

Course Name – Policy, Politics and Development in India - founding years to today

Course Code – GP-EA-PADI-7241

Credits- 4

Faculty Name – Sandeep Dikshit

Faculty Biography-

Worked in voluntary sector for 30 years, engaged with tribal communities and forest management, education and health, and with farmers in agriculture and allied activities.

Written the first sub-national Human Development Report (Madhya Pradesh) and many other human development reports and planning and development action reports for various States, apart from research and field work for many organisations in rural regions of central India.

A Member of Parliament for two terms, with membership of Committees on Rural Development, Environment and Forests, Industries and Internal Security and member of the Public Accounts Committee for many years. Chief Whip of Treasury Benches for 4 years.

Course Description-

This course talks about the context of policy and politics, how they interacted to influence each other and how policies and their impact changed over the years of post-colonial India. Will trace how sectoral policy changed and the major events, economic, political and social that impacted policy and politics in a substantial manner.

Prerequisites- Students in Post Graduate courses or in Third Year

Scheme of Evaluation and Grading -

Class Assignments and Essays	60
End Term Assignment/ Essay	40
Total	100