

Teaching Plan
Department of Public Policy and Public Administration
Central University of Jammu

Course No: MPPPA-303

Title: Public Policy- Concepts and Models

Total Lectures = 48

Seminars/ Assessment =12 Hours

	Day/ Week	Title of Topic to be taught	No. of Hours/ Days per topic	Suggested Readings
1st Week	I	What are the Models?	(Total Lectures= 4)	Thomas (2008), Understanding Public Policy, Singapore, Pearson Education
	II	Uses of the Models in Public Policy.		
	III			
	IV	Optimality and Improvements, contribution of Vilfredo Pareto		
	V	Seminar/Assessment	1 Hour	

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2nd Week	I	What is Justice?	(Total Lectures= 4)	A. Heywood (2000), Key Concepts of Politics, <i>Palgrave</i>
	II	Type of Justice- Social, political, economic, procedural or Substantive justice.		
	III	Evolution the Concept of Justice (Traditional or Modern notion)		
	IV	Rawls : Theory of Justice		
	V	Seminar/Assessment	1 Hour	

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3rd Week	I	Differences between interest Groups and political parties a brief introduction.	(Total Lectures= 4)	A. Heywood (2000), Key Concepts of Politics, <i>Palgrave</i>
	II			
	III	Almond Gabriel and concept of Interest Group: Interest Aggregation and Interest Articulation.		
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	V	Seminar/Assessment	1 Hour	

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4 th Week	I	Introduction to Policy Science. Policy Sciences: Contribution of Harold Lasswell. Mega and Meta Policy Yehezkel Dror's Contribution in Policy Sciences	(Total Lectures= 4)	Birkland Thomas A., (2005), An Introduction to The Policy Process: Theories, Concepts, And Models of Public Policy Making, Armonk; M.E. Sharpe Michel H. and M. Ramesh (2003), Studying Public Policy, Policy Cycle and Policy Subsystems, Oxford University Press
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	V	Seminar/Assessment	1 Hour	

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5 th Week	I	Incrementalism: Policy as a Variations on the past. Contribution of Charles Lindblom	(Total Lectures= 4)	Thomas R Dey (2008), Understanding Public Policy,
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	V	Seminar/Assessment	1 Hour	

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6 th Week	I	Concept of Budget. Budget Maximizing Model: William Niskanen	(Total Lectures = 4)	S.K. Mahajan and A. Mahajan (2014) Financial Administration in India, PHI Learning, Delhi (India,) José Casas-Pardo & Miguel Puchades- Navarro (2001), "A critical comment on Niskanen's model Kluwer Academic Publishers. Netherlands. Public Choice,
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	V	Seminar/Assessment	1 Hour	

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7 th Week	I	Understanding of Institutions.	(Total Lectures= 4)	B. Guy Peters and J Pierre (2007), Institutionalism, Sage Publication ,
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	IV	Institutional Rational Choice: Elinor Ostrom Institutionalism : Policy as Institutional output Development as Freedom : Amartya Sen		New York. Paul A. Sabatier (1999), Theoretical Lenses on Public Policy, Westview Press. Amarty Sen (2001), Development as Freedom, Oxford.
	V	Seminar/Assessment	1 Hour	

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8th Week	I	Process Model: Policy as a Political Activity Public Choice theory	(Total Lectures= 4)	Thomas (2008), Understanding Public Policy, Singapore, Pearson Education. Paul A. Sabatier (1999), Theoretical Lenses on Public Policy, Westview Press, Mohit B (2013,) New Horizons of Public Administration, JPH, New Delhi
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	V	Seminar/Assessment	1 Hour	

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9th Week	I	What is planning? Type of plans. Strategic Planning Meaning. Steps of Strategic Planning	(Total Lectures= 4)	Peter Huges and Michael Hill, Public Policy (Vol. II) Sage Publication. Richard D. Young ,Perspectives on Strategic Planning in the Public Sector, http://www.ipspr.sc.edu/publication/perspectives%20on%20Strategic%20Planning.pdf
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	V	Seminar/Assessment	1 Hour	

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10th Week	I	Game Theory	(Total Lectures= 4)	Binmore K.G. (2007) Game Theory A very short Introduction, Oxford University Press
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	V	Seminar/Assessment	1 Hour	

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11th Week	I	Elite Theory System Theory	(Total Lectures= 4)	Thomas R. Dye (2008), Understanding Public Policy, Singapore, Pearson Education.
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	V	Seminar/Assessment	1 Hour	

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12th Week	I	Group Theory	(Total Lectures= 4)	Thomas R. Dye (2008), Understanding Public Policy, Singapore, Pearson Education
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	V	Seminar/Assessment	1 Hour	