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SOCIOLOGY

B.A. III Semester

Examination to be held in the years December 2017, 2018 and 2019

Course No. : USOTC 301

Credits : 6

Title : Foundations of Sociological Thought

Total Marks : 100

Internal Assessment Test : 20 marks (1 hour)

External Semester End Exam : 80 marks (2^{1/2} hours)

Objectives:

- To acquaint the students with the history of Sociological theories.
- To make the students understand the contribution of pioneers of Sociology.

Unit I The Pioneers of Sociology

1.1 Comte-Positivism

1.2 Spencer- Social Darwinism

1.3 Durkheim- Division of Labour, Suicide

Unit II Classical Tradition: Weber

2.1 Social Action

2.2 Ideal Types

2.3 The Protestant Ethic and Spirit of Capitalism

2.4 Authority types

Unit III Classical Tradition: Karl Marx

3.1 Materialistic Conception of History

3.2 Class Struggle

3.3 Alienation

Unit IV Neo Classical tradition:

Parsons:

4.1 AGIL

4.2 Pattern Variables

Merton

4.3 Functional Analysis

Note for paper setting:

Internal Assessment Test: (20 marks)

Duration: 1 hour

The paper will consist of;

One long Answer Type Question of 10 marks and five Short Answer Type Questions of 2 marks each

External Examination (80 marks)

Duration 2 ½ hour

The paper will consist of three sections;

Section A will consist of 4 long Answer questions, one from each unit. The candidate will have to answer two questions in 500-600 words, each having 15 marks (15 x 2=30)

Section B will consist of 8 medium Answer Questions, two from each unit. The candidate will have to answer five questions in all, atleast one from each unit in 250-300 words. Each question carries 7 marks (7 x 5= 35)

Section C will consist of 8 Short Answer Questions, two from each unit. The candidate will have to answer five questions in all, atleast one from each unit in 70-80 words. Each question carries 3 marks (5 x 3=15)

Books Prescribed:

1. George Ritzer .2000: *Sociological Theory* Boston: Mc Graw Hill
2. Max Weber, 1992:*The Protestant Ethic and the Spirit of Capitalism.* London: Routledge
3. Emile Durkheim 1966: *The Rules of Sociological Method.* New York: The Free Press
4. Emile Durkheim. 1933: *The Division of Labour.* New York The Free Press.
5. Emile Durkheim, 1952: *Suicide.* London and New York: Routledge
6. Robert. K. Merton, 1968: *Social Theory and Social Structure* New Delhi: Amerind Publishing Co. Pvt. Ltd.
7. Francis Abraham, 1982: *Modern Sociological Theory: An Introduction* Delhi: Oxford University
8. Abraham & Morgan. 1985:*Sociological Thought.* Delhi: Macmillan
9. Lewis Coser. A. 1996: *Masters of Sociological Thought.* Jaipur: Rawat Publications
10. Talcott Parsons. 1949: *The Structure of Social Action.* New Delhi: Amerind Publishing Co. Pvt. Ltd.
11. J.H. Turner 1987: *The Structure of Sociological Theory* Jaipur: Rawat Publications.
12. Raymond Aron. 1967: *Main Currents in Sociological Thought* Pengiun.
13. Ronald Fletcher. 1971: *The Making of Sociology* Jaipur: Rawat Publication.
14. Paramjeet Singh Judge, 2012. *Foundations of Classical Sociological Theory: Functionalism, Conflict and Action.* New Delhi: Pearson Publications.
15. Abhijit Kundu. 2011. *Sociological Theory.* New Delhi: Pearson Publications.

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SOCIOLOGY

B.A. III Semester

**Examination to be held in the years December 2017, 2018 and 2019
(Skill Enhancement Course -1)**

Course No. : USOTS 302 Title : Gender Sensitization

Credits : 4

Total Marks : 100

Internal Assessment Test : 20 marks (1 hour)

External End Semester Exam : 80 marks (2^{1/2} hours)

Objectives: This course will

- Sensitize students to issues related to gender and equality among all sexes.
- Provide them with the tools and skills to develop and integrate a gendered perspective in work and life.

Unit I Understanding Gender

- 1.1 Sex
- 1.2 Gender
- 1.3 Gender Identity: Masculinity and Femininity
- 1.4 Gender Roles

Unit II Social Construction of Gender

- 2.1 Family
- 2.2 Marriage
- 2.3 Education
- 2.4 Religion.

Unit III Gender and Work

- 3.1 Household Work
- 3.2 Invisible Work
- 3.3 Women in Organized and Unorganized Sector
- 3.4 Gender Division of Labour.

Unit IV Gender Issues

- 4.1 Health
- 4.2 Violence
- 4.3 Sex ratio
- 4.4 Media.

Note for paper setting:

Internal Assessment Test: (20 marks)

Duration: 1 hour

The paper will consist of :

One long Answer Type Question of 10 marks and five Short Answer Type Questions of 2 marks each

External Examination (80 marks)

Duration: 2 ½ hour

The paper will consist of three sections;

Section A will consist of 4 long Answer questions, one from each unit. The candidate will have to answer two questions in 500-600 words, each having 15 marks (15 x 2=30)

Section B will consist of 8 medium Answer Questions, two from each unit. The candidate will have to answer five questions in all, atleast one from each unit in 250-300 words. Each question carries 7 marks (7 x 5= 35)

Section C will consist of 8 Short Answer Questions, two from each unit. The candidate will have to answer five questions in all, atleast one from each unit in 70-80 words. Each question carries 3 marks (5 x 3=15)

Prescribed Readings:

- 1 Kamla Bhasin,. 2000. *What is Patriarchy*, New Delhi : Kali for women.
- 2 Kamla Bhasin.1999. *Some Questions on Feminism*, New Delhi: Kali for women,
- 3 Neera Desai, and Krishnaraj Maithreyi.1987. *Women and Society in India*, New Delhi: Ajanta Publications.
- 4 Ann Oakley. 1972. *Sex Gender and Society*, New York: Harper and Row.
- 5 Neera Desai and Usha Thakkar. 2003. *Women in Indian society*, New Delhi: NBT.
- 6 Vishav Raksha. 2008. 'Domestic Violence: A Sociological Insight', *Literati-A multidisciplinary*.
- 7 V. Geetha, 2002. *Gender*, Calcutta: Stree.
- 8 V.Geetha, 2007. *Patriarchy*, Calcutta: Stree.
- 9 Government of India. 1975. *Towards Equality -A Report of the committee on the Status of Women in India*. New Delhi: Ministry of Education & Social Welfare.
- 10 R. Indira. (ed). 1999. *Gender & Society in India*. Delhi: Manak Publications.
- 11 U. Kalpagam, 1994. *Labour and Gender*, New Delhi : Sage Publications.
- 12 M.Krishnaraj and K.Chanana 1989. *Gender & the Household domain*, New Delhi : Sage Publications.
- 13 Radha Kumar. 1998. *History of Doing*, New Delhi: Kali for women.

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SOCIOLOGY

B.A. IV Semester

Examination to be held in the years May 2018, 2019 and 2020

Course No. : USOTC 401

Credits : 6

Title : Indian Society- Issues and problems

Total Marks : 100

Internal Assessment Test : 20 marks (1 hour)

External Semester End Exam : 80 marks (2^{1/2} hours)

Objectives:

- To acquaint the students with the distinctive features of the Indian society;
- To make the students understand the issues & the social problems of Indian Society.

UNIT - I Basics (Concepts & approaches)

1.1 Concept and characteristics of social problems

1.2 Rural and urban social problems

1.3 Approaches to social problems

1.4 Social problems and social change in India.

UNIT - II Structural

2.1 Poverty

2.2 Inequality of caste and gender.

2.3 Corruption

2.4 Disharmony – Religious, Backward Classes and Dalits.

UNIT - III Familial

3.1 Dowry

3.2 Divorce

3.3 Domestic violence

3.4 Child Abuse

UNIT-IV Developmental

4.1 Regional disparities

4.2 Displacement

4.3. Terrorism

Internal Assessment Test: (20 marks)

Duration: 1 hour

The paper will consist of ;

One long Answer Type Question of 10 marks and five Short Answer Type Questions of 2 marks each

External Examination (80 marks)

Duration 2 ½ hour

The paper will consist of three sections;

Section A will consist of 4 long Answer questions, one from each unit. The candidate will have to answer two questions in 500-600 words, each having 15 marks (15 x 2=30)

Section B will consist of 8 medium Answer Questions, two from each unit. The candidate will have to answer five questions in all, atleast one from each unit in 250-300 words. Each question carries 7 marks (7 x 5= 35)

Section C will consist of 8 Short Answer Questions, two from each unit. The candidate will have to answer five questions in all, atleast one from each unit in 70-80 words. Each question carries 3 marks (5 x 3=15)

Books Prescribed:

1. Ram Ahuja. 1977. *Social Problems in India*. Jaipur: Rawat Publications
2. Ram Ahuja. 1999. *Society in India*. Jaipur: Rawat Publications
3. B Kuppuswamy. *Social Change in India*. New Delhi: Vikas Publications
4. S. Howard Becker. 1966 .*Social Problems: A Modern Approach* New York. John Willy & Sons
5. Merton & Nisbet. *Contemporary Social Problems* New York: Harcourt Brace Javanovich.
6. Attarchand. 1988. *Poverty and Under Development: New Challenges A Global Survey*. New Delhi Gyan Publishing House.
7. M.N. Srinivas. 1966. *Social Change in Modern India* New Delhi: Orient Longman
8. Veena Das. 1990. *Mirrors of Violence: Communities, Riots and Survivors in South Asia*.
9. Ram Ahuja. *Indian Social System* Jaipur: Rawat Publications

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SOCIOLOGY

B.A. IV Semester

**Examination to be held in the years May 2018, 2019 and 2020
(Skill Enhancement Course -2)**

Course No. : USOTS 402 Title : Quantitative Research Methods

Credits : 4

Total Marks : 100

Internal Assessment Test : 20 marks (1 hour)

External End Semester Exam : 80 marks (2^{1/2} hours)

Objectives: This course aims

- To enhance the skills of students to understand and use quantitative techniques employed by social scientists to investigate social phenomena.
- To provide students with some elementary knowledge on how to conduct quantitative research.

UNIT - I Understanding Social Research

- 1.1 Meaning and Significance
- 1.2 Steps in Social Research,
- 1.3 Hypothesis
- 1.4 Objectivity.

UNIT- II Sampling Design

- 2.1 Meaning and Significance of Sampling,
- 2.2 Probability sampling— Simple random , Complex— cluster, systematic and stratified.
- 2.3 Non- Probability sampling—accidental, quota and purposive sampling.

UNIT - III Tools And Techniques Of Data Selection

- 3.1 Social Survey - (Data—primary and secondary)
- 3.2 Interview and its types
- 3.3 Schedule and questionnaire.

UNIT -IV Basic Statistics & Computers

- 4.1 Meaning of Central tendency: Mean, Median, Mode
- 4.2 Presentation of data: Graphs and Histograms
- 4.3 Use of Computers in Social Research
- 4.4 MS Word, MS Excel.

Note for paper setting:

Internal Assessment Test: (20 marks)

Duration: 1 hour

The paper will consist of :

One long Answer Type Question of 10 marks and five Short Answer Type Questions of 2 marks each

External Examination (80 marks)

Duration: 2 ½ hour

The paper will consist of three sections;

Section A will consist of 4 long Answer questions, one from each unit. The candidate will have to answer two questions in 500-600 words, each having 15 marks (15 x 2=30)

Section B will consist of 8 medium Answer Questions, two from each unit. The candidate will have to answer five questions in all, atleast one from each unit in 250-300 words. Each question carries 7 marks (7 x 5= 35)

Section C will consist of 8 Short Answer Questions, two from each unit. The candidate will have to answer five questions in all, atleast one from each unit in 70-80 words. Each question carries 3 marks (5 x 3=15)

Books Prescribed:

1. Black and Champion. (1976) *Methods and Issues in Social Research*.
2. Ram Ahuja. 2010: *Research Methods*. Jaipur: Rawat Publications
3. Fred N. Kerlinger. 1964: *Foundations of Behavioral Research*. Delhi: Surjeet Publications
4. K. Bailey. 1994: *Methods of Social Research*. New York: The Free Press
5. William J Goode, & Paul K. Hatt. 2006: *Methods in Social Research*. Delhi: Surjeet Publications.
6. Pauline V Young. 1966: *Scientific Social Surveys and Research*. New Delhi: Prentice Hall
7. Cohen and Nagel. 1984: *An Introduction to Logic and Scientific Method*. New Delhi: Allied Publishers Private Limited.
8. C.R.Kothari. 1985: *Research Methodology: Methods & Techniques*. New Delhi: New Age International (P) Limited, Publishers.
9. Jaspal Singh. 2011: *Instruments of Social Research* Jaipur: Rawat Publications.
10. S.P. Gupta. 1969: *Statistical Methods*: New Delhi: Sultan Chand & Sons