

Centre for Political Studies
School of Social Sciences
Courses for Monsoon Semester 2025

M.A. First Semester

Course No.	Course Name	Credit	Course Instructors
Core Courses			
PO 410	Indian Politics I: Political Thought in Modern India	4	Prof. Himanshu Roy & Dr. Manindra Thakur
PO 411	Indian Politics II: Political Institutions	4	Dr. Harish S. Wankhede & Dr. Tapan K. Bihari
PO 414	Political Philosophy: Key Concepts I	4	Prof. Vidhu Verma & Dr. Rajarshi Dasgupta
PO 417	Comparative Politics	4	Prof. V. Bijukumar & Dr. T. G. Suresh

M.A. Third Semester

Course No.	Course Name	Credit	Course Instructors
Core Courses			
PO 412	Indian Politics III: Political Processes	4	Prof. Dwaipayan Bhattacharya & Dr Ajay Gudavarthy
PO 419	Methods in Social Sciences	4	Dr. Preeti & Mr. Anant Prabhat Jawla
Optional Courses			
PO 514	Comparative Federalism	4	Dr. Jyotirmayee Tudu
PO 524	Ideas and Issues in Public Administration	4	Prof. Vandana Mishra & Dr Tapan Kumar Bihari
PO 527	Theories of Social Stratification	4	Dr. Papia Sengupta
PO 528	Key Concepts in Contemporary Liberal Theory	4	Dr. Nishant Kumar
PO 534	Feminism and Political Theory	4	Prof Shefali Jha
PO 536	Politics of Indian Diaspora	4	Mr. Anant Prabhat Jawla
PO 537	Politics of Social Justice in India	4	Dr. Preeti
PO 540	Classical Political Philosophy	4	Dr Amir Ali
PO 532	National Security and Terrorism in India	4	Dr. Rohan V. H. Choudhari

Ph. D. (2 Semester)- 2024 Batch

Course No.	Course Name	Credit	Course Instructors
Optional Courses			
PO 616	Socialist Theory: Contemporary Trends	3	Dr. Amir Ali
PO 622	Agrarian Movements and Politics in India	3	Dr. Sudhir K. Suthar
PO626	Politics and Mass Communication	3	Dr. Papia Sengupta
PO636	Politics and Ecology: Environmentalism and Political Theory	3	Prof. V. Bijukumar
PO 638	Culture, Identity and Politics: Critical Perspectives	3	Dr. Nishant Kumar
PO 640	Body, Power and Knowledge: An Introduction to Biopolitics	3	Dr. Rajarshi Dasgupta

B. A. Optional Course

Course No.	Course Name	Credit	Course Instructor
PO 201	Government and Politics in India	3	Dr. Jubilee Shrangrei

Ph. D. (I Semester)- 2025 Batch

Course No.	Course Name	Credit	Course Instructors
Core Courses			
PO 601	Philosophy and Methods in Social Sciences	4	Prof. Shefali Jha & Prof. Himanshu Prasad Roy
PO 602	Approaches, Concepts and Methods of Political Analysis	4	Prof. Dwaipayan Bhattacharya & Dr. Nishant Kumar
PO 643	Research and Publication Ethics	2	Dr. Jyotirmayee Tudu

Prof. V. Bijukumar

Chairperson