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COURSE CODE	CATEGORY	COURE NAME	TEACHING & EVALUATION SCHEME								
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BCR501	Major-1	CRIMINOLOGICAL THEORIES	60	20	20	0	0	3	0	0	3

Course Objectives:

Enable the Students to:

- 1. Give a basic understanding of criminology and crime typology.
- 2. Discuss about various schools and theories related to criminology.
- 3. Familiarize with e different forms of crime and crime statistics.

Course outcomes: By the end of the course, students should be able to:

- Understand the basic concepts of crime and Criminology in relation with other disciplines
- 2. Acquire knowledge of the contrasting schools of explanations that have emerged in relation to explaining criminal behavior and crime causation
- 3. Analyze the theoretical perspectives of crime and criminal behaviour
- 4. Identify the Psychological factors associated with criminal behavior
- Identify the social factors associated with criminal behaviors and its impact on individuals.
- 6. Analyze various crime statistics reports and crime trends

UNIT I: Schools of Criminology

Pre-classical, Classical, Neoclassical, Positive, Cartographic and Clinical School.

UNIT II: Biological Theories

Biological Theories- Atavism, Twin Study, Adoption Study, XYY Chromosomes, Sheldon Body Type Theory.

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UNIT III: Psychological theories

Concept, Factors Influencing Learning, - Classical Conditioning (Pavlov), Operant Conditioning (Skinner), Law of Effect (Thorndike), Insightful Learning (Kohler), Social Learning Theory (Bandura) -Learning and Criminality, Trait Theory (Allport And Catell), Maslow theory of Hierarchy, Type Theory and Structural Model of Personality (Eysenck), Psychodynamic Theory and Freud Theory, Neo-Psychoanalytic Theory - Erickson, Adler and Jung - Personality and Criminality.

UNIT IV: Sociological Theories

Social Strain Theories- Culture conflict and Subculture theory, Differential opportunity theory; Social Ecology Theories- Concentric Zone theory; Social disorganization theory, Cultural Transmission theory; Social Learning - Imitation Theory, Differential Association Theory; Social Control- Anomie theory, Containment Theory, Neutralization Theory, Labeling Theory, Social Conflict-Marxist Criminology; Multi Factor Approach- Routine Activities Theory, Rational Choice theory, Shaming theory, Four wishes theory, Broken windows theory, Space transition Theory.

UNIT V: Crime Statistics

National Crime Records Bureau and Its Publications, Crime Trends in India Including Contemporary Issues; Crime Pattern and Its Types, Dark Figures of Crime (Hidden Crimes) and Victimization Survey; Application oriented -Content analysis- report writing.

Suggested Readings:

Text Books:

- N. V. Paranjape (2011). Criminology, Penology, Victimology
- Eamonn Carrabine, Pam Cox, Maggy Lee, Ken Plummer and Nigel South (2009). Criminology- A sociological introduction, Routledge
- 3. Alex R. Piquero (2016) . The Handbook of Criminological Theory, John Wiley & Sons, Inc

Reference Books:

- 1. Conklin, J. E (2001). Criminology . New York: Macmillan Publishing Company.
- 2. Edelston, C. D., & Wicks, R. I. (2000). An introduction to criminal justice. New York: Gregg Division, McGraw-Hill.
- 3. Allen, Harry E., Friday, Paul C., Roebuck, Julian B., & Sagarin, Edward (1981). Crime and punishment: An introduction to criminology. Free Press: New York.

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- Maguire, B., & Radosh, P. F. (2012). Introduction to criminology. Boston: Wadsworth Publishing Company.
- Vold, G., & Bernard, Thomas J. (2011). Theoretical criminology. New York: Oxford University Press.
- Sutherland, E. H., & Cressey, D. R. (2008). Principles of criminology. Philadelphia: Lippincott.
- Hughes, G. (2002). Crime prevention and community safety: New directions. London: Sage.

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BCR502	Major-2	HUMAN RIGHTS	60	20	20	0	0	3	0	0	3

Legends: L - Lecture; T - Tutorial/Teacher Guided Student Activity; P - Practical.

Course Objective:

Enable the Students to:

- Understand the role of national and international instruments in the protection of all individuals against all forms of injustice and human rights violations.
- Get an insight into national and international instruments guaranteeing human rights of children, women.
- Understand the role of criminal justice in prevention of human dignity of both victims of crime and persons accused of it.

Course Outcome:

By the end of the course, students should be able to:

- 1. Summarize the history, types and theories of human rights.
- 2. Outline the constitutional provisions in safeguarding human rights.
- 3. Get an insight into the national and international instruments safeguarding human rights.
- Gain knowledge about the international conventions protecting the rights of the gender and Children.
- 5. Summarize the rights of victim and accused under criminal justice administration,
- 6. Gain knowledge on working of NGO's in protecting human rights.

UNIT 1: Introduction

Meaning, Nature, Characteristics, Scope, History and Landmark Developments; Theories of Human Rights; Classification of Rights – Civil, Political, Economic, Social & Cultural and Solidarity Rights.

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UNIT 2: National and International Instruments National instruments

Genesis: Constitutional of India – Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles Of State Policy, Fundamental duties; Protection of Human Rights Act, 1993; National Campaign on Dalit Human Rights (NCDHR); Human Rights Advocacy and Research Foundation (HRF); National Human Rights Commission (NHRC); State Human Rights Commission (SHRC) – Role, structure and functioning, National Campaign on Dalit Human Rights (NCDHR).

International Instruments

Genesis: Universal Declaration of Human Rights, (UDHR) 1948; International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (ICCPR) 1966; International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (ICESCR) 1966; United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR).

UNIT 3: Conventions for Gender and Children

Convention on the Elimination of all forms of Discrimination against Women (CEDAW), 1979; Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC), 1989; – Equality, Rights in Family, Violence against women and children, Trafficking, Gender and Sexual Harassment.

UNIT 4: Relevance of Human Rights in Criminal Justice System

Handcuffing, Custodial Violence, Third Degree Method of Interrogation; Rights of Accused, Rights of Victims, Protection from the Accused, Restitution And Compensation, Law of Limitations.

UNIT 5: Non-Governmental Initiatives

Amnesty International, International Red Cross Society, Human Rights Advocacy and Research Foundation (HRF), Human Rights Watch, Peoples Watch, PUCL, AIDWA, Role of NGO in Protecting Human Rights – Critical Analysis.

Suggested Readings:

Text Books:

- 1. H O Agarwal, (2016), Human Rights, 16th Edition, Central Law Publications.
- Susan C Mapp, (2014), Human Rights and Social Justice in a Global Perspective: An Introduction to International Social Work, 2 Edition, Paperback.

Reference Books:

- Chiranjivi J Nirmal (1999), Human Rights in India: Hisorical, Social and Political Perspectives (Law in India), Oxford University Press, New Delhi
- Kumar, Anuradha. (2002). Human rights: Global perspective. Sons.

New Delhi: Sarup &

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- Mathur, Krishna Mohan, 2003, Challenges to Police, Human Rights and National Security, Kalpaz Publications. Delhi
- 5. Human rights: A source book, (1996) NCERT publications, New Delhi
- Bharti, D. (2002), The constitution and criminal justice administration, New Delhi: APH Publishing Corporation.
- 7. Kumar, A. (2002), Human rights: Global perspective,

New Delhi: Sarup & Sons.

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BCR503	DSE	SPECIAL AND LOCAL LAW	60	20	20	0	0	4	0	0	4

Legends: L - Lecture; T - Tutorial/Teacher Guided Student Activity; P - Practical.

Course Objective:

Enable the Students to:

Understand the need and importance of Social legislation in a Welfare State.

- Get an outline on legislation that takes care of socio-economic injustices faced by vulnerable groups.
- Familiarize with legislations to protect the environment, public and private property, drug abuse and other special laws with latest amendments.

Course Outcome: By the end of the course, students should be able to:

- 1. Remember the legislation for safeguarding human rights.
- 2. Understand the legal provisions for eradication of crime against women.
- 3. Learn to solve crime against children.
- 4. Analyze the rights available to vulnerable groups.
- Determine the legal provisions for controlling and protecting the environment, private and public property.
- Discuss the appropriate legal provision to prevent Food Adulteration, Drugs, Smuggling, Corruption, Cyber Crimes etc.

Note: All the laws read with reference to the latest amendment along with provisions in the earlier acts.

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Unit 1: Salient Features of Special Laws for Protection of Human Rights

The Protection of Civil Rights Act; Prevention of Atrocities Act; Protection of Human Rights Act; The Bonded Labour System (Abolition) Act; Prevention of Anti-Social Activities Act; Right to Information Act.

Unit 2: Salient Features of Special Laws for Protection of Women

Protection of Women against Domestic Violence Act; Dowry Prohibition Act; Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act; The Tamil Nadu Prohibition of Harassment of Women Act; The Indecent Representation of Women (Prohibition) Act; The Medical Termination of Pregnancy Act, Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act, Protection under IPC and Criminal Procedure Code.

Unit 3: Salient Features of Special Laws for Protection of Child

The Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act; The Child Labour (Prohibition And Regulation) Act; Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection) Act; The Prohibition of Child Marriage Act; Pre-conception & Pre-Natal Diagnostic Techniques (Prevention of Sex Selection) Act; The Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act.

Unit 4: Salient Features of Special Laws for Protection of Vulnerable Groups

The Tamil Nadu Prohibition of Ragging Act; Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act; Maintenance of Parents Act; Senior Citizens Act; Mental Health Care Act, Transgender Persons (Protection of Rights) Act, Legality of Passive Euthanasia.

Unit 5: Salient Features of Special Laws for Protection of Environment and Other Special Acts Indian Fisheries Act; Indian Forest Act; Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act; WildLife Animal Protection Act; Environment (Protection) Act. Information Technology Act; Prevention of Damage to Public Property Act; COFEPOSA Act; Prevention of Corruption Act; Narcotic Drugs & Psychotropic Substances (Prohibition) Act, Prevention of Food and Adulteration Act.

Text Book:

- 1. S K Sinha Ray, (2011), Criminal Minor Acts, 7th Edition, Lexis Nexis.
- Legal Manual, Criminal Minor Acts, 153 Important Acts & Rules, with State Amendments, Universal Law Publishing.

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Suggested Books:

- Protection of Civil Rights Act, 1955 along with Rules, 1977. Bare Act with Short Comments. Professional Book Publishers.
- Sambandam Handbook of Criminal Law and Minor Acts (Tamil Nadu) Deccan Publications, Chennai
- Scheduled Castes & Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act 1989. Published by Eastern Book Company.
- 4. NHRC. (2004). Report on Prevention of Atrocities against SCs. New Delhi.
- Sait, N. A. (2014). Juvenile justice Care and protection of children Act, 2000. LexisNexis.
- Mazhar Hussain. (1997). Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act, 1956. Eastern Book Co. India.
- Probation of Offenders Act, 1958 (Lawmann's series). (2017). Kamal Publishers. New Delhi, India.
- Kably, H. S. (1988). COFEPOSA, 1974: The Conservation of Foreign Exchange and Prevention of Smuggling Activities Act, 1974. N. M. Tripathy. India.
- Ramachandra Rao, A. S. (2016). Commentary on the Prevention of Corruption Act, 3rd Edition. Universal Law Publishing.
- Prevention of Food and Adulteration Act, 1954 (Bare Act with short notes). (2016).
 Universal Law Publishing, India.
- Dowry Prohibition Act 1961 (Act No. 28 of 1961) (Lawmann's series). (2015). Kamal Publishers. New Delhi, India.
- De, D. (2009). Guide to the narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances Act. New Delhi: LexixNexis.

Legal Texts:

1. Bare Acts.

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