



**UNIVERSITY OF DELHI**

**THE  
DEPARTMENT OF  
POLITICAL  
SCIENCE**



The Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, was established in 1952, is the single largest body of students and faculty studying and teaching Political Science in India. It enjoys an exceptional reputation in teaching and research in the discipline. Extremely rich in academic potential, comprising a faculty known widely for their research and teaching abilities, it ranks easily amongst the best departments in the country. It is uniquely placed as being the only institution that offers teaching across all six sub-disciplines of Political Science including Political Theory, Indian Political Thought, International Relations, Comparative Politics, Indian Politics and Public Administration.





# OUR VISION

Shaping the way the discipline is studied in a foundational manner, imbued with a distinctive focus on contributions of the Indian scholarship in understanding our complex and diverse social realities. We are committed to advance education and research that fosters intellectual and social transformation and prepares students to become citizen leaders committed to values of social and gender justice, and public service.

## ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

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### MASTERS

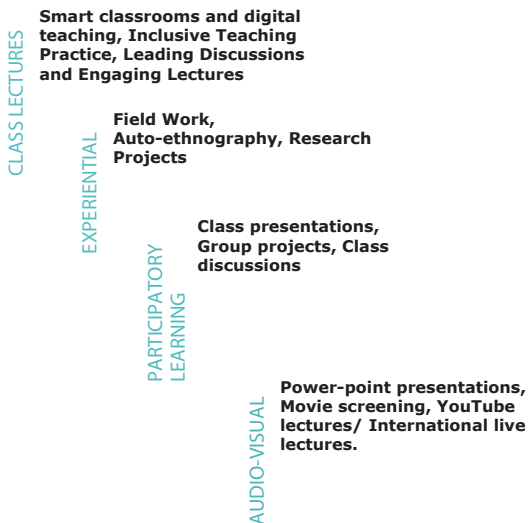
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#### POLITICAL SCIENCE

The Masters Degree Programme of the Department continues to be among the most sought after and one of the most prestigious programmes being run in the country. Each year, the Department receives a significant number of applications for its Masters programme. The Masters programme aims to impart, through core and elective courses, both foundational as well as advanced knowledge to the students in the discipline of Political Science. The programme seeks to inculcate critical thinking and enhance communication and analytical skills of the students through a variety of methods ranging from textual analyses, experiential learning, and use of statistical data. The Programme enables students to apply theoretical knowledge for understanding the practical domains of Indian politics, International Relations and Public Policy and facilitate an interdisciplinary approach for better understanding and engagement with India's social problems, inclusion/exclusion, situations and issues of development.



**Our pedagogy is structured to help both advanced and slow learners and deploys a varied range of pedagogic techniques**



## **IN THE YEAR 2022-23**

**1 OUT OF 24 CANDIDATES WERE ACCEPTED**

**Advanced learners get opportunities to achieve new milestones in research projects and programmes led by the faculty. Remedial Classes are provided to students in English and Hindi languages to address any limitations with respect to their linguistic abilities.**

# CORE COURSES

## Semester I

- Debates in Political Theory
- Theories of International Relations
- Politics in India
- Themes in Indian Political Thought

## Semester II

- Comparative Political Analysis
- Administrative Theory
- 2 Open Elective Papers

## Semester III

- 4 Elective Papers

## Semester IV

- 4 Elective Papers
- 1 Skill Based Compulsory Course (Applied Political Science)

A total of 6 Core Papers, 10 Open Elective Papers, 71 Elective Papers and One Skill Based Compulsory Course is offered by the Department. The Core papers are compulsory (4 papers in Sem I and 2 papers in Sem II). Out of 10 Open Elective Papers, 2 papers are to be chosen in Sem III & 4 in Sem IV)

# MASTERS PROGRAMME

## *List of Open Elective Papers*

- Ethics and Governance
- Understanding the International
- Political Institutions and Processes in India
- Gender Studies
- Development
- Security: An Interdisciplinary Discourse
- Environment
- Human Rights: Challenges and Concerns
- Research Methods in Political Science
- Digital/Social Media and New Public
- The Politics of Identity in Comparative Perspective
- Nationalism in Comparative Perspective
- Identities and Political Transformation in India
- Development Process and Politics in India
- Democracy and Human Rights in India
- Politics and Ethnic Conflicts in J&K
- Law, Crime and Politics in India
- State Politics in India
- Indian Polity in State-Society Interaction Since the 1960s

## *List of Elective Papers*

- Ethics and Politics
- Global Justice and the South
- Themes in Citizenship
- Theory and Practice of Democracy
- Critical Traditions in Political Theory
- Democracy and Violence: Contestation, Convergence and Discourse
- Key Ideas in Contemporary Critical Theory in India
- Ambedkar in Contemporary India
- Gandhi, Autonomy and Discourse
- Dalit-Bahujan Thought
- Contemporary Explorations in Tagore
- Discourses on Hindu Nationalism
- Culture and Politics in India
- Social Conservatism in India
- Social Exclusion: Theory and Practice
- Indian Strategic Thought
- Gender in International Relations
- State and Society in Pakistan
- Pakistan and the World
- The Politics of Violence in South Asia
- Security Studies
- Comparative Federalism: Theory and Practice
- The Modern State in Comparative Perspective
- Social Movement and Revolution
- Politics of South Asia in Comparative Perspective
- Constitutionalism in Comparative Perspective
- The State in Diverse Political Traditions
- Society, State and Politics: Comparing India and Israel
- Religious Nationalism and Political Violence
- Elections and Electoral Process in India
- Public Institutions and Governance
- Institutions, Development and Poverty
- Collaborative Governance Transforming Engagements in Public Management
- Corporate Citizenship and Governance: Theories and Practices
- The Political in Local Governance
- Environmental Policies & Politics
- Politics of Knowledge
- Marx's Politics: Labour, Equivalence, Rights
- Politics and Psychoanalysis
- Political Theology Debates
- Black Radical Tradition
- Comparative Political Theory
- Egalitarianism: Theory and Practice
- Theorizing the Politics of Diversity
- Interpreting Indian Classical Texts
- Modern Indian Political Thinkers
- Regions and Regionalism
- India in World Affairs
- Power Transition and the Dynamics of Foreign Policy in International Relations
- Conflict Analysis
- 'Worlding' International Relations: Perspectives from the Global South
- Islam and International Relations
- International Relations of South Asia
- United States of America in the Transforming Global Order
- China's Role in Contemporary World
- Citizenship and Borders
- North America in Comparative Perspective
- Contemporary Debates in Indian Federalism
- Political Parties and Party system in India
- International Political Economy
- Key Texts in Political Philosophy
- Public Policy

# Thematic focus of Course Curricular

INDIAN  
13  
KNOWLEDGE  
SYSTEM

HUMAN VALUES  
19

GOVERNANCE  
14

SOCIAL INCLUSION  
18

GENDER  
28  
ETHICS  
11

# No. of Courses

ENVIRONMENT  
16



# Ph.D PROGRAMME

The PhD programme is designed to equip the students with advanced skills of learning and analysis involving knowledge of appropriate methods and modes of inquiry, including statistical and interpretative techniques to systematically approach the study of political problems. The research students undergo a semester long rigorous coursework which includes a core paper on Research Methodology and two Optional Papers from diverse themes. Students periodically present their research in the annual 'Work-in-Progress' workshops, which is an integral part of their thesis writing. The programme provides an opportunity to students to undertake detailed research in preparation for a career in academia.

In the year 2022-23

**candidates were accepted**

**1 in 43**

**From 2018-2023**

**No of  
Ph.D  
Degrees  
Awarded**

**92**

**No of  
NET/  
JRF/  
RGNF/  
MGNF  
Scholars**

**363**



**A significant number of our Ph.D students conduct field visits as part of the research**

# **MANY OF OUR RESEARCH STUDENTS HAVE PRESENTED PAPERS AT NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES SOME IMPORTANT FORUMS INCLUDE:**

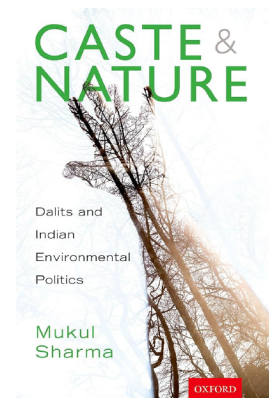
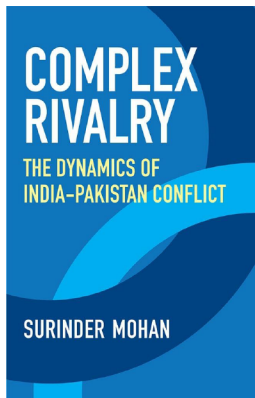
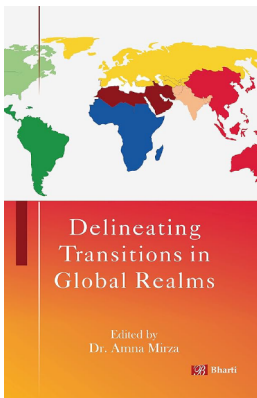
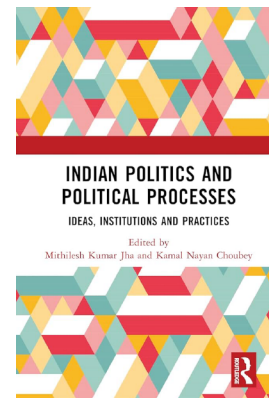
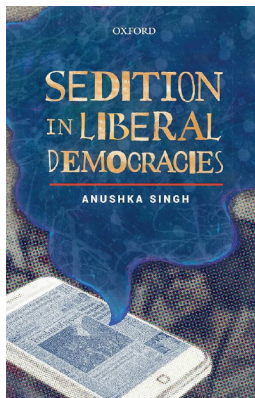
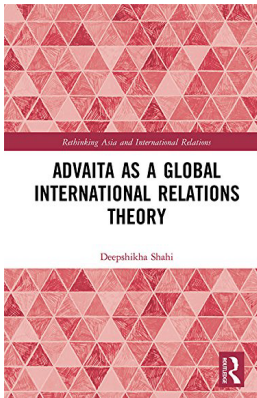
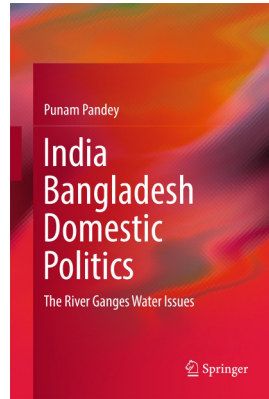
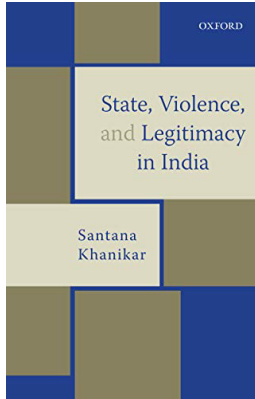
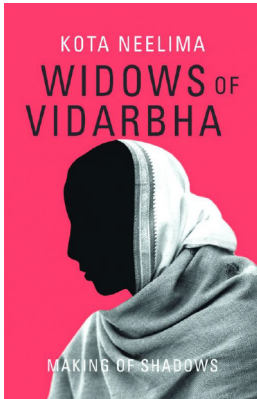
- **International Studies Association**
- **European International Studies Association**
- **International Political Science Association**
- **Borders and Migration Conference**
- **International Association for Feminist Economics**
- **International Association for the Study of Forced Migration**
- **Association of Asian Studies**

**ALONG WITH PARTICIPATION IN SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS, OUR STUDENTS HAVE PUBLISHED IN VARIOUS REPUTED JOURNALS**

## **SOME IMPORTANT JOURNALS INCLUDE**

- **Surveillance Society**
- **India Quarterly**
- **Strategic Analysis**
- **Quarterly Review of Film and Video**
- **Journal of Borderland Studies**
- **Economic and Political Weekly**
- **Society and Culture in South Asia**

# BOOKS PUBLISHED BY OUR STUDENTS



# RESEARCH PROFILE

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The Department provides a platform for a wide array of research endeavours ranging from national and international projects, international collaborations, University's CAS-SAP Programme, Conferences, Seminars and Workshops both at the national and international Level to Research Networks/groups.

## Research Thrust Areas:

- a. Knowledge, Development and Politics: Conceptual and Field Issues
- b. Decolonizing Indian Political Thought: Search for Indigenous Vocabulary
- c. Doing International Relations: Exploring Alternative Trajectories
- d. Key Text in Hindu Nationalism
- e. Comparative Political Theory
- f. Contextualizing Indian Federalism: Constituent Assembly Debates and Political Discourse

## Research Funds:

**UGC CAS I & CAS II (2016-2021):**

**1,60,00,000**

**Governmental Sources:**

**33,50,000**

**Institution of Eminence, Faculty  
Research Programmes:**

**14,15,000**

**University of Delhi Development and  
Maintenance Grant**

**15,83,500**

## CONFERENCES & WORKSHOPS:

Since 2018, the Department has organized:

**2**

International  
Conferences

**73**

Seminars  
& Talks

**16**

Faculty  
Development  
Programmes

**5**

Workshops

The Department faculty has participated in **114** International  
Conferences and **110** National Conferences

Department faculty are the editors and/or referees  
of **16** reputed International Journals

## **INTERNATIONAL AND NATIONAL SEMINARS/WORKSHOPS HELD IN THE DEPARTMENT DURING THIS PERIOD INCLUDE:**

- Politics and Public Policy, February 2019.
- Electoral Dynamics and Contours of Party System: Run-up to 2019, March 2019.
- Popular Imaginaries and Discourses on Politics in India: Exploring Cultural Narratives as Alternative Sites of Knowledge Construction, February 2019.
- Insider/Outsider Politics in Northeast India, February 2019.
- Modinomics: Myth or Reality, February 2019.
- Mapping India's Foreign Policy: Regional and Global Dynamics, March 2019.
- Gandhi: Ethics and Politics in the 21st Century, April 2019.
- Movie Screening; Landless: Do the scarecrows have their own land? August 2019.
- The Five Schools (Fiqh) of Islamic theology, November 2019.
- Gender Sensitization and Caste Discrimination, September 2019, September 2023.
- CareerConnect: Exploring Different Avenues, February 2020.
- Researching and Documenting Vulnerable Communities: Addressing the Gaps in Knowledge and Praxis, February 2020.
- Mapping the Contours of Indian Political Thought, February 2020.
- Ethics and Climate Change: Challenges and Prospects, February 2020.
- The Status of Cooperative Federalism under NDA II: The Impact on Political Institutions, February 2020.
- Leveraging Technological Leadership for Soft Power: What India can Learn from Others, February 2020.
- Appraisal of Policies of BJP led NDA Government, February 2020.
- Political Theory & Normative Reflections: Addressing Challenges of our Times, February 2020.
- Kabir" Revisiting 'Bodies of Song', February 2020.
- India's Neighborhood Policy: Issues and Challenges, February 2020.
- Legal Responses to COVID 19: Insights from Different Countries, July 2020.
- Academia Beyond Borders: Work and Methods Lecture Series, April 2021.
- Academia Beyond Borders: Federalism as a Tool for Conflict Resolution, April 2021.
- Legitimacy struggles in International Organizations: Rights-talk, Protection commitments and the International Organization for Migration, February 2022.
- Revisiting the Ideas of India from 'Swaraj' to 'New India', May 2022.
- Why Nations Abandon Peaceful Grand Strategies: Ukraine War in Historical Context, May 2022.
- Fighting Lockdowns: Preliminary Observations on Mobilizations in Multiple Societies, May 2022.
- Understanding China Today, July 2022.
- Finding Gandhi Today, July 2022.





# INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATIONS

## ● U-21 Teaching Program

U-21 is a teaching collaboration at Masters level between University of Delhi, University of Melbourne and University of Birmingham, under the overall umbrella of Universitas programme consisting of 21 universities from across the world. The programme involves an intensive study module of global dynamics of security and development related issues in the South Asian context.

## ● South Asia Network for Communication, Displacement and Migration (SAN-CDM)

The network is hosted by Mahanirban Calcutta Research Group and supported by Deutsche Welle Akademie to facilitate greater representation of refugees and displaced persons in media. The network shares each other's work, connect journalists with academics and vice versa, hold events based on the network member's expertise, and aim to facilitate greater representation of refugees and displaced persons in media.

## ● Doing International Relations Differently Network

This network seeks to pluralize the sources of relational thinking in International Relations by showing how different cosmological traditions view relationality, suggesting the possibility of pluriversal International Relations.

## INTERNATIONAL FELLOWSHIPS AVAILED BY DEPARTMENT FACULTY:

- Fulbright-Nehru Fellowship for Academic and Professional Excellence
- University of Pittsburgh Global Visiting Scholar
- Indo-Swiss Joint Research Programme
- Charles Burdick Global Scholars Program, University of California, USA
- The New Institute, Hamburg, Germany
- Transnational Collaboration with National Chengchi University, Taiwan



# TIU Global Dialogue

Session #15



## DOING IR DIFFERENTLY: RELATIONAL COSMOLOGIES AROUND THE WORLD

Based on a forum in *International Studies Perspectives* and a forthcoming special issue in *Review of International Studies*, this online panel addresses two challenges. First, what happens if we conceive of International Relations (IR) from a relational perspective by assuming relations as prior to the existence of entities. Second, it seeks to pluralize the sources of relational thinking in IR by showing how different cosmological traditions view relationality, suggesting the possibility of a *pluriversal* IR. Each participant will be asked to speak to the challenges above when answering the following question: how are they doing IR differently?

### Live Zoom Webinar Event

THURSDAY, DEC. 16, 2021

21:00 - 22:30, JST

04:00 - 05:30, BC

07:00 - 08:30, COT

12:00 - 13:30, BST

14:00 - 15:30, CET

17:30 - 19:00, IST

20:00 - 21:30, TWT

22:00 - 23:30, AEST



Get Zoom invites by scanning the QR Code or registering online, here: <http://bit.ly/tiugd-s15>

### About TIU Global Dialogue

TIU Global Dialogue is a speaker-series organized by Tokyo International University's E-Track International Relations Program. The Dialogue brings top experts, academics and policy practitioners in the many fields of international affairs - politics, diplomacy, military, economics, and industry - to TIU to share research findings, and discuss issues of strategic importance to Japan and the world.

For more information, contact: [globaldialogue@tiu.ac.jp](mailto:globaldialogue@tiu.ac.jp).



Panelist  
**Anahita Arlan**,  
University of Erfurt,  
Germany



Panelist  
**Navvita Behera**,  
University of Delhi, India



Panelist  
**Mijia Kurki**,  
University of  
Aberystwyth, UK



Panelist  
**Amaya Querejazu**,  
University of  
Aberystwyth, UK



Panelist  
**Arlene Tickner**,  
University of Rosario,  
Colombia



Panelist  
**Chih-yu Shih**,  
National  
Taiwan University,  
Taiwan



Panelist  
**Kasuke Shimizu**,  
Byukoku University,  
Japan



Panelist  
**Martin Weber**,  
University of  
Queensland, Australia



Panelist  
**Jarrad Reddekop**,  
Camosun College, Canada



Chair  
**Christopher Lamont**,  
Tokyo International  
University, Japan



Chair  
**Giorgio Shani**,  
International Christian  
University, Japan



## SOUTH ASIA NETWORK FOR COMMUNICATION, DISPLACEMENT AND MIGRATION (SAN-CDM)



INAUGURAL CONFERENCE

### DISPLACEMENTS AND VULNERABILITIES:

A CONFERENCE ON FORCED MIGRATION AND MEDIA IN SOUTH ASIA

4-7 FEBRUARY, 2023, LALITPUR, NEPAL



## RESEARCH PROJECTS

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7 Research  
Projects  
Sponsored  
by International  
bodies

10 Research  
Projects Sponsored  
by UGC, ICSSR  
and Government  
bodies

### **RESEARCH Networks:**

One of the unique features of the Department is its research networks. The Department acts as an umbrella for numerous and various research networks across and through disciplines and sub-disciplines. Each group consists of both researchers and faculty members from the Department of Political Science and other constituent colleges of Delhi University. These groups facilitate sharing of research findings by organizing conferences and workshops in collaboration with different national and international institutions.

### **Comparative Federalists Research Group (CFRG)**

This Research Group aims to promote comparative research in the field of federalism to enable cross national engagement. It seeks to engage with the study of institutions and policy making, and explore new arenas of federalism ranging from land rights and land acquisition; climate change, resource federalism and green federalism; urban, local and metropolitan governance; inter-governmental institutions; revenue sharing, fiscal management and fiscal equalization; joint service delivery and public-private partnerships; multi-level governance and policy making; foreign policy, immigration and integration policy.

### **Global Justice Research Group**

This group addresses a wide variety of issues of global justice within an interdisciplinary framework. The research agenda focus on, Global Distributive Justice; Rights and Responsibilities; Epistemologies of the South; Global Democracy and Governance; Development Ethics; Migration; Global Health; Climate Change; and Ethics of Trade and Aid, including Illicit Financial Flows. Creating a platform to bring together academics, policy practitioners and activists, it seeks to generate and theorize one issues related to Global South.

## Some Events Conducted by Research Networks



GLOBAL JUSTICE RESEARCH GROUP &  
PS E-02: GLOBAL JUSTICE AND THE SOUTH  
DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE  
UNIVERSITY OF DELHI.  
INVITES YOU TO A LECTURE  
ON  
**MIGRATION AND JUSTICE**  
BY  
NOVEMBER 6  
9:30-11:00 AM **PROF JOSEPH CARENS**  
(UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO)  
RSVP: PROF ASHOK ACHARYA  
(GLOBALJUSTICEANDSOUTH@GMAIL.COM)  
 <https://meet.google.com/dvx-scxe-hdj>



GLOBAL JUSTICE RESEARCH GROUP &  
PS-E 02: GLOBAL JUSTICE AND THE SOUTH  
DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE  
UNIVERSITY OF DELHI  
INVITES YOU TO A LECTURE ON  
**WHY GLOBAL JUSTICE  
MATTERS**

OCT 2  
5:30-7:00PM **PROF KOK-CHOR TAN**  
(UPENN)

RSVP: Prof Ashok Acharya  
([globaljusticeandsouth@gmail.com](mailto:globaljusticeandsouth@gmail.com))  
to join the Google meet



**OCTOBER 03, 2020  
4:00-6:00PM**

Global Justice Research Group &  
PS-E 02: GLOBAL JUSTICE AND THE SOUTH  
Department of Political Science  
University of Delhi  
invites you to a lecture on:

**Toward a  
Morally-Based  
World Order**



**PROF. THOMAS POGGE**  
(YALE UNIVERSITY)  
**Chair: Prof. Veena Kukreja**

RSVP: Prof. Ashok Acharya  
([globaljusticeandsouth@gmail.com](mailto:globaljusticeandsouth@gmail.com))  
to join the Google Meet

## SOCIAL AND COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Committed to contributing towards betterment of the society, the Department encourages all students to be part of the social service sector. As a first initiate-of-its kind, the Department has, in collaboration with Institute of Development Studies (IDS), Sussex and Water Supply and Sanitation Collaborative Council, a UN organization, organized an innovative Village Immersion Program to contribute towards Swachh Bharat Abhiyan (Gramin) involving about sixty Masters students. The program focused on research methods specially the Reality Check Approach and Participatory Research Appraisal to study about 30-40 open defecation free villages in about 12 states during summer 2018.



## SOCIAL AND COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Community outreach programs are vital for fostering social responsibility and connecting academic institutions with local communities. The Department conducts programs to promote mental well-being, personal growth, and resilience, especially during challenging times like the pandemic. Sessions on mindfulness, mental health, and holistic wellness, the department supports individual development but strengthens community ties. Programs like these highlight the importance of collective healing and shared experiences.

**TALKS @ TH**

Mind-Body-Spirit

Research based toolkit on well-being for a long and healthy life.

WED MAY 12 7 PM

Dr. Sujata Kelkar Shetty

PhD; biological scientist, certified life coach & best-selling author

scan the QR code to register for the event

The Happiness Collective

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SPECIAL THANKS TO:  
Prof. Rekha Saxena, Dept. of Medical Science, University of Delhi  
Ms. Shuchi Singla, National President, I'Gard, Women's Indian Chamber of Commerce & Industry

Join the community: FB.com/groups/THIndiaClub

http://www.thindiaclub.com



DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE  
UNDER THE AEGIS OF IQAO  
UNIVERSITY OF DELHI  
COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAM  
10 MAY 2021, 5-6 PM

### COPING WITH PANDEMIC SITUATION: HOLISTIC VIEW ON HEALTH SERIES 1

Google Meet joining link: <https://meet.google.com/wvs-fsqj-ekw> Or dial: + 609-900-2313 PIN: 197 679 774#



Dr. Srikant Sharma  
S. Consultant, Physician,  
Moolchand Hospital, Delhi



Dr. Sukanya Patra  
M.B.B.S, D.G.O (Calcutta),  
MRCOG (London),  
Consultant Obstetrician &  
Gynaecologist, DMC

Chair: Prof. Sengeev K. H.M., Dept. of Pol. Science, DU  
Vote of Thanks: Prof. Rekha Saxena, Dept. of Pol. Science, DU  
Coordinator: Dr. Smita Agarwal, Dept. of Pol. Science, DU

## DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI



ANITA KARWAL



NEERA CHANDHOKE



KARAN SINGH



MANORANJAN MOHANTY



RIVA DAS GANGULY



ALOK RANJAN JHA

## DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI



RUCHIRA KAMBOJ



APURVA VARMA



PROF. SUBRATA K MITRA



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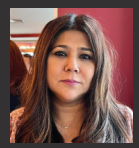
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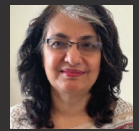
**Rekha Saxena, Professor**

Areas: Indian and Comparative Politics, Federal Political Institutions, Constitution and Federalism, Elections, Party System



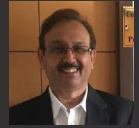
**Ujjwal Kumar Singh, Professor**

Areas: Law and Politics, Constitutionalism and Democracy, Social Movements and Rights, Political Institutions, Modern State in Comparative Perspective



**Navnita Chadha Behera, Professor**

Areas: Global Governance of Knowledge Structures, Genealogy of IR Discipline and its Pedagogical Practices, IR Theory, Identity Politics and Political Violence, Gender Studies, South Asian Politics with a special focus on Pakistan and the Kashmir Conflict



**Ashok Acharya, Professor**

Areas: Political Theory: Contemporary, Global and Comparative  
Political Theory: Liberalism, Affirmative Action, Rights, Multi-Culturalism, Applied Ethics and Global Justice



**Madhulika Banerjee, Professor**

Areas: Public Policy, Political Economy, Politics of Knowledge, Comparative Politics



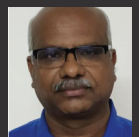
**Sangit Kumar Ragi, Professor**

Areas: Ethnicity and Ethnic Conflicts, Nationalism, Indian Political Thought, Public Administration



**Sunil Kumar Choudhary, Professor**

Areas: Indian Politics, Comparative Politics (India and Israel, India and UK), Parties and Party Systems, Electoral Politics, Democracy, Governance, Communalism and Secularism, Corruption, Human Rights, Diaspora Studies



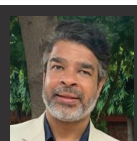
**N Sukumar, Professor**

Areas: Indian Political Thought, Anti-Caste Studies, Higher Education, Human Rights, Social Exclusion and Inclusion



**Shri Prakash Singh, Professor**

Areas: Ancient and Modern Political Thought, Social Exclusion, Social Inclusion, The philosophy of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, Issues of Social Justice and Inclusive Growth, Empowerment, Reservation and Affirmative Action, Nationalism and Secularism, Environmental Education, Vedic Ecology, and Value Education



***Sanjeev Kumar H.M., Professor***

Areas: International Relations Theory, International Political Theory, Democratization and Security in South Asia, The History of Ideas in South Asia, Islamic Thought and International



***Bipin Kumar Tiwary, Professor***

Areas: International Politics and Disabilities Discourse



***Nasreen Chowdhory, Professor***

Areas: Comparative Politics, Indian Politics, Ethnicity and Nationalism, Forced Migration and Citizenship



***Rajesh Dev, Associate Professor***

Areas: Anthropology of Law and Policy, Democratic Theory, Politics of Ethnic Identity, Indigenous Politics, Border Studies Politics and Public Policy



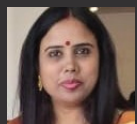
***Saroj Giri, Associate Professor***

Areas: Political Theory, Western Political Thought, New Social Movements



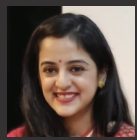
***Abhishek Choudhary, Assistant Professor***

Areas: Comparative Politics, Theories of International Relations, Critical Security Studies, Indian Political Thought, Decolonial Perspectives, Global Justice, Caste and International Relations, Research Methodologies



***Deepika Singh, Assistant Professor***

Areas: India's Energy Need and Central Asia, Feminism, Migration, Sixth Schedule, India's Act East Policy, Significance of North Eastern Region



***Mithila Bagai, Assistant Professor***

Areas: Theories of International Relations, Global Politics and South Asian Politics



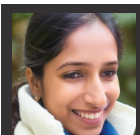
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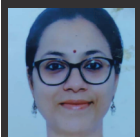
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