#### St. Xavier's College (Autonomous), Mumbai



Syllabus of the courses offered by the Department of Sociology and Anthropology Sociology courses for the BA Programme (2019-2020)

#### SYLLABUS UNDER AUTONOMY: SOCIOLOGY

#### (WITH EFFECT FROM ACADEMIC YEAR 2016-17)

SEMESTER I COURSE: A.SOC.1.01

#### **INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY - Part I**

#### [60 LECTURES]

#### **LEARNING OBJECTIVES:**

- 1. To create an awareness and understanding of the critical issues and perspectives in society
- 2. To introduce students to the basic institutions of society.

#### **UNIT – I** Emergence of Sociology as a discipline:

[15 lectures]

**A**] *Investigating and exploring about our contemporary society: Brainstorming on what sociology as a subject contains within it.* 

**B**| *Enlightenment: Establishing of Sociology as a scientific & theoretically grounded discipline:* 

- Debate about church v/s Science.
- Sociology as a scientific exercise to know society.
- Methods and methodology developed
- Critique of Modernization and Industrialization

#### UNIT – II Culture, Society and Social Change:

[15 lectures]

Exploring the vast meaning systems with regards to Culture and Society and thus critically engaging with the conventional vis-a-vis newer ideas of the need for social change.

- Understanding Culture: Definitions and Concepts
- Types of Culture: High/Folk/Mass/Popular
- Understanding societies: Structure/Custom/membership
- Grasping the: 'what', 'why' & 'how' about (social) change.

#### **UNIT – III** Family & Intimate Relations:

[15 lectures]

Critically engaging with the ever changing ideas of family, relationship and the relooking at concepts of love, intimacy, care & duty.

- Family as integral to societal living:
- Agent of Socialization
- Family vis-a-vis the institution of Marriage
- Intimate relationship in contemporary times & the changing structure
- Issues of violence and inequality: 'labour of love', duty & changing gendered roles

#### **UNIT – IV** Crime and Deviance

[15 lectures]

To create a space for relooking, critically thinking about ideas of crime, deviance, punishment and conformity.

- Theoretical explanations to crime and deviance: Functionalist/Conflict theories
- Victims and perpetrators of crime: at home & work settings.
- Engaging with the legalities of defining a criminal: juvenile/adult/cyber-criminals

#### C.I.A: Assignment/ Presentation

#### **REFERENCES:**

- 1. Abbott, P. & Wallace, C. (2005). [1997]. An Introduction to Sociology: Feminist Perspectives. London & New York: Routledge.
- 2. Abraham, M. Francis. 2008 Contemporary Sociology: An Introduction to Concepts and Theories. Second edition, Oxford University Press, New Delhi.
- 3. Das, V. (Ed.). (2006). Handbook of Indian Sociology. New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
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#### SYLLABUS UNDER AUTONOMY: SOCIOLOGY

#### (WITH EFFECT FROM ACADEMIC YEAR 2016-17)

SEMESTER II COURSE: A.SOC.2.01

#### <u>INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY – Part II</u>

#### [60 LECTURES]

#### **LEARNING OBJECTIVES:**

- 1. To introduce students to the central governing institutions of society.
- 2. To reflect upon the critical elements of the functioning of these institutions and grapple with the complexities of their work in society.

#### UNIT – I Religion:

[15 lectures]

Familiarising the students to the conceptual, theoretical and ideological sides of the debate on religion as an institution and their overarching influences on individuals and society.

- Definitions of religion
- Interconnections between religion, culture and society
- Key elements/teachings
- Theoretical engagements with religion: Marx/Durkheim/Weber
- Briefly introducing the Clash of Civilizations debate of Samuel Huntington
- Feminist perspectives on religion
- Can religion be 'secular'?

#### **UNIT – II** The Politics of Power and Identity:

[15 lectures]

Exposing the students to ideas of inclusion and exclusion through an exposure to the various ideas of power.

- Old and New forms of Power & division: Caste-Class/Beauty/ Gender-Sexuality
- Biopower: Power over people's bodies and minds
- Inclusion and Exclusion: Ideologies and Processes
- Identity, power and violence

#### **UNIT – III** Poverty, welfare and Aid/Help/Charity:

[15 lectures]

To critically reflect upon the issues of welfare, poverty and the rethinking dependency and aid.

- Defining and measuring poverty: Who are the 'poor'?
- Poverty alleviation programmes in India: pros and cons
- Thinking it through: aid/help/charity
- Understanding inclusion and exclusion in welfare programmes
- Transformation of the gaze: Globalization, neo-liberalism.

#### **UNIT – IV Media and society:**

#### [15 lectures]

- Media in contemporary times: Social networking sites/ film/ television/ music/newspapers
- Culture Industry (Adorno & Horkheimer) and its critique.
- What are we watching: TRPs/ colonising the consumer's mind/Corporatization and the new media.
- The Culture of Dissent: Alternative mediums of expression

#### C.I.A: Assignment/ Presentation

#### **Essential Readings:**

- 1. Abbott, P. & Wallace, C. (2005). [1997]. An Introduction to Sociology: Feminist Perspectives. London & New York: Routledge.
- 2. Abraham, M. Francis. 2008 Contemporary Sociology: An Introduction to Concepts and Theories. Second edition, New Delhi. Oxford University Press.
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#### **Recommended References:**

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### St. Xavier's College – Autonomous Mumbai Syllabus

For III Semester Courses in Sociology (June 2019 onwards)

Contents:

Theory Syllabus for Courses:

ASOC0301 - SOCIOLOGY: CLASSICAL THEORIES

ASOC0302- INDIAN SOCIOLOGY

#### S.Y. B.A Course: ASOC0301 Title: SOCIOLOGY: CLASSICAL THEORIES

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- 1. To introduce students to the classical social theories
- 2. To make students aware of the critical nature of the social sciences and trace this back to the enlightenment period.
- 3. To enable students to see how all social contexts can be analyzed differently based on the perspective one uses.

#### Number of lectures: 45

Unit I – Weber 15 lectures

- a. Historical Context Enlightenment and Functionalism
- b. Method Interpretive understanding (Verstehen), Social Action, Values, Ideal types
- c. The Protestant Ethic and the Spirit of Capitalism, Sociology of Religion.
- d. Power and Inequality, types of leadership, bureaucracy

Unit II – Marx 15 lectures

- a. Historical Context
- b. Dialectical and Historical Materialism
- c. Concepts: Class, Capitalism, Labour Theory of Value, Surplus, Alienation.
- d. Critique, brief introduction to modern variants.

Unit III – Dubois 15 lectures

- a. Historical Context
- b. Concepts: Black Consciousness, Double Consciousness, the Veil.
- c. Modern variants and global and local applications.

CIA: Assignments on a particular theme

#### **List of Recommended Reference Books**

Abraham, Francis. (1982). Modern Sociological Theory. Delhi: Oxford University Press.

Abraham, Francis. (1991). Sociological Thought. Madras: Macmillan.

Adams, B.N and Sydie, R.A. (2001). Sociological Theory. New Delhi: Vistaar Publication.

Beilharz, Peter (1991). Social theory: a guide to central thinkers. St. Leonards: Alien & Unwin Pvt. Ltd.

Coser, Lewis A. (1996). *Masters of Sociological Thought: Ideas in Historical and Social Context*. 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. Jaipur: Rawat Publications.

Cuff, E.C. (2005). Perspectives in Sociology. New York: Routledge.

Farganis, James (ed.). Readings in Social Theory: The Classic Tradition to Post-Modernism. New York: The McGraw Hill Companies, Inc.

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S.Y. B.A Course: ASOC0302

#### **Title: INDIAN SOCIOLOGY**

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- 1. To provide students with an insight into the development of Indian Sociology
- 2. To acquaint students with some important aspects of Indian society and their intersections.
- 3. To develop analytical skills among students through the use of case studies.

Number of lectures: 45

Unit I [15 lectures]

#### **Towards an Indian Sociology**

- a. Pre-colonial heritage
- b. Post-colonial concerns
- c. Methodological plurality

Unit II [15 lectures]

#### Caste, Class and Politics in India

- a. Brahminical and Dalit-Bahujan perspectives on caste
- b. Emergence and rise of middle class in India
- c. Intersections between caste, class and politics

Unit III [15 lectures]

#### **Identity and Conflict**

- a. Concepts: Ethnicity, Ethnic Groups, Nativism, Communalism
- b. Identities and Conflicts
- c. Contemporary challenges

#### **CIA:** Written assignment

#### **List of Recommended Reference Books**

#### Unit 1

Cohen, B.S. (1990). An Anthropologist amongst Historians and Other Essays. New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

Dhanagre, D.N. (1993). *Themes and Perspectives in Indian sociology*. New Delhi: Rawat Publications.

Madan, T.N. (2011). Sociological Traditions: Methods and Perspectives in the Sociology of India. New Delhi: Sage.

#### Unit 2

Ambedkar, B.R. (1990). Annihilation of Caste. New Delhi: Arnold Publishers

Berreman, G.D. (1992) "The Brahminical view of Caste". Social Stratification. Dipankar

Gupta (ed.). New Delhi: Oxford University Press: 84-92

Das, G. (2000) India Unbound. New Delhi: Penguin.

Dumont, L. (1991) "Hierarchy, Status and Power: the caste system and its implications".

Social Stratification. Dipankar Gupta (ed.). New Delhi: Oxford University Press: 471-491.

Dirks, N. (2001) Castes of Mind: Colonialism and the making of modern India. Princeton: Princeton University Press

Gupta, Dipankar (ed.). (1991). Social Stratification. New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

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Ilaiah, K. (1996). Why I am not a Hindu: a Sudra critique of Hindutva, Philosophy, Culture, and Political Economy, Kolkata: Samya.

Ilaiah, K. (1998). "Towards Dalitisation of the Nation" *Wages of Freedom*. ParthaChatterjee (ed.). New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

Partha C. (ed.) (1998). Wages of Freedom. New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

Pankaj, A.K. (2007) "Engaging with Discourse on Caste, Class and Politics in India". *South Asia Research* (27):335-353.

Thorat, S.& Newman, K.S. (2007). "Caste in Economic Discrimination: Causes, Consequences and Remedies". *Economic and Political Weekly*: 4121-4124

#### Unit 3

Das, V. (ed.). (1999). *The Oxford India Companion to Sociology and Social Anthropology*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

Goswami, U. (2014). Conflict and Reconciliation: The Politics of Ethnicity in Assam. New Delhi: Routledge.

Nandy, A. et al (1999). *Ethnic Futures: The State and Identity Politics*. New Delhi: Sage Publications.

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## St. Xavier's College – Autonomous Mumbai

# Syllabus For 4<sup>th</sup> Semester Courses in Sociology (November 2019 onwards)

#### Contents:

Theory Syllabus for Courses:

ASOC0401- Globalization and Social Trends

ASOC0402- SOCIOLOGY: THEMES AND ISSUES II

#### **S.Y. B.A**

**Course: ASOC0401** 

#### **Title: Globalization and Social Trends (GST)**

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- 1. To introduce students to the significant themes that contemporary sociology deals with. This will enable students to understand the relevance and applications of sociology in order to better choose future subject combinations in the Third Year. This is thus seen as a 'bridge course.'
- 2. To be able to apply some of the theoretical perspectives learnt in semester III to concretely analyse contemporary global and transnational issues in a sociological manner.

Number of lectures: 45

#### **UNIT I:**Sociology of Sport

[15 lectures]

- a. Sports as a Spectacle, Nation and International Competition.
- b. Body and Gender in Sport
- c. Sports and Global Capitalism

#### **UNIT II: Education**

[15 lectures]

- a. Role of Education: Functionalist, Liberal and Critical Perspectives.
- b. Inequalities in Education gender, caste and class.
- c. Education and Globalization: Privatization vis-a-vis work

#### UNIT III: Global conflicts and culture

[15 lectures]

a. Peace and Conflict Theories: Ideological, Civilizational, Ethnic, Inequality, Resource Availability.

- b. Building Peace: Truth and Reconciliation Commissions, Arbitration, Military Interventions, Multilateral Organizations (e.g. UN).
- c. Actual Case studies (any one): South Africa, Palestine, Kashmir, Post-Soviet Bloc nations.

#### **CIA: Written Assignment**

#### **List of Recommended Reference Books**

#### UNIT I

Craig, Peter &Beedie, Paul (eds.). (2008) Sport Sociology. Second Ed. Exeter: Learning Matters.

Fisette, Jennifer L. (2015) "The Marathon Journey of My Body-Self and Performing Identity," Sociology of Sport Journal, 32:68-88.

Kobayashi, Koji. (2012) Corporate Nationalism and Glocalization of Nike Advertising in "Asia": Production and Representation Practices of Cultural Intermediaries. Sociology of Sport Journal, 29: 42-61.

Laker, Anthony (ed.). (2002) The Sociology of Sport and Physical Education: An Introductory Reader. London: Routledge.

#### **UNIT II**

Altbach, Philip G. (2009) The Giants Awake: Higher Education Systems in China and India, *Economic and Political Weekly:* 39-51.

Apple, Michael W (ed.). (2010). The Routledge International Handbook of the Sociology of Education. New York: Routledge.

Deshpande, Satish. (2006). Exclusive Inequalities: Merit, Caste and Discrimination in Indian Higher Education Today. *Economic and Political Weekly:* 2438-2444.

Dubey, Akhilesh. (1997). *Commercialisation of Education in India: Policy, Law and Justice*. New Delhi: A.P.H. Pub. Corp.

Good, Thomas L (ed.). (2008). 21st Century Education: A Reference Handbook. New Delhi: Sage Publications.

Haralambos, M. & Holborn, M. (2000). *Sociology: Themes and Perspectives*. 5th Ed. London: Collins Educational.

Jandhyala B.G. Tilak (ed). (2004). *Education, Society and Development: National and International Perspectives*. New Delhi: A.P.H. Pub. Corp.

Jayaram, N. (1990). Sociology of Education in India. New Delhi: Rawat Publications.

Patel, Sujata. (2004). Higher Education at the Crossroads. *Economic and Political Weekly:* 2151-2154.

Tilak, J. B. G. (2005). Higher Education in 'Trishanku': Hanging Between State and Market. *Economic and Political Weekly:* 4029-4037.

#### **UNIT III**

Barnett, Jon. (2008). Peace and Development: Towards a New Synthesis. *Journal of Peace Research*, 45(1): 75-89.

Boulden, Jane (ed.). (2003). Dealing with conflict in Africa: the United Nations and regional Organizations. New York: Palgrave Macmillan.

Campbell, P. J. et al (eds.). (2010). An Introduction to Global Studies. Oxford: Wiley-Blackwell.

Gidron, Benjamin. (2002). Mobilizing for peace: conflict resolution in Northern Ireland, Israel/Palestine, and South Africa. New York: Oxford University Press.

Humphreys, Macartan. (2005). Natural Resources, Conflict, and Conflict Resolution: Uncovering the Mechanisms. *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, 49(4): 508-537.

Jakobsen, Peter Viggo. (2002). The Transformation of United Nations Peace Operations in the 1990s: Adding Globalization to the Conventional `End of the Cold War Explanation'. *Cooperation and Conflict*, 37(3): 267–282.

Juergensmeyer, Mark. (2007) From Bhindranwale to Bin Laden: A search for understanding religious violence. *Religion and conflict in South and Southeast Asia: disrupting violence*. Linell E. Cady and Sheldon W. Simon (eds.). New York: Routledge. 21-30.

Ross, Michael L. (2004). "What Do We Know about Natural Resources and Civil War?" *Journal of Peace Research*, 41(3): 337–356.

Sen, Amartya. (2008) "Violence, Identity and Poverty". Journal of Peace Research, 45(1): 5–15.

Wolff, Stefan. (2006). Ethnic *Conflict: A Global Perspective*. New York: Oxford University Press



#### Title: SOCIOLOGY: THEMES AND ISSUES II

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- 1. To introduce students to some significant and contemporary themes.
- 2. Enable students to understand the relevance and applications of sociology in order to choose career possibilities in interest areas.
- 3. To be able to apply some of the theoretical perspectives learnt in semester III to concretely analyse contemporary issues in a sociological manner.

Number of lectures: 45

#### **UNIT I**

#### **Political Sociology**

[15 lectures]

- a. Nature and scope
- b. Concepts: State, Civil Society, Citizenship
- c. Theoretical approaches to State

#### **UNIT II**

#### Sociology of the Body

[15 lectures]

- a. Concepts: Body, Embodiment, Agency
- b. Theoretical approaches: Bourdieu, Foucault, Goffman
- c. The commodification/objectification of the body

<u>UNIT III</u> [15 lectures]

#### **Feminist Science Studies**

- a. Introduction to key issues
- b. Questioning the Nature of scientific knowledge
- c. Contemporary themes in FSS

**CIA:** Written assignments

#### **List of Recommended Reference Books**

#### UNIT 1

Beteille, A. (1999). "Citizenship, State and Civil society". *Economic and Political Weekly* **34** (36)

Dhanagare, D.N. (2001). "Civil Society, State and Democracy: Contextualizing a Discourse". *Sociological Bulletin*, **50** (2)

Gupta, D. (1996). Political Sociology in India: Contemporary Trends. New Delhi: Orient Longman.

Jayaram, N. (2005). On Civil Society: Issues and Perspectives. New Delhi: Sage Publications India Pvt. Ltd.

Mahajan, G. (1999). "Civil Society and Its Avatars. What Happened to Freedom and Democracy?" *Economic and Political Weekly*. **34** (20): 1188 – 1196.

#### UNIT 2

Low, J. and C. Malacrida (eds). (2016). Sociology of the Body. London: OUP.

Scott, S. and D. Moran (eds.). (2005). *Body Matters: Essays on the Sociology of the Body*. London: Falmer Press.

Sharp, L.A. (2000). "The Commodification of the body and its parts". *Annual Review of Anthropology*. **29**:287–328.

Thapan, M. (2004). "Embodiment and Identity in Contemporary Society: Femina and the 'New Indian Woman". Contributions to Indian Sociology 38:411-444.

Waskul, D. and P.Vannini. (2006). The body/embodiment: symbolic interaction and the sociology of the body. England: Ashgate.

#### UNIT 3

Chadha, G. and Achuthan, A. (2017). Feminist Science Studies. *Economic and Political Weekly*. *Vol. 52, Issue No. 17.* 

Wyer, M. et al (eds.). (2001). Women, Science, and Technology: A Reader in Feminist Science Studies. New York: Routledge.

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McNeil, M. (2007). Feminist Cultural Studies of Science and Technology. New York: Routledge.



## St. Xavier's College – Autonomous Mumbai

## Syllabus For V Semester Courses in Sociology (June 2019 onwards)

#### Contents:

Theory Syllabus for Courses:

ASOC0501 - Modern Sociological Theories I

ASOC0502 - Urban Sociology

ASOC0503 - Popular Culture

ASOC0504 - Sociology of Work and Management I

ASOC0505 - Media, Culture and Society I (Applied Component)

ASOC0506 - Gender Studies I (Applied Component)

ASOC0507 - Research Methods in Sociology I

ASOC0508 - Popular and Subaltern Movements I

ASOC0509 - Sociology of Human Resource Development (Applied

Component)

TYBA Syllabus Course: ASOC0501

#### Title: MODERN SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY I

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- 1. Introduce students to the different modes of sociological theorizing.
- 2. Locate the inter-connectedness between individual theories and the larger theoretical standpoints.
- 3. Explore the inter-relationship between theory and practice in social life.

Number of lectures: 60

#### UNIT I: Structural Functionalism and Conflict Theory: [15 Lectures]

a. Talcott Parsons

Structural Components of the Social System

An Outline of the Social System

b. Robert Merton

Middle Range Theories

Manifest and Latent Functions

Social Structure and Anomie

- c. An Assessment
- d. Neo-functionalism

#### Conflict Theory:

a. Ralf Dahrendorf

#### UNIT II: Symbolic Interactionism, Phenomenology and Ethnomethodology

[15 Lectures]

- a. George Herbert Mead: Mind, Self and Society
- b. Herbert Blumer: Symbolic Interactionism
- c. Peter Berger and Thomas Luckmann: Social Construction of Reality
- d. Alfred Schutz: The Phenomenology of the Social World, The Life world

#### **Ethnomethodology:**

- Harold Garfinkel
- Conversation Analysis
- Studies of Institutions

#### **UNIT 3: Neo-Marxian and Critical Theories**

[15 Lectures]

- a. Louis Althusser: Ideology and Dominance
- b. Georg Lukacs: Hegelian interpretation of Marx
- c. Antonio Gramsci: Hegemony
- d. The Frankfurt School: Capitalism and Enlightenment Reason
- e. Critical Theory

#### **Major Contributions**

- f. Max Horkheimer ("Traditional and Critical Theory")
- g. Jurgen Habermas

Civil society and the political public sphere

The tasks of the critical theory of society

Theory and practice

Communicative action

- h. Axel Honneth
- i. Fordism and post-Fordism

#### **UNIT 4: Exchange, Network and Rational Choice Theories**

[15 Lectures]

- a. George Homans: Social Behaviour as Exchange
- b. Peter Blau: Exchange and power in social life
- c. James S. Coleman: Social Capital in the creation of human capital
- d. Network Theory
- e. Rational Choice Theory

**CIA**: Written Assignment

#### **List of Recommended Reference Books:**

Calhoun, C., et al. (ed.). (2007). *Classical Sociological Theory (2nd ed.)*. Malden, MA: Blackwell Publishing.

Calhoun, C., et al. (ed.). (2002). *Contemporary Sociological Theory*. Malden, MA: Blackwell Publishing.

Cuff, E.C., et al. (2006). *Perspectives in Sociology (5th ed.)*. London and New York: Routledge.

Patel, S., (Ed.) (2011). *Doing Sociology in India: Genealogies, Locations and Practices*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

Ritzer G. (1996). *Modern Sociological Theory (4th ed.)*. New York: Mc Graw -Hill Publication.

Ritzer, G. (2011). Sociological Theory (8th ed.). New York: McGraw-Hill.

Turner, J. (2001). *The Structure of Sociological Theory* (4th ed.). Jaipur: Rawat Publication.

#### TYBA - Sociology Course: ASOC0502

#### Title: URBAN SOCIOLOGY

#### **Learning Objectives**

- 1. Introduce the nature of urban studies and their sociological relevance
- 2. Explore the contemporary trends in urban growth and development
- 3. Examine the impact of globalization and migration on 'urban culture'

#### **Total lectures: 60**

#### **Unit 1: Concepts and Approaches**

[15 Lectures]

- a. Urban, Urbanization, Rural Urban Continuum
- b. Early theoretical explorations: Wirth, Fischer, Burgess.
- c. Contemporary approaches: Sassen, Castells, Harvey

#### **Unit 2: Urban Sociology in India**

[15 Lectures]

- a. The Colonial City
- b. The post-colonial city
- c. Globalization and Urbanization

#### **Unit 3: Urbanization and its Discontents**

[15 Lectures]

- a. Suburbanization and satellite cities
- b. Migrants and *right to the city*
- c. The State and our Cities (JNNURM, SMART cities, SEZ, IT parks, SRA)

#### **Unit 4 Urban Culture**

[15 lectures]

- a. Urban accessibility (gender, class, religion)
- b. Slum tourism
- c. Nativism

#### CIA: Written assignments/ Group projects

**Note:** A non-evaluative educational field trip is offered by the Department as an important component of the course. Students are encouraged to take this up as it will enhance the practicum dimension of the course.

#### **List of Recommended References:**

Anand, N. (2017) Hydraulic city: water and the infrastructures of citizenship in Mumbai.

Durham: Duke University Press

Anjaria, J.S. (2006) Street Hawkers and Public Space in Mumbai in *Economic and Political Weekly*. pp 2140-2146

Ashcroft, B. (2011) Urbanism, mobility and Bombay: Reading the postcolonial

City in *Journal of Postcolonial Writing*, 47:5, pp. 497-509

Banerjee-Guha, S. (ed.). (2010). Accumulation by Dispossession: Transformative Cities in the New Global Order. New Delhi: Sage.

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TYBA - Sociology Course: ASOC0503

#### **Title: POPULAR CULTURE**

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- 1. To introduce sociology students to the different understandings of Popular Culture.
- 2. To combine a theoretical and artefactual study through case studies.

Number of lectures: 60

Unit I: Introduction [15 Lectures]

- a. Folk culture and Popular Culture
- b. Mass culture, public culture and popular culture
- c. Case Study: [e.g., Maharashtrian Folk Culture]

#### **Unit II: Early Debates**

[15 Lectures]

- a. High Culture and Low Culture
- b. Class and Cultural Consumption (Pierre Bourdieu)
- c. Case Study: [e.g. Pop Art/Bollywood/Music]

#### **Unit III: Theoretical trends in studying Popular Culture**

[15 Lectures]

- a. Postmodernism and Intersectionality
- b. Feminism and Popular Culture
- c. Case Study: [e.g.Chick Lit/ New Wave Cinema]

#### **Unit IV: Contemporary Issues**

[15 Lectures]

- a. Identity and Popular Culture
- b. Globalization and Popular Culture
- c. Case Study: [e.g., Zombie movies/ Manga Comics/Coca-Cola, Eroticization and dance, Gambling]

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#### TYBA - Sociology

#### Course: ASOC0504

#### Title: SOCIOLOGY OF WORK AND MANAGEMENT I

#### **Learning Objectives**

- 1. To acquaint the student with the social dynamics in the world of work both urban and rural
- 2. To help the learner understand the complexities of the Indian working environment

#### Number of lectures: 60

#### **Unit I: NATURE AND SCOPE**

[10 Lectures]

- a. Important concepts: Work, Industry; Entrepreneurship.
- b. Rise of industry, Industrialization, Industrialism.
- c. Post industrialism-knowledge society-Information revolution
- d. Informal sector
- e. Rural-urban linkages

#### **Unit II: PERSPECTIVES ON MOTIVATION**

[15 Lectures]

- a. What is motivation—Definition and meaning
- b. Theories of motivation:

Theory X and theory Y, Herzberg, McClelland and Vroom, Maslow

#### **Unit III: PERSPECTIVES ON MANAGEMENT**

[15 Lectures]

- a. Meaning of management
- b. Theories of management and their critique
- c. Scientific management
- d. Human relations approach

#### **Unit IV: ORGANISATION OF WORK**

[20 Lectures]

a. Formal sector:

Characteristics/Features

Problems of workers in the formal sector

b. Informal sector

Characteristics/Features

Problems of the workers and Social security for the informal sector

#### **CIA**: Group presentation

**Note:** A non-evaluative educational field trip is offered by the Department as an important component of the course. Students are encouraged to take this up as it will enhance the practicum dimension of the course.

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#### TYBA - Sociology

Course: ASOC0505

#### Title: MEDIA, CULTURE AND SOCIETY I (APPLIED COMPONENT)

#### **Learning Objectives**

- 1. To develop a sociological understanding of the role of the media in contemporary society.
- 2. To foster a critical understanding of how the media is influencing culture and society in India.
- 3. To equip students with the tools to analyse the media through an individual / group project which would be conducted across semesters V and VI as part of their CIA. This project will have a weightage of 40 percent in each semester.

**Number of lectures: 45** 

#### UNIT I:Social environment and Structure of contemporary Media [15 Lectures]

- a. Functionalist and Marxist views of media
- b. Media as business
- c. Marshal McLuhan
- d. Noam Chomsky Manufacturing consent

#### UNIT II: Some Social perspectives on mass communication [15 Lectures]

- a. The Frankfurt school The culture industry, commodity fetishism, False and real needs,
  - one dimensional man
- b. Semiology Signs, Signifiers, Signified, mythologies, narratives, Connotation and denotation

#### UNIT III:The politics of representation and reception of the media on specific target groups in India [15 Lectures]

- a. Children
- b. Youth
- c. Women
- d. Rural societies

**CIA:** Dissertation

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#### TYBA - SOCIOLOGY

#### Title: GENDER STUDIES (APPLIED COMPONENT) -I

#### **Learning Objectives**

- 1. This course is designed to introduce students to questions in which gender is a significant category of analysis.
- 2. Topics will include the construction of gender identity and sexuality and the relationship of gender to past and present social and cultural institutions and feminist and related theoretical approaches.

**Number of lectures: 45** 

#### **Unit I : Key Concepts**

[10 Lectures]

Course: ASOC0506

- a. Sex, Gender and Sexuality
- b. Patriarchy and gender relations
- c. Intersectionality in India

#### **Unit II: Theoretical Approaches**

[20 Lectures]

- a. Liberal Feminism
- b. Socialist and Marxist Feminism
- c. Radical Feminism
- d. Dalit Feminism

#### **Unit III: Masculinity Studies**

[15 Lectures]

- a. Masculinity, Identity and Embodiment
- b. Masculinities, power and violence
- c. Hegemonic masculinities and its discontents

#### **CIA:** Dissertation

**Note:** A non-evaluative educational field trip is offered by the Department as an important component of the course. Students are encouraged to take this up as it will enhance the practicum dimension of the course.

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T.Y. B.A. Course: ASOC0507

#### Title: RESEARCH METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY I

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- This two part course is designed to equip the undergraduate student with the basic knowledge and skills required to undertake a sociological research project.
- Students will be simultaneously taken through the theoretical and practical dimensions of social research.
- The course would require a detailed field based research project undertaken either individually or in small groups. This project which would commence in semester V and culminate in a research report in semester VI would be evaluated as a combined CIA project and would have a weightage of 40 percent in each semester. The final project will be evaluated as part of the End Semester examination in Semester 6 and will thus have a weightage of 60 marks.
- The course would familiarize students with the basics of both quantitative and qualitative research. They would also be introduced to the basic statistical analysis.

Number of lectures: 60

#### **UNIT I: Meaning and Nature of Social research**

[9 lectures]

- a. Methodological debates
- b. Types and scope of social research
- c. The Ethical and Cultural Context of Social Research

#### **UNIT II: The Research Process**

[18 lectures]

- a. Problem formulation / objectives / Hypothesis
- b. Review of literature
- c. The research designs exploratory, descriptive and causal
- d. Sampling Its meaning and relevance, types of sampling (probability and non probability)

#### **UNIT III: Quantitative & Qualitative Research**

[18 lectures]

- a. The Questionnaire and Interview schedule Its nature, uses and construction
- b. Scaling Techniques Sociometry and social distance
- c. Participant observation (Ethnography)
- d. Case study
- e. Focused groups
- f. Content analysis

#### **UNIT IV:** Measurement in social research

[15 lectures]

- a. Meaning and levels of measurements
- b. Measures of central tendency Mean, median, mode
- c. Measures of dispersion Range, Standard Deviation
- d. Correlation

#### **List of Recommended Reference Books**

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#### TYBA - SOCIOLOGY

Course: ASOC0508

#### Title: Popular and Subaltern Movements - I

#### **Learning Objectives**

- 1. Explore the importance of social movements in the construction of social life.
- 2. Familiarise the students with theorising social movements and critically analyse various social and political movements in India.
- 3. Explore the varied ways in which 'the subaltern' has been explored in the Indian Context.

**Number of lectures: 60** 

#### **UNIT I: Introduction to Social Movements**

[10 Lectures]

- a. Protest, Movements and Resistance
- b. Understanding Collective Action and Discontent
- c. Stages of a social movement
- d. Typologies of social movements

#### **Unit II: Theoretical Approaches**

[15 Lectures]

- a. Structural Approaches
- b. Strain and Breakdown
- c. Resource Mobilisation
- d. New Social Movements
- e. Introduction to Subaltern Studies

#### **Unit III: Agrarian and Environmental Movements**

[15 Lectures]

- a. Telengana Peasant Struggle
- b. New Farmers' Movement
- c. Kisan Sabha Movement
- d. Chipko Movement
- e. Narmada Bachao Andolan

#### **Unit IV:Identity-based Movements**

[20 Lectures]

- a. Dalit Movement in India
- b. The Dalit-Bahujan as 'subaltern'
- c. Naxalite Movement
- d. Movements for Statehood in India- Jharkhand, Telangana, Gorkhaland, Nagaland
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CIA: Group Presentations or Critical essay

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#### TYBA - SOCIOLOGY

Course: ASOC0509

#### **Title:Introduction to Human Resource Development (Applied Component)**

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- 1. To acquaint students with the meaning, importance, scope and social relevance of Human Resource Development both from the micro and macro levels.
- 2. To familiarize students with the diverse approaches and strategies that would foster human resource development and show how this would facilitate social development.
- 3. To create an understanding of the diverse issues involved in Human Resource Development by particularly locating them in the socio-cultural context.

Number of lectures: 45

#### **UNIT I: Human Resource Development – An Overview**

[15 lectures]

- a. Meaning, Characteristics, Need, Nature, Significance and Major Debates
- b. Scope Micro and Macro Dimensions individual and organizational regional and national
- c. Various Indicators of human development Their types and issues in understanding human development

#### **UNIT II: Human Relations**

[15 lectures]

- a. Social context, the role of scientific management
- b. Meaning, nature, philosophy of human relations
- c. The Hawthorne studies and their significance
- d. The Informal Organization meaning and importance, characteristics, role, relation with formal organization and impact.

#### **UNIT III: Groups and Teams**

[15 lectures]

- a. Social Groups in the work place, Group dynamics factors influencing group formation, maintenance, structure and dissolution
- b. Inter- and intra-group conflicts
- c. Team dynamics: Meaning, types and features of teams, Impact consequences of teams on performance: social issues in managing teams

#### CIA: Individual/group projects/analysis of case studies.

**Note:** A non-evaluative educational field trip is offered by the Department as an important component of the course. Students are encouraged to take this up as it will enhance the practicum dimension of the course.

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## St. Xavier's College – Autonomous Mumbai

# Syllabus For VI Semester Courses in Sociology (November 2019 onwards)

#### Contents:

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ASOC0609 - Organisational Development and Change (Applied

Component)

#### TYBA SOCIOLOGY

### Title: Modern Sociological Theory II

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- 1. Introduce students to the modes of sociological theorizing.
- 2. Analyse the different thematic underpinnings of theory in Sociology
- 3. Critique the theoretical legacy in Sociology from a feminist standpoint.
- 4. Explain the contribution of Indian Sociologists to Sociological Theory.

Number of lectures: 60

#### **UNIT I**

#### **Integrative Developments in Sociological Theory**

[15 Lectures]

Course: ASOC0601

- a. Macro-Micro Integration
- b. Agency-Structure Integration
- c. Feminist critique of Sociological theorising

#### **Contemporary Theories and issues of Identity**

- a. Modernity and Identity
- b. Women theorists
- c. Theoretical paradigms: Dalits and the Indigenous

#### **UNIT II**

#### **Post-Structuralist Social Theory**

[15 Lectures]

a. Michel Foucault

Ideas: Episteme, Discourses, Gaze, Power and Knowledge

Works: The birth of the clinic, Discipline and Punish, Truth and Power

- b. Giorgio Agamben
- c. Jacques Derrida Deconstruction, Difference

#### **UNIT III**

#### **Post Modern Social Theory**

[15 Lectures]

a. Anthony Giddens

New Rules of Sociological Method, Structuration, Consequences of Modernity

- b. Fredric Jameson
- c. Jean-François Lyotard Consumer society
- d. **Zygmunt Bauman-** Sociological Theory of Postmodernity

#### **UNIT IV**

#### Reflexive Sociology and Theories of Globalization

[15 Lectures]

a. Pierre Bourdieu (in Brief)

Social space and symbolic space

Structures, habitus, practices

The field of cultural production

#### **Theories of Globalization**

- b. Anthony Giddens "Run-away world"
- c. Ulrich Beck- Cosmopolitanism
- d. Arjun Appadurai- Landscapes of Globalization

CIA: Review Essay

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#### TYBA SOCIOLOGY

#### **Title: Sociology of the Life Course**

#### **Learning Objectives**

- 1. Introduce students to the theories and substantive issues in the emerging field of the life course paradigm.
- 2. Familiarise students with the key debates in the development of the family and the life course.
- 3. A critically engagement with life course issues in contemporary India.

#### **UNITI:**

Introduction [15 Lectures]

- a. Life Course Studies: The emergence of the Life course perspective.
- b. Studying Generations across time.
- c. Generations, Cohorts and Social Change.

#### **UNITII:**

#### Childhood & Adolescence

[15 Lectures]

Course: ASOC0602

- a. Approaches to Childhood studies
- b. Childhood Issues
- c. Adolescence issues: Body Image, College Culture

#### **UNITIII:**

Adulthood [15 Lectures]

- a. The problem of contemporary adulthood
- b. Social Trends and Adult Life
- c. Fatherhood, motherhood, family, parent-child relationships

#### **UNITIV:**

Old Age [15 lectures]

- a. Theoretical Perspectives on the Sociology of Ageing
- b. Gender and Ageing
- c. Rethinking Retirement
- d. Consumption and Ageing
- e. Governmental Policies and Ageing

**CIA:**Class presentations/assignments

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#### **UNIT I**

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#### TYBA SOCIOLOGY

Course: ASOC0603

#### Title: Sociology of Food

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- 1. To introduce students to the complex ways in which human society interacts with its so called basic need for food.
- 2. To make students aware of the political economy of food production and consumption.

Number of lectures: 60

#### Unit 1

#### **Food and Culture**

[15 Lectures]

- a. Introduction to the Sociology of Food
- b. Eating in/Eating out: Space, Family, Gender
- c. Cultural construction of food and identity: Community, Nation, Global

#### Unit 2

#### Theoretical approaches to Food

[15 Lectures]

- a. Symbolic Interaction
- b. Purity and Pollution
- c. Globalization and Food trends

#### Unit 3

#### Corporatization of Food

[15 Lectures]

- a. Food Regimes and Industrial Food Systems
- b. Food and Labour: From Family to Insecure Migrant.
- c. Health and Sustainability (e.g. GM crops, Food scares etc.)

#### Unit 4

#### The Paradox of Scarcity and Abundance

[15 Lectures]

- a. Food Fads (e.g. Meat eaters vs. Vegans/Vegetarians, Food diets etc.)
- b. The "Obesity" epidemic
- c. Hunger& Starvation deaths, Food Security & the Politics of Food distribution schemes.

#### **CIA:** Group presentation/assignment.

#### **List of Recommended Reference Books:**

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#### TYBA SOCIOLOGY

Course: ASOC0604

#### Title: Sociology of Work and Management - II

#### **Learning Objectives**

- 1. To acquaint the student with the social dynamics in the world of work both urban and rural
- 2. To help the learner understand the complexities of the Indian working environment

#### Number of lectures: 60

#### **UNIT I**

#### **Issues of Rural Workers**

[15 Lectures]

- a. Changing patterns of rural economy and its impact
- b. Globalisation: interdependence, patent regime,
- c. Important characteristics of Agriculture and Agricultural labour in India.
- d. Problems of agricultural labour relating to:
  - i. Patents.
  - ii. Indebtedness and farmers suicides.
  - iii. Environmental issues
- e. Sustainable agriculture

#### UNITII

#### Women and Children At Work

[15 Lectures]

- a. Issues
- b. Causes
- c. Extent
- d. Interventions

#### UNITIII

#### **Management Employee Relations.**

[15 Lectures]

- a. Characteristics of industrial relations.
- b. Managing industrial relations:
  - i. Traditional methods-Trade unions and collective bargaining.
  - ii. Modern methods—Human resource management.

#### **UNITIV**

#### **Work In A Globalized World: The Indian Context**

[15 Lectures]

- a. Changing profile of work
- b. Processes: outsourcing (KPOs and BPOs)
- c. Future of work in the 'network society'

**CIA:** Projects / Presentations / Tests

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#### TYBA **SOCIOLOGY**

Course: ASOC0605

#### Title: Media, Culture and Society II (Applied Component)

#### **Learning Objectives**

- 1. To develop a sociological understanding of the role of the media in contemporary society.
- 2. To foster a critical understanding of how the media is influencing culture and society in India.
- 3. To equip students with the tools to analyse the media through an individual / group project which would be conducted across semesters V and VI as part of their CIA. This project will have a weightage of 40 percent in each semester.

Number of lectures: 45

#### **UNIT I**

#### Mass Communication And Social Change In India

[15 Lectures]

- a. The role of the audio visual media Role of Cinema, Cable and satellite homes
- b. The Internet Cyber societies and virtual communities : internet and marginalized groups
- c. The cell phone impact of convergence

#### UNIT II

#### Propaganda and Public opinion

[15 Lectures]

- a. Persuasion and propaganda
- b. Image making and public opinion
- c. Measuring Public opinion polls

#### UNIT III

#### The Media industry in Indian society – Regional variance

[15 Lectures]

- a. Development and present scenario of the regional language press
- b. Development and present scenario of the regional language cinema
- c. Development and present scenario of the regional language television

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#### **List of Recommended Reference Books:**

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#### TYBA - SOCIOLOGY

Course: ASOC0606

#### Title: Gender Studies (Applied Component) -II

#### **Learning Objectives**

- 1. This course is designed to introduce students to questions in which gender is a significant category of analysis.
- 2. Topics will include the construction of gender identity and sexuality and the relationship of gender to past and present social and cultural institutions and feminist and related theoretical approaches.

Number of lectures: 45

#### **UNIT I:** Engendering Identities and Resistance in India

[15 Lectures]

- a. Women's Movement
- b. LGBTQ Movement
- c. Religious and Personal Laws
- d. Evolution of gender-based laws after Independence

#### **UNIT II: Gender-based Violence**

[20 Lectures]

- a. Violence within the family and community
- b. Violence between communities
- c. Digital Violence

#### **UNIT III: Gender and Work**

[10 Lectures]

- a. Patriarchy and Capitalism
- b. Gender and Inequality in Global Labour Force
- c. Re/productive work

**CIA:** Dissertation

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T.Y. B.A. SOCIOLOGY Course: ASOC0607

#### Title: Research Methods in Sociology - II

#### Learning Objectives:

- 1. This two part course is designed to equip the undergraduate student with the basic knowledge and skills required to undertake a sociological research project. Students will be simultaneously taken through the theoretical and practical dimensions of social research.
- 2. The course would require a detailed field based research project undertaken either individually or in small groups. This project which would commence in semester V and culminate in a research report in semester VI would be evaluated as a combined CIA project and would have a weightage of 40 percent in each semester where the student would be evaluated on the attainment of specific milestones. The final project will be evaluated as part of the End Semester examination in the current semester (Semester 6) and will thus have a weightage of 60 marks.
- 3. The course would familiarize students with the basics of both quantitative and qualitative research. They would also be introduced to the basic statistical analysis.
- 4. This course would build on the learnings of semester V and attempt at giving the students a more comprehensive understanding of the process of social research both theoretical and practical so as to prepare them to undertake more complex research endeavors.
- 5. In addition to the earlier theoretical perspectives and empirical approaches, students would also be guided on the following so as to help them complete their dissertation at the end of Semester 6. These include:

Instruction during the Semester would follow class based teaching as also one on one guided instruction which would be customized to meet the student's specific research needs.

Number of lectures: 60

UNIT I [15 lectures]

Field Work – Its nature and approaches

UNIT II [15 lectures]

Data tabulation and analysis

a. Data tabulation – coding, processing and working with data

UNIT III [15 lectures]

**Research Report** 

a. The research report - its structure and contents

UNIT IV [15 lectures]

#### Data processing and presentation

- a. Graphic presentation of data- pie chart, bar diagram, Histogram, frequency polygon
- b. Basics of SPSS and its uses in social research

**CIA:** Dissertation

#### **List of Recommended Reference Books**

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TYBA - SOCIOLOGY

Course: ASOC0608

#### Title: Popular and Subaltern Movements - II

#### **Learning Objectives**

- 1. Introduce students to the interdisciplinary field of postcolonial studies.
- 2. Familiarise the students with the machinations of 'power and knowledge'.
- 3. Critically analyse various social, religious, political and global movements.

#### Number of lectures: 60

#### **UNIT I: Introduction**

[10 Lectures]

- a. Orientalism
- b. Postcolonial Studies
- c. Subalterneity and Subaltern Studies

#### **UNIT II: SelectedSubaltern Writings**

[10 Lectures]

- a. Women as Subaltern
- b. The Muslim "Other"
- c. 'The decline of the subaltern' in Subaltern Studies

#### **UNIT III: Social and Religious Movements**

[20 Lectures]

- a. Sri Narayana Guru Movement
- b. Devi Movement in Gujarat
- c. Contemporary movements: Scientology, AumShinrikyoand others

#### **Unit IV: Contemporary Movements**

[20 Lectures]

- a. Anti-Globalisationand Transnational Movements
- b. # Activism: #MeToo, #BlackLivesMatter, #NotInMyName and others
- c. Legal Movements- RTI, FRA, Right to Food, Disability rights and others
- d. Lifestyle Movements Veganism, Fan Activism and others

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TYBA - SOCIOLOGY

**Title:Organisational Development and Change** 

Course: ASOC0609

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- 1. To acquaint students with the meaning, importance, scope and social relevance of various issues relating to Organisational Development and Change.
- 2. To familiarize students with the diverse approaches available to a Human Resource Manager to understand Organisational Cultures and their role in impacting Organisations.
- 3. To create an understanding of the diverse issues involved in Organisational Development and Change by particularly locating them in the organizational, social, and cultural context.

Number of lectures: 45

#### **UNIT I:** Organizational Development

[15 lectures]

- a. Meaning, nature, characteristics and need of organization development
- b. Organizational change the social dynamics, types of change, managing change
- c. The OD process and intervention techniques
- d. Interconnections between the organization and the individual

#### **UNIT II:** Organizational Culture

[15 lectures]

- a. Meaning and nature of organizational culture and climate
- b. The development and growth of organizational culture, types of cultures
- c. Changing organizational cultures
- d. Impact of social milieu on organizational cultures

#### **UNIT III: Some Issues in Organisational Development and Change** [15 lectures]

- a. Developing a global mindset
- b. Work-life balance
- c. Total Quality Management
- d. Innovation / Creativity
- e. Human Resource Planning
- f. Diversity in the work place

With reference to the above the focus will be on

- 1. Understanding the concept
- 2. The need / relevance
- 3. Key methods and approaches towards developing the same.

**CIA Evaluation**: Students would be evaluated on a combined project / presentation / case study which will evaluate their understanding and application of the subject.

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