

UNIVERSITY OF KALYANI
M.A. in Sociology

1st Semester 2014

Course-1.1: Theoretical Perspectives in Sociology (Theory= 60 + Practical= 40)

Unit – I: Western Enlightenment, Modernity & Sociological theory (Functional & Conflict Perspectives)

Unit – II: Phenomenology Husserl, Schutz, Berger & Luckman

Unit – III: Critical Theory (Adorno, Horkheimer, Habermas)

Unit – IV: Post- Modern Theory (Baudrillard, Foucault, Derrida)

Course-1.2: Western Sociological Thought (Theory= 60 + Practical= 40)

Unit – I: A brief outline of Emergence of Sociological Thought, French Revolution, Industrial Revolution, Romantic Conservative Reactions,

Unit – II; Marx: Method of Social Analysis (Views on Alienation, Class)

Unit – III: Durkheim: Sociological Method, Division of Labour, Religion, Suicide

Unit–IV: Max Weber- Method, Political Sociology, Capitalism, Religion.

Course-1.3: Indian Sociological Thought (Theory= 60 + Practical= 40)

Unit – I: (a) Indological view-- G.S. Ghurye.

(b) Philosophical View-- Radha kamal Mukherjee

Unit – II: Marxist View--D.P. Mukherjee, A.R. Desai.

Unit – III: (a) Positivistic –B.K. Sarkar,

(b) Structural-Functional view- M.N .Srinivas

Unit – IV: Anthropological View - N.K. Bose, Surojit Sinha

Course-1.4: Indian Society: Tradition & Modernity (Theory= 60 + Practical= 40)

Unit – I: Cultural Diversity

Unit – II; Nationalism & Ethnicity

Unit – III: Trends in Divisiveness (Fundamentalism, Secularism, Communalism).

Unit – IV: Social Exclusion & Inclusion

Note: 40 marks (practical) are reserved for each course in the form of Presentation, Mid-term Exam. and Term Paper.

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- New Delhi, 1969
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Methods in Social Research
2nd Semester
2.1

1. Measurement- a) Social measurement vs. Physical measurement.
b) Four levels of measurement
c) Reliability- Validity (9)

2. Social Data analysis:
 - a) Measures of Central Tendency and Dispersion: Mean, Median, Mode; Range, Quartile Deviation and Standard Deviation.
 - b) Bivariate data analysis

3. Tests of Significance: Z test, t test and X^2 test. (5)

4. Corrections and Associations:
 - a) Co-efficient of correlation,
 - b) Rank difference correlation,
 - c) Coefficient of contingency. (7)

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- Goode, G. & Hatt, P.K. , 1952 Methods in Social Research, Mc. Graw Hill Kogakusha
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- Neuman, W.L. 2007. Social Research Methods: Qualitative and Quantitative Approaches, India, Pearson
- P.V. Young, 1964 Scientific Social Surveys and Research, Prentice Hall India, New Delhi

Sociology of Industry and Labour
2nd Semester
2.2

1. Key Concepts
 - i) Division of Labour
 - ii) Bureaucracy
 - iii) Production Relations
 - iv) Anomie
 - v) Alienation

(10)

2. Industry and Society
 - Factory as a Social System
 - Formal and Informal Organization
 - Impact of Industry of Society
 - Social and Cultural Impediments to Industrialization

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3. A. Industrial Labour

(6)

As an Economic Resource; As a class; Orientation to Work

B. Industrial Management

As an Economics Resource; As an Authority; As a class

C. Labour-Management Relationship in an Industrial Setting.

4. Trade Unionism: Myth and Reality

Reference:

- Bagchi, A.K. (ed) : New technology and Workers response
- Breman, J. : Footloose Labour: Working in India's Informal Economy
- Brown, JAC : The Social Psychology of Industry
- Kerr, C. et al : Industrialism and Industrial Man
- Mamkoottam, K. : Trade Unionism: Myth and Reality
- Moore, W. E. and Feldman, A. S. : Labour Commitment and Social Change in Developing Areas
- Ramaswamy, E.A. : The Worker and His Union
- Ramaswamy, Uma : Work, Union and Community
- Ramaswamy, Uma : Industry and Labour
- Sheth, N. R. : The Social Framework of an Indian Industry
- Vaid, K. N. : The New Worker

Social Stratification and Social Inequality
2nd Semester
2.3

1. Historical Moorings of Social Inequality in Traditional Indian Society:
Varna, Caste, Sub-Caste and Dominant Caste. (6)
2. Theories on the Origin of the Institution of Caste (6)
3. (i) Relevance of Jajmani System
(ii) Position of Women in the Caste Hierarchy
(iii) Caste and Politics
(iv) Caste System among Non-Hindus (9)
4. Scope of Social Mobility in Caste Today- Processes of Sanskritization,
Westernization, Urbanization, Industrialization, Politicization, Globalization-
Education and Social Mobility, Constitutional Safeguards and Social Mobility, Gender
and Social Mobility (9)

Reference:

- Ahmed, I. (ed.) 1978, Caste and Social Stratification among Muslims in India, Delhi, Monohar publication.
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- Das, V. (1977) Structure and Cognition; Aspects of Hindu Caste and Ritual, Delhi, Oxford university Press.
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- Gupta, D. (1991) Social Stratification, Delhi, Oxford University Press
- Haralambos, M. (1997), Sociology: Themes and Perspectives, Delhi, Oxford University Press
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- Srinivas, M.N. (ed.) (1996) Caste: Its Twentieth Century Avatar, New Delhi, Viking, Penguin

Sociology of Family and Kinship
2nd Semester
2.4

1. Marriage and its significance in instituting family; marriage and its cultural variants; Law and marriage with special reference to India (6)
2. Family: Problems of defining family: Family's significance, function and types; household-family debate; Modern societies and change in family (7)
3. Beyond nuclear-joint debate; Family as an institution of power and control: relationships within family; Gender hierarchies and family; Issues of production distribution and consumption
5. Kinship: Terms and concepts; Incest and role of taboo in understanding kindred relations consanguinal and affinal; kinship organization with special reference to India (certain unique kinship organizations across India should be studied). (10)

Reference:

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- Agarwal, B. 1997 "Bargaining" and Gender Relations: Within and Beyond the Household' Feminist Economics 3(1): 1-51
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- Firth, R. ; James Hubert and Anthony Forge 1970 Family and their Relatives: Kinship in a Middle-class sector of London. London: Routledge and Kegan Paul
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- Uberoi, P. 1993 *Family, Kinship and Marriage in India*. Delhi: OUP
- Uberoi, P. 1996 *Social Reform, Sexuality and the State*. New Delhi: Sage Publications

Political Sociology and Social Movements
3rd Semester

3.1

1. Political Sociology and Sociology of Politics

2. Social Movement: Definition- Social Movement and Collective Behavior- Typology – State’s Response to Social Movements

3. Problems in studying Social Movements

4. Peasant Movements in pre-post- independence India

5. Trade union Movements in different phases of industrial development in India

6. Political Socialization

7. Environmental Movements in India

8. Women’s Movements in India

9. Movements of the Marginalized

10. Civil Society

Reading List-

Books

- Political Sociology: Amal Kumar Mukhopadhyay
- Political Sociology in India: Dipankar Gupta
- Social Movements in India: A Review of Literature : Ghanshyam Shah
- State and Social Movements: Ghanshyam Shah
- Social Movements in India: M S A Rao
- Rural Sociology in India: A R Desai
- Working Class of India: History of Emergence and Movements: Sukomal Sen
- Rethinking Working Class History: Dipesh Chakrabarty

- Political Sociology and Social Movements
- The History of Doing: Radha Kumar
- Nation, Civil Society and Social Movements: T.K. Oomen
- Social Movements in India: A Review of Literature: Ghanshyam Shah
- State and Social Movements: Ghanshyam Shah
- Environmental Movements in Asia: Anne Kalland and Gerard Persoon(ed)
- Political Sociology in India: Dipankar Gupta

Journal

- Economic and Political Weekly
- Sociological Bulletin

Sociology of Culture
3rd Semester
3.2

1. A) Approaches to the study of culture
2. Culture change and continuity
3. Culture types: Popular culture, mass culture, folk culture, elite culture as reflected in festival, folklore, films, theatre, their social significance and impact, Culture and values.
4. The critical theory
5. Cultural diversity Pluralism and multi-culturalism, Culture and communication. The rise of media culture and the diversification of mass audience.
6. Globalization and Culture. The ethos of globalization (Unbridled freedom individualism, consumerism) cultural homogenization, cultural hegemony and globalization Syncretism in global culture.
7. Our culture and their culture-Amartya Sen
8. Culture in conflict-Who are we? Who are they?- Immanuel Wallerstein.

Reading list:

- Ahmad, A. 2002. 'On Communalism and Globalization'. New Delhi: Three essays.
- Carey, J.W 1989. Communication as culture: Essays on Media and as Society. Boston. Unwinhyman.
- Dasgupta. S. 2005: 'Changing faces of globalization'. New Delhi: Sage.
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- Jacobs, N and Lazarsfeld P. 1969. Culture for the Millions? Mass Media in modern society: New York: Princeton
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- Watson, C.W 2002: ' Multiculturalism'. New Delhi: Viva books
- Williams, R. 1958. 'Culture and Society'. London: Chatto and Windus.

Gender studies
3rd Semester
3.3

1. Social construction of Gender- Masculinity and Femininity- Production vs. Reproduction- Gender roles- Sexual division of labor- Household work & invisible work, Private- public dichotomy- Women in the family.
2. Emergence of feminist thought, socio-historical perspective, various women's movements.
3. Feminist methodology as critique of sociological methods- emergence of women studies.
4. Development policies- liberalization, globalization and their impact on women development and women's empowerment.
5. Women in India- the changing profile, the changing status of women in India pre-colonial, colonial and post colonial.

Gender and other specificities- caste and gender- class and gender- the role of the state and the NGOs. Empowerment of Women: Self help Group.

Reading List:

- Agnes, F. 2001 : Law & Gender Inequality, New Delhi, Oxford University Press
- Geetha, V.2002 : Gender in Theorizing Feminism Series, Calcutta Street.
- Harding, S 1987 : Feminism & Methodology, Open University Press.
- Mohanty, M (ed) 2006 : Class, Caste & Gender, New Delhi, Sage
- Misra, G. & Chandiramani, R. 2005 : Sexuality Gender & Rights, New Delhi, Sage
- Rege, S. (ed) 2003 : Sociology of Gender, New Delhi sage
- Shiva, V. 1988 : Staying Alive, New Delhi, Kali for Women

Indian Agricultural Society
3rd Semester
3.4

1. Historical Perspective and transformation of Indian Agrarian System. Marx on Indian Society; Bhupendra Nath Dutta; A. R. Desai
2. Socio- economic Structure of Pre- British Indian Society.
3. Transformation of Indian Agriculture in British Period.
4. Evolution of the concept of peasantry in Indian context
5. Land Reform and peasant movement:
a) Gandhian Peasant Movement b) Land Reform and its impact
c) Post independence peasant movement
6. Changing Caste system in India: a) Ambedkar's views on Caste and Untouchability
b) Issues of Backward class with special reference to recent developments
7. Political Process in Indian Agrarian Society: a) Panchayati Raj and Decentralization
b) Caste and Electoral Politics
8. Tribal Policies in India Forest Bill and its Impact.

Reference:

- A. R. Desai : *Social Background of Indian Nationalism*, Popular Prakashan, 1948
- R. P. Dutta : *India Today*, Manisha, 1970
- B. N. Dutta : *Dialectics of Land Economics of India*, Mohendra Pub, 1952
- A. Betaille : *Studies in Agrarian Social Structure*, Oxford University Press
- D. N. Dhanagare : *Peasant Movements in India 1920-1950*, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 1983
- P. C. Joshi : *Land Reform in India*, Allied Publications, 1965
- M. N. Srinivas : *Caste: Its Twentieth Century Avatar*, Penguin New Delhi, 1996
- UNDP : UNDP Report, 1993

Environment and Society
3rd Semester
3.5

1. Classical Sociological Tradition- Karl Marx, Emile Durkheim and Max Weber on Environmental Concerns.
2. Environmental Sociology 21st Century Paradigm.
3. Emerging Theoretical Parameters in environmental Sociology. Contribution of Zavestokis, Dunlop and Catton, Ramachandra Guha, Patrick Geddes and Radha Kamal Mukherjee.
4. Nature versus Nurture: Synthesis of Social and Environmental Dialect
5. Environmental Issues pertaining to population, water, sanitation, pollution, energy, housing and urban development and rural poverty
6. Social Impact, assessment of environmental issues.
7. Development displacement, relocation and environmental problems.
8. Global Environmentalism: Environment, technology and society, Environmental Justice, Policy and Action

Reference:

- Gadgil, Madhav and Ramachandra Guha, 1999 Ecology and Equity: The Use and Abuse of Nature in Contemporary India, New Delhi
- Giddens, Anthony, 1996 Global Problems and Ecological Crisis in Introduction top Sociology, 2nd Edition, New York
- Michael Fedclift, 1984 Development and the Environmental Crisis, New York
- O.L. Riordan, 1981 Environmentalism, Pion
- Schnaiberg Allan, 1980 The Environment, Oxford

Sociology of Science and Technology
4th Semester
4.1

1. Western Enlightenment, Science and Modernity; Science and Magic revisited.
2. Colonial Governmentality as Science; Modalities of Knowledge building in India
3. Colonialism and specific modalities of knowledge production
4. Specific historical instances of institutionalizing science illustration.
5. Development as Science in Post-colonial India; Planning, Industrialization and Green Revolution
6. Environmentalism and the Return of the 'Indigenous'; Critique of Western Science, Ethno Science as Science
7. Critique of the Divide between Scientific and Indigenous Knowledge: Specific Illustrations from the Indian Context

Suggested Readings:

- Cohn, B. 1997 *Colonialism and its Forms of Knowledge* Delhi: OUP
- Dirks, N. 2001 *Castes of Mind* Princeton: Princeton University Press
- Nandy, Ashis ed. 1988 *Science and Hegemony Violence: A Requiem for Modernity*, Delhi: OUP
- Saberwal, V. and Rangarajan, M. 2003 *Battles Over Nature*. Delhi: Permanent Black
- Shiva, V 1988 *Staying Alive* Zed Press
- Tambiah, S. J. 1990 *Magic, Science and Religion and the Scope Of Rationality*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press

OPTIONAL
Development Studies
4th Semester
4.2

1. Meaning and Concept of Development
 - a) Sociological meaning
 - b) Applied Meaning

2. Development in question
 - a) The Status of Development Theory
 - b) Meaning of Development over time
 - c) The Development Field
 - d) Trends in Development Theory

3. Dilemmas of Development Discourse
 - a) From Evolutionism to Developmentalism
 - b) The Crises of Developmentalism
 - c) The Deconstruction of the West
 - d) Alternative Development

4. Models of Development
 - a) System Dynamic Model (Forrester)
 - b) Zero Growth Model (Meadows)
 - c) Economic Growth Model (Rostow)
 - d) Vicious and Beneficial Growth Model (Nurkse)

5. Problems of Development in The Third World Countries
6. Evolutionary and Neo Evolutionary Perspective of Development

7. Dependency Theory:
 - a) Intellectual growth and historical heritage (ECLA manifesto, Orthodox Marxism and Neo Marxism)
 - b) Theory of Development of Underdevelopment (Andre Gunder Frank)
 - c) World System Model (Immanuel Wallerstein)
8. Capital accumulation and peripheral capitalism (Samir Amin)
9. People as the Focus of Development (Ponna Wignaraja)
10. Globalization, Modernization and Development
11. Applied Sociology, development and Social Policy

References:

- Alvin Y So, *Social Change and Development*, Sage Publications
- Ankie Hoogvelt, *The Sociology of Development*, Macmillan
- Anthony Giddens, *Consequences of Modernity*, Standford University Press
- Frans J Schuurman, *Globalization and Development Studies*. Sage Publications

- Jan Nederveen Pieterse, *Development Theory: Deconstruction/Reconstruction*. Sage Publications
- Lucas and Papanek, *The Indian Economy*, Oxford
- P. W. Preston, *Development Theory*, Oxford Blackwell
- Neil J Smelser, *Sociology of Economic Life*, Prentice Hall Publisher
- Samir Dasgupta (ed.), *The Changing Face of Globalization*, sage Publications
- V. Dadayan, *The Orbit of the Global Economy*, Progress Publisher, Moscow

Development Studies
4th Semester
4.3

1. Contextualizing Development in Post-independent India
 - a) Indian State and the agenda of Development
 - b) Agriculture-industry debate and the context of development
 - c) Addressing development issues such as poverty, malnutrition, illiteracy
2. New-economic Policy, Liberalization and recent trends in development Discourse; the withdrawing of the state and return of civil society argument
3. Sen's thesis- India & China a Comparative approach
4. Globalization Discourse and Development in the Third World: Post colonialism and Development with Special Reference to India
5. Development and Social Capital; Development as Politicization/ Depoliticization
6. Environmental Discourses and the Return of the Indigenous in Development thought in India
7. Development: A Context for Post Development thinking

Reading List:

- Partho Chatterjee : *State and Politics in India*, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 1997
- Amartya Sen : *Beyond Liberalization, Social Opportunity and Human Capability*, Institute of Social Science, New Delhi, 1994
- Jagannath Pathy : "The Consequences of the New Economic Policies of India: a Sociological Appraisal" in *Sociological Bulletin* Vol-44, No.-1 1995
- J. Stiglitz : *Globalization and its Discontent*, Penguin, 2002

- J. Stiglitz : *Making Globalization Work*, Penguin, 2007

- J. Dreze
- and Amartya Sen : *Indian Development*, OUP, 1999

- Appadurai, A. 1996 *Modernity At Large*. Minnestota; University of Minnestota Press
- Gupta, akhil 1998 *Post Colonial Developments: Agriculture in the Making of Modern India*. London: Duke University Press
- Escobar, Aueturo. 1996 *Encountering Development: The Making and Unmaking of the Third World*. Princeton: Princeton University Press
- Harriss, John 2002 *Depoliticizing Development: World Bank and Social Capital*. London: Anthem Press
- Shiva Vandana. 1986 *Ecology Movements in India*. *Alternatives* XI 255-73

Development Studies
4th Semester
4.4

Selected chapters from any two of the books given below will be discussed in detail in class.

Selected Books:

- Amit Bhaduri: *Development with Dignity: A case for full employment*, National Book Trust 2005
- Franz Fanon: *The Wretched of the Earth*. Trans. Constance Farrington. Harmondsworth: Penguin, 1967
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4.2

1. Criminology, Sociology and Law
Sources of Criminological Data, Methods of Analysis, Reliability of Criminological Data- its Importance and Challenges
2. Conceptual Approaches to Crime, Deviance and Delinquency
3. Theories of Crime & Deviance:
 - i) Pre-Classical and Neo-Classical Theories
 - ii) Bio-Physical Dimensions
 - iii) Socio-Economic Approaches
 - iv) Structural and Sub-Cultural Theories
 - v) Labelling Theory
4. Changing Profile of Crime:
Personal, Environmental and Other Factors, Influence of Peer-Group, Neighbourhood, Influence of Mass Media
5. Types of Crime: White-Collar Crime, Organized Crime, Cyber Crime, Victimless Crime
6. Emerging patterns of Crime in Contemporary Society: Women and Children

Reading List:

1. Ahuja, R. 1996 *Sociological Criminology*, New Delhi, New Age International Pvt. Ltd.
2. Ahuja, R. 2000 *Criminology*. Jaipur: Rawat Publication
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4. Akers, R. L., 1999. *Criminological Theories*, London: Fitzroy Dearborn Publishers
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7. Muncie, J.; McLaughlin, E & Langan, M. (ed.) 1996: *Criminological Perspectives A Reader*. London: Sage with Open University

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4.3

1. Forms of Correction: Meaning and Measures
2. Police: Professional Role, Power, Misuse of Power; Criminalization of Police Improving of Police Administration
3. Prison-Based Correction in Post Independent India, Structure and Management, Reform, Adjustment of Inmates, Restructuring of (Prison)
4. Correctional Home: A New Perspective
5. Alternatives to Imprisonment: Probation; Parole, Open- Prison, Rehabilitation of Inmates.
6. Crime and Human Rights
7. Capital Punishment: Historical Backdrop; Issues and Debates in India Perspective

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- Foucault, M. 1977: Discipline & Punish, The Birth of The Prison, London: Penguin Books
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- McLaughlin, E. & Muncie, J. (ed.) 2001: Controlling Crime, London, Sage
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- Spohn, C. C. 2002: How do Judges Decide? The Search for Fairness & Justice in Punishment, California, Sage

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4.4

1. The Concept of Punishment: Punishment of Crime.
Theories of Punishment
2. Development of Prison- gaols & houses of correction- evolution of penological thought: Whig tradition and Radical tradition- Foucault's concept of punishment
3. The question of Criminal Justice
4. Gender & Crime, Women Offenders & their Treatment
5. Treatment of the Juveniles- the Juvenile Justice (Care & Protection of Children) Act, 2000 as amended in 2006
6. Victim in Crime- victim offender relationship

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4.2

1. Classical Sociological Tradition on Industrial Dimensions of Society
2. Organization: Types, Structure and Functions. Organizational goal, Leadership and Control, Effectiveness and Efficiency
3. Globalization and World of Work
4. Technology and Work-Organization
5. Industrial Conflict: Trend, Causes and Resolution
6. Industrial Risk: Sources and Management
7. Work and women
8. Unionism with Particular Focus on White-collar Unionism in Indian Context

Reading List:

Journal

- The Indian Journal of Labour Economics
- Indian Journal of Industrial Relations
- Economic and Political Weekly (Review of Labour and Review of Industry and Management)
- International Labour Review
- World of Work (ILO)

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- 1981: S R Parker et al: *The Sociology of Industry* (4th Edition), George Allen & Unwin, London
- 1995: Watson K Tony: *Sociology, Work and Industry*, Routledge Kegan Paul, London
- 1980: Raymond Aron: *Main Currents in Sociological Thought*, (Vol. 1 & Vol. 2), Penguin Books
- 1954: Gouldner: Alvin W: *Patterns of Industrial Breaucracy*, Free Press
- 1998: Beck, Ulrich: *Risk Society: Towards a New Modernity*, Sage Publications, New Delhi
- 1970: Karnik, V B: *Indian Trade Union: A Survey*, Polpilar Prakashan, Mumbai
- 1995: Sen, S: *Working Class of India: History of Emergence and Movements*, KP Bagchi & Co., Kolkata

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4.3

1. Industrial Relations: conflicts, causes and types of conflict. Resolution of conflict, conciliation, adjudication
2. Theories of Industrial Relation: classical legacy contemporary approaches
3. Control of Corporate Power: Challenge of multinational companies the question of legitimacy
4. The Evolutionary Trends and the Needs of Humanity

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4.4

1. Industrial Development in India: Entrepreneurial Initiatives
2. Problems of Cottage & Small Scale Industries: Village artisan & town handicraft industry
3. Concept of Industrial Relations, Problems and Prospect of Labour in India society
4. Trade Union Development in India: Unorganized & Organized phases of development and with relevany concepts
5. Government for Industrial Development: Industrial Policies and Acts
6. Role of Private Section in Industrial Development
7. Labour Welfare in IndiaL Policies & Practices (works participation)
8. Impact of Globalization on Indian Industry

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