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**POL501**  
**Traditions of Political Thoughts and**  
**Comparative Political Analysis**

## **Course 01. Traditions of Political Thoughts and Comparative Political Analysis**

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**Unit 1. Ancient Era**

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**Unit 2. Modern Era**

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**Unit 3. Industrial Era**

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**Unit 4. Colonial Era**

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**Unit 5. Nature of Comparative Analysis**

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**Unit 6. Approaches to the Study of Comparative Politics**

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**Unit 7.Theories of Development**

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**Unit 8. Security Apparatus and Concerns**

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**Unit 9. Political Parties and Pressure Groups**

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**Unit 10. Non State Political Actors**

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POL502  
Public Administration and Theory of  
International Politics

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**Unit 1. Public Administration**

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**Unit 2. Major Approaches to Public Administration**

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**Unit 3. Theories of Public Administration**

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**Unit 4. Principles of Organization**

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**Unit 5. New Trends in Public Administration**

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**Unit 6. Governance**

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**Unit 7. Introduction to International Politics**

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**Unit 8. Changing International Political Order since World War II**

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**Unit 9. Approaches to International Politics**

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**Unit 10. Geopolitical Issues**

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**Unit 11. Positivist and Post Positivist Framework**

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**Unit 12. Contemporary Concerns**

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POL503  
Political Institutions in India and Public  
Policy

### **Course 03. Political Institutions in India and Public Policy**

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**Unit 1. National Integration legacies**

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**Unit 2. Federal Institutions**

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**Unit 3. Executive**

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**Unit 4. Legislature**

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**Unit 5. Judiciary**

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**Unit 6. Welfare, Regulation and Security**

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**Unit 7. Public Policy**

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**Unit 8. Major Approaches**

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**Unit 9. Public Policy in Action**

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**Unit 10. Shaping of Public Policy**

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**Unit 11. Public Policy Development**

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**Unit 12. Globalization and Public Policy**

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POL504  
Political Process in Maharashtra and  
Human Rights

**Course 04. Political Process in Maharashtra and Human Rights**

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**Unit 1. Making of Maharashtra**

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**Unit 2. Socio-Economic Bases of Politics in Maharashtra**

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**Unit 3. Emerging Issues in Politics of Maharashtra**

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**Unit 4. Politics of Castes and Communities**

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**Unit 5. Major Political Parties and Elections in Maharashtra**

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**Unit 6. Contemporary Concerns in Politics of Maharashtra**

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**Unit 7. Human Rights: Historical Traditions**

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**Unit 8. Understanding Human Rights**

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**Unit 9. Specific Human Rights**

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**Unit 10. Human Rights of Groups**

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**Unit 11. Human Rights : Implementation**

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**Unit 12. Human Rights Concerns and Challenges**

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POL601  
Modern Political Thoughts in India and  
Fundamentals of Political Theory

## **Course 05. Modern Political Thoughts in India and Fundamentals of Political Theory**

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**Unit 1. Mahadeo Govind Ranade**

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**Unit 2. Mahatma Gandhi**

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**Unit 3. Jawaharlal Nehru**

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**Unit 4. Bhimrao Ramji Ambedkar**

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**Unit 5. Ram Manohar Lohia**

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**Unit 6. Political Theory: Meaning, Nature and Scope**

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**Unit 7. Liberty, Equality and Fraternity**

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**Unit 8. Justice, Rights, Citizenship**

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**Unit 9. Power, Authority and Legitimacy**

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**Unit 10. State, Democracy and Civil Society**

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POL602  
Political Sociology and Political Processes in  
India

## **Course 06. Political Sociology and Political Processes in India**

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**Unit 1. Nature and Scope**

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**Unit 2. Intellectual Foundations**

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**Unit 3. Political Culture and Socialization**

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**Unit 4. Political Participation and Public Opinion**

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**Unit 5. Political Development and Change**

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**Unit 6. Nature of Party and Electoral Politics**

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**Unit 7. Centre - State Financial Relations**

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**Unit 8. Centre - State Political Relations**

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**Unit 9. Social Determinants of State Politics**

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**Unit 10. Politics of Mass Mobilization**

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**POL603**  
**New Trends in World Politics**

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**Unit 1. Foreign Policy**

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**Unit 2. Intervention and Coercive**

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**Unit 3. Impact of world Trade on Politics**

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**Unit 4. Challenges Before the Nation**

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**Unit 5. Environmental Issues and the nation**

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**Unit 6. Introduction of New Trends**

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**Unit 7. Inter-relationship between Politics and Society**

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**Unit 8. Politics, Society and Economy**

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**Unit 9. Social Movements and Development**

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**Unit 10. Issues in Society and Politics**

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POL604  
Political Thoughts of Dr. Babasaheb  
Ambedkar and Election Studies

## **Course 08. Political Thoughts of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar and Election Studies**

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**Unit 1. Constitution Philosophy**

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**Unit 2.Views on Caste and Untouchability**

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**Unit 3.Thoughts on Social Democracy**

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**Unit 4.Thoughts on Indian Economy**

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**Unit 5.Views on Religion**

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**Unit 6. History of Election Studies**

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**Unit 7. Overview of Elections in India**

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**Unit 8. Research Methods used in Election Studies**

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**Unit 9. Major Determinants of Election**

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**Unit 10. Practices of Election Commission of India**

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