

Course related to Professional Ethics and Human Values

K ASC MSW 2017-2018

Sem.	Course Code	HUMAN RIGHTS AND SOCIAL LEGISLATION	Total Marks:100		Hours Per week	Credits
III	17PBCCT302		CIA: 25	ESE: 75	4	4

Objectives

The students are able to enrich knowledge about:

- Concept and classification of human rights.
- Human rights in Indian constitution.
- Human rights institutions at national and international level.
- Social policy, social planning and social legislation.

Course outcome:

CO1 Learn the fundamentals of human rights

CO2 Gain the knowledge of fundamental duties and rights under the Indian constitution

CO3 Learn the concepts related to social planning

CO4 Gain knowledge about social legislation

CO5 Posses knowledge about national and international level and way to deals with legislation policies

UNIT - I

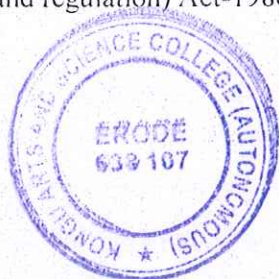
Human Rights: Definition, classification: civil and political rights, socio economic and cultural rights. Indian constitution and relevant articles relating to human rights. The protection of Human Rights Act -1993. Structure and functions of National and State Human Rights Commissions.

UNIT - II

Human Rights for target population: SC/ST, religious minorities, persons with disability, AIDS victims, refugees, war victims, prisoners, custodial violence, women, children, senior citizens and work situations. Fundamental Duties and Rights under the Indian Constitution.

UNIT – III

UDHR: Universal Declaration of Human Rights – Declaration on Elimination of Racial Discrimination 1963 & Convention on Elimination of Racial Discrimination 1965 – International covenants. Salient features of Child Labour (prohibition and regulation) Act-1986; Right to Information Act-2005.



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UNIT – IV

Social Legislations: Definition, Need and Scope; Salient features: Social legislation as an instrument for Social control, Social change, Social justice, Social defence and Social reform; Introduction to Indian Penal Code, Criminal Procedure Code, Court, Prisons, Probation and Parole; Legal Aid; Public Interest litigation (PIL); Hindu Adoption and Maintenance Act 1956; Hindu Marriage Act 1955; Christian Marriage Act 1955.

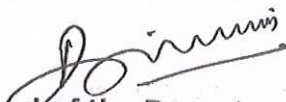
UNIT – V

Special Marriage Act 1954; Laws pertaining to Marriage and Divorce: `Dowry Prohibition Act 1961; Pre conception, Prenatal Diagnostic Techniques (Prohibition of Sex Selection) 2002; Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education (RTE) Act 2009; Role of Social Workers in promotion of Social Legislations.


Books for reference

- Amith Kumar, 2012, Human Rights and Social Welfare, Dominant, Publishers, Delhi.
- Astha Bhanot, 2013, Human Rights and Human Welfare, Point Publishers, Jaipur.
- Ashok Kumar, 2014, Women's Human Rights, Prateeksha Publishers, Jaipur.
- Bhatt. K.C, 2014, Women and Human Rights, Centrum Press, Delhi.
- Chandra Mohan Pattanaik, 2013, Human Rights, Gender and Environment, Swastik Publications, Delhi.
- Gangarde, Y.D. 1978, Social Legislation in India Vol I and II, concept, New Delhi.

QUESTION PAPER PATTERN		
SECTION – A	SECTION - B	SECTION – C
<p>10 x 1 = 10 Marks (Multiple Choice, Four options) Two questions from each unit</p>	<p>5 x 7 = 35 Marks (Either or choice) Two questions from each unit</p>	<p>3 x 10 = 30 Marks (Answer any three Questions out of five) One question from each unit</p>


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