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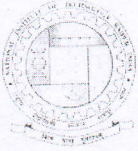
1.	Department proposing the course	Humanities and Social Sciences
2.	Course Title	Introduction to Sociology
3.	L-T-P Structure	3-0-0
4.	Credits / # of period	3/40
5.	Course number (Code)	
6.	Status (Core/Elective)	Open Elective
7.	Pre-requisites (course no./title)	Under graduation; Total seats - 50
8.	Frequency of offer	Semester V
9.	Course Objectives (CO): 1. To generate among the students critical understanding on how the society functions and is influenced by various socio-economic, cultural and political forces. 2. To familiarize the students with the role of an individual within the society and how the real-world problems can be addressed.	
10.	Course Syllabus: Unit-1 What is Sociology? 1.1 Sociology – origin of the discipline, nature & significance; 1.2 Relationship with other disciplines; 1.3 Sociological approaches; 1.4 Sociological concepts - social structure, groups, community, association, norms & values, status & role. Unit-2 Thinking Sociologically 2.1 Sociological imagination, 2.2 Social Darwinism 2.3 Division of labour and anomie; 2.4 Alienation 2.5 Rationalization; 2.6 Self and society; 2.7 Hegemony, power and authority; 2.8 Social control, structure and human behavior; 2.9 Social & cultural capital; 2.10 World-systems and dependency Unit-3 Social Institutions and Socialization 3.1 Perspectives on social institutions - family and marriage, caste, communities; 3.2 Stratification & inequality; 3.3 Religion and society; 3.4 Organizations - formal organization (bureaucracy), informal organizations; 3.5 Cooperation, conflict & accommodation. Unit-4 Social Change and Development 4.1 Definition and theories of change (linear, cyclical, fluctuation and conflict); 4.2 Processes of social change – modernization, Sanskritization, industrialization, urbanization, secularization, social movements; 4.3 Understanding development – nature & theories, society & development; 4.4 Dependency, modernization & globalization; 4.5 Qualitative & quantitative approach to understanding change and development.	
11.	Text Books:- 1. Henslin, J.M. (2016). <i>Essentials of Sociology</i> . Pearson. 2. Haralambos, M. & Horlborn, M. (2014). <i>Sociology: Themes and Perspectives</i> . Harper Collins.	
12.	Reference Books :- 1. Inkeles, A. (1979). <i>What is Sociology?: An Introduction to the Discipline and Profession</i> . Prentice Hall India Learning Private Limited.	

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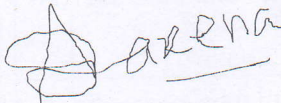
2. Bottomore, T.B. (1962). *Sociology: A Guide to Problems and Literature*. Routledge.
3. Rocher, G. (1982). *General Introduction to Sociology*. MacMillan.
4. Mandelbaum, D. (1990). *Society in India*. Popular.
5. Srinivas, M.N. (1991). *Social change in Modern India*. Orient Longman.

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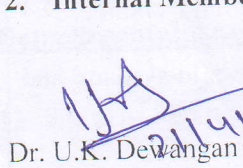
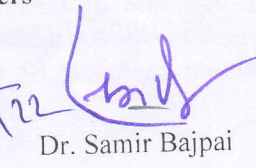
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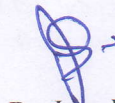
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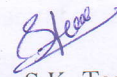
 

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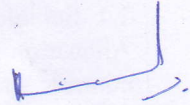
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