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Paper I: Gender and Economy

Objectives of the course:

- To introduce the concept of work and development
- To create awareness on gender issues in organized and unorganized sectors
- To learn about economic situation at local and global level
- To know about gender budgeting and mainstreaming

Unit I: Concepts: Work and Development

- Work and Development- Concept, definition
- Division of work based on gender
- Classification of work in census of India and NSSO Main workers, marginal workers, non-worker
- Concept of Self Help Groups and its role in gender development

Unit II: Women as Workers

- Women and work: unpaid, underpaid and casual work
- Women in primary, secondary and tertiary sectors
- Invisibility of women's works and wage differential with reference to gender
- Feminization of poverty

Unit III: Gender in Organized and Unorganized Sector

- Gender difference in organized and unorganized sector
- Changing work pattern- Increasing informalisation
- Migration and its impact on gender development
- Role of training and skills in Income generation

Unit IV: Gender Issues at the Work Place

- Gendered jobs and Social Inequality
- Sex Segregation at Work Place
- · Women's role in trade union
- Sexual harassment at workplace- Vishakha Guidelines

Unit V: Gender in Economic Planning

- Initiatives towards recognition of women as agents of development from sixth five year plan
- Invisibility of women in official data system
- Gender Responsive Planning and Gender Budgeting
- Environment and Eco-Feminism

Recommended Readings:

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- Balakrishnan A. (2005) Rural Landless women Labourers- Problems and Prospects, Kalpaz Publications, New Delhi.

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Paper II: Gender Rights, Constitutional and legal provisions

Objectives:

- To study the legal provisions for Gender and women's access to justice
- · To look at the issues related political participation and representation of gender
- . To sensitize students on gender issues in governance
- To acquaint students with actors at state, national and international levels

Unit I: Constitution and Protection of Gender Rights

- Constitution and Rights: Meaning, Definition and its origin
- Constitutional provisions Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles of State Policies, Fundamental Duties, Uniform civil code - provisions focusing on gender equality
- Ministry of Women and Child Development, National Commission for Women, State Commission for Women, National Human Rights Commission

Unit II: National Agencies and Resources

- Towards Equality Report
- Indian Association of Women's Studies, All India Progressive Women's Association
- Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005 and Dowry Prohibition
 Act, 1961 Salient Features
- Rights of LGBTQ groups Section 377 IPC

Unit - III: Political Participation and Representation

- National Women Empowerment Policy
- Political participation of Women
- Representation of Women in elected bodies: Parliament, State Legislature and Local Bodies and reservation debate
- Issues of women empowerment in Rajasthan

Unit - IV: Role of Civil Society in Gender and Community Development

- Role of Civil society and NGOs
- Non- state actors at National Level: Bachpan Bachao Andolan, Kudumbasree, SEWA
- Non- state actors at State/Local Level: Sewa Mandir, Astha, Vishwas, Arth
- Local movements: Majdoor Kisan Shakti Sangthan, Social Work Resource Centre

Unit - V: International Agencies and Resources

- UN, UN Women, UDHR (Universal Declaration of Human Rights)
- Convention on the elimination of all forms of discrimination against women (CEDAW), Declaration on elimination of Violence against women
- Beijing Platform for Action
- Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

Recommended Readings:

- Diwan, Dr Parash (2018) Adhunik Hindu Vidhi Allahabad Law Agency Publication, Allahabad
- Mukhopadhyay, Swapna (1998) In the Name of Justice: Women and Law in Society, Manohar, New Delhi.
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- 4. Flavia Agnes (1999) Law and Gender Inequality: The Politics of Women's Rights in India, OUP, New Delhi.
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Paper III (Practical)

Objectives:

- To impart knowledge about issues related to gender, economy and development.
- To understand the role of Sate and Non state actors in gender empowerment

Max. Marks - 60

Note- The paper will be divided into assignments and activities. Pedagogy is mentioned below:

Pedagogy	Activities
Assignments/ Case study	 a) Analysis of gender gap in polity and Gender pay Gap (watch Netflix Explained series on this topic) (class discussion) b) Case study: women leaders in Panchayati Raj c) Collection of newspaper cuttings related to economic and legal issues
Group presentation	 a) Migration and poverty, social inequality, feminization of poverty b) Mainstreaming gender in policy, planning and programme implementation
Field visit/ field work	 a) Visit to state agencies to understand the implementation strategies b) Visit NGOs working on skill development and income generation c) Documentation: preparation of report by students

Final Practical Exam: Exercise and Viva by internal faculty of the Centre

Marking distribution- Internal assessment- 20 marks (participation in classroom activities); assignments- 15marks; two individual Exercise- 10+10marks; viva- 5marks =60 marks