement," from the *Journal of World Trade*

Chase-Dunn, C., *Global Formation: Structures of the World Economy* (Basil Blackwell, 1989)

Drucker, P.F., "The Post-Capitalist World," *Public Interest*, No. 109 (Fall 1992), pp. 89-100

Frieden, J., and Lake, D. (eds.), *International Political Economy: Perspectives on Global Wealth and Power* (3rd edn., 1995), esp. chs. 1, 16, 19, 33.

Gilpin, Robert, *Global Political Economy - Understanding the International Economy Order* (Princeton N.J.: Princeton University Press, 2001).

Gilpin, Robert, *The Challenge of Global Capitalism - The World Economy in the 21st Century* (Princeton N.J.: Princeton University Press, 2000).

James Petras and Kent Trachte, "Liberal, Structural and Radical Approaches to Political Economy: An Assessment," in James Petras, *Critical Perspectives on Imperialism and Social Class in the Third World*, pp. 9-62

Joan Spero and Jeffrey Hart, *The Politics of International Economic Relations* (5th ed.; NY: St. Martin's Press, 1996).

Jones, R.L.B., *Globalization and Interdependence in the International Political Economy* (Pinter, 1995)

Kahler, Miles, and David Lake (eds.), *Governance in a Global Economy: Political Authority in Transition* (2003).

Kahler, Miles, *International Institutions and the Political Economy of Integration* (Washington, DC: Brookings Institution, 1995).

Kapstein, E.B., *Governing the Global Economy.- International Finance and the State* (Harvard, 1994)

- Kenichi Ohmae, *The Borderless World: Power and Strategy in the Interlinked Economy* (New York: Harper Perennial, 1991)
- Krasner, Stephen, "Power vs. Wealth in North-South Economic Relations," in Art and Jervis, pp. 299-318.
- Krugman, Paul and Maurice Obstfeld, *International Economics, Theory and Policy* (6th Edition - Pearson).
- Milner, Helen V., "Globalization, Development and International Institutions: Normative and Positive Perspectives." *Perspectives on Politics* 3: 4 (December 2005), 833-854.

INT-PG-C302: Political Geography

Unit I: History of Mapmaking: Science, Technology and Politics

- a. The Chinese outreach
- b. The Indian outreach
- c. The European outreach

Unit II: Theorizing geo-politics

Contesting theories (Sun Tzu, Kautilya, Ibn Khaldun, Mahan, Mackinder and Haushofer)

Unit III: The geography of war and peace

Decolonization; cold war; alliances and containment; post-cold war; religion and geo-politics

Unit IV: Beyond political geography

Geo-economics and psycho-geography in the age of globalization

Essential Readings

- Alexander B. Murphy. 1990. "Historical justifications for territorial claims". *Annals of the Association of American Geographers* 80 (December): 531-48.
- Alexander B. Murphy. 1991. Regions as social constructs: The gap between theory and practice. *Progress in Human Geography* 15 (1): 22-35.
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- Gauranga Nath Banerjee, *India as known to the ancient world: or, India's intercourse in ancient*
- Gavin Menzies, *1434: How china changed the World*, London Harper Collin , 2003
- Gearoid O Tuathail, 1996. *Critical Geopolitics*. Routledge.
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- George J. Demko and William B. Wood (1994), *Reordering the world: Geopolitical perspectives on the twenty-first century*, Boulder, Colo.: Westview Press.
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- H. Weigert, (1942) *Generals and Geographers: The Twilight of Geopolitics*, London: Oxford University Press.

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- Jeremy Black, *Politics of Map Making*, University of Chicago Press, 1997
- John Pickles, *A history of spaces: cartographic reason, mapping, and the geo-coded world*, Routledge, 2004
- Mackinder, Halford J. "The Geographical Pivot of History," *Geographical Journal*, 23 (1904).
- Martin Ira Glassner. 1993. *Political geography*. New York: John Wiley and Sons
- Robert Finlay (2004). "How Not to (Re)Write World History: Gavin Menzies and the Chinese Discovery of America". *Journal of World History* 15 (2)
- Trevor J. Barnes, James S. Duncan, *Writing worlds: discourse, text, and metaphor in the representation of landscape*, Routledge, 1992.

INT-PG-C303: Introduction to International Peace and Security

Unit I: Theory of Peace and Security

Theories & Concepts

Sovereignty and Security

Security and World Order: Collective Security, Common security, Cooperative Security etc.

Unit II: Arms Build Up and Disarmament (Conventional and Nuclear)

General and Comprehensive Disarmament

Nuclear Disarmament, Prevention of Nuclear War and Non-Use

Non-Proliferation

Unit III: Human security and Development

Concept, Approaches

The Canadian & UNDP Approach

Unit IV: Conflict Resolution, Peace Operation and Peace Building

Theories & Concepts

Conflict Prevention, Mediation & Peace Implementation

Future of International Conflict Management

Essential Readings:

Amartya Sen, "Development as Freedom"; Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 1999;

B. Tertais (2002), 'Do Arms Races Matter', *Washington Quarterly*, vol. 24, no. 4 (Autumn 2002), pp. 45-58.

Bruce Russett, (1993), *Grasping the Democratic Peace: Principles for a Post-Cold War World*. Princeton University Press

Jack Snyder (2000), *From Voting to Violence: Democratization and Nationalist Conflict*. New York: W.W. Norton.

Kenneth N. Waltz (1990), "Nuclear Myths and Political Realities." *American Political Science Review* 84,3 (September): 731-45.

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- Myron Weiner (1995), *The Global Migration Crisis*. New York: HarperCollins, 1995.
- P. Lewis, and R. Thakur (2004), 'Arms Control, Disarmament and the United Nations', *Disarmament Forum*, no. 1 (2004), pp. 17–28.
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INT-PG-O304: State and Politics in India

Unit I: Political System in India

Colonialism and nationalism,
 Constitutional development
 Post colonial Indian state
 Changing nature of Indian Politics

Unit II: Political Economy of India

The relation between Politics and Economics
 Legacies of the Colonial State, State as an instrument of Social Reform and Economic Development; Welfare State vs. Soft state.
 Liberalisation and Economic Reforms: Nature, Dimensions

Unit III: Political Sociology of India

Caste
 Class
 Gender
 Tradition and Modernity
 Social movements

Unit IV: Contemporary Issues in Indian Politics

Corruption
 Naxalism
 Regionalism
 Communalism
 Secessionism/insurgency

Changing nature of federalism

Books Recommended

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- A.S. Narang, *Indian Government and Politics*, Geetanjali Publishing House, New Delhi, 1996 (Latest edition)
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- CP Bhambri, *State and Politics in India*
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- Sunder Raman. *Indian Government and Politics*, Allied Publishers, New Delhi, 1988
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Semester IV

INT-PG-O401: India and Its Neighbourhood

Unit I: Contextualising Neighbourhood

National Liberation Movements
Decolonisation and Partition
Postcolonial Setting

Unit II: State, Politics, Economy and Culture

Democracy
Civil Military Relations
Civil Society
Development and Environment
Regionalism-SAARC/SAFTA
Identity (Religious, Minorities, Language)

Unit III: Relations with Neighbourhood

Bilateral Relations – China, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh

Unit IV: India and its Extended Neighbourhood

India's Relationship with South East Asia
India and Central Asia

Essential Readings

- Bajpai, U. S., *India and Its Neighbourhood* (New Delhi: Lancer International, 1986)
- Bose, Sugata, and Jalal, Ayesha, *Modern South Asia: History, Culture, Political Economy*, 2nd Ed (New York: Routledge, 2004)
- Cohen, Stephen P., *The Idea of Pakistan* (Washington: Brookings Institution Press, 2004)
- Grare, Frédéric, et. al, *India and ASEAN: The Politics of India's Look East Policy* (New Delhi: Manohar, 2001)
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- Krishna, Sankaran, *Postcolonial Insecurities: India, Sri Lanka, and the Question of Nationhood* (University of Minnesota Press, 1999)
- Kukreja, Veena, *Civil-Military Relations in South Asia: Pakistan, Bangladesh, and India* (Sage Publications, 1991)
- Muni S.D. and Pant, Girjesh (2005) *India's Search for Energy Security: Prospects for Cooperation with Extended Neighbourhood* (New Delhi: Rupa & Co. in association with Observer Research Foundation)
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INT-PG-O402: Himalayas: Civilization and Sustainability

Unit I: Introduction of the Region

Civilization
Cultural and Economic History of the Himalayas

Society and Habitation
Geographical Peculiarities of the Region

Unit II: Social and Political History of States in the Eastern Himalayas

Process of State Formation and the Impact of British Rule in the Nineteenth Century
Social and Political History of Sikkim

Unit III: Migration and Ethnic Relations in the Himalayas

Issues of Migration
Questions of Ethnic Identity and Multiculturalism

Unit IV: Sustainability and Survival in the Himalayas

Urbanization
Ecological Evaluation of Land use system for Development Planning in the Himalayas
Himalayan Geography and the Issues of Eco-Tourism,
Climate Change, Deforestation, and Water Conservation.

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Pfleiderer, Beatrix, Reinhard Greve; *A Bibliography on Himalayan Ethnography*, Stuttgart: F. Steiner, 1990.
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Singh, Kuldip Gulia; *History and Culture of the Himalaya*, Isha Books, 2007.

INT-PG-O403: Globalisation and world Politics

Unit I: The Concept of Globalisation

Definitions and Dimensions

Unit II: Globalisation in a Historical Perspective

Theoretical Contentions and Historical Patterns

Knowledge, Technology, and International Transactions
International Demography and Transnational Migration

Unit III: Domains of Globalisation

Economic Globalisation

Social Consequences of Economic Globalisation

Political Globalisation

Globalisation and State

Globalisation and Liberal Democracy

Non-State Actors and New Social Movements

Democratising Globalisation

Cultural Globalisation

Communication, Media and Cultural Homogenisation

Unit IV: Globalisation and Security Debates

Clash of Civilizations

Global War on Terrorism

Proliferation of WMD

Human Security

Essential Readings

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Semester IV

INT-PG-C404: Research Methodology & Dissertation

Unit I: Research Methodology: Introduction and Concepts

Theory and Methods

Human Inquiry, Paradigm, Theory and Social Research

Ethics and Politics of Social Research

Meanings of Methodology

Inductive vs Deductive, Fact-Value Dichotomy, Behaviouralism and Its Critique, Hermeneutics, Falsification

Unit II: Statistical Tools and Techniques in Social Science Research

Data and data collection, sampling and basics of statistical testing, operationalization and measurement, linking data with concepts and units, data analysis, basics of SPSS

Unit III: Survey Research Methods

Questionnaire:- Principles of question design; formulation of questions; selecting question types; evaluating responses – alternatives and non-committal responses. Administering the questionnaire:

Interviews:- Face to face interview; interview schedule; interview guide; telephone interviews; internet interviews.

Field Work:- Pre-testing of questionnaire and pilot study; selection and training of investigators; monitoring and data management.

Other methods of data collection and analysis:- Participant observation method: focused group discussion; interview with key informants; ethnographic method.

Unit IV: Research Design

Qualitative and Quantitative Orientations towards Research

Transforming Concepts into Units of Measurement

Issues in Qualitative and Quantitative Designs

Essential Readings

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