

## ➤ Course Outcomes

### SEMESTER – 1

#### 1. Strategic Thought-I (PSDSTC-101)

After completion of the course student will know:

- CO101.1: Knowledge about the evolution of Indian, Chinese and European strategic thoughts from the ancient time till the modern age.
- CO101.2: Acquainted with the philosophy and idea of scholars and strategic thinkers and their philosophy on war and peace establishment.
- CO101.3 Knowledge about various strategies during war, state craft and diplomacy.

#### 2. Fundamentals of Defence and Security Studies (PSDSTC-102)

- CO102.1: The primary objective of this course is intended to provide a contemporary reappraisal of defence and strategic studies and its evolutions.
- CO102.2: The course is aimed to orient students in the evolving conceptual terrain of the area of security studies.
- CO102.3: The study of this course will assist the students to learn about the nature, structure, pattern and methods of warfare in historical and contemporary context. .
- CO102.4: It offers a comprehensive, objective treatment of security studies that integrate strategic thoughts, theory of security, key issues of development in post-Cold War security apparatus.

#### 3. International Relations (PSDSTC-103)

After studying the course, students will be able to:

- CO103.1: Understand the historical and contemporary dynamics of international relations along with its nature, scope and behavioural pattern of state and non-state actors.
- CO103.2: Learn about the theoretical frameworks of international relations the fundamental norms and interests which govern, guide and direct the behaviour of states in international relations and also that how and why states achieve their national interests in the prevailing international system.
- CO103.3: Know about the key concepts and issues of international relations such as national power, national interests, balance of power and balance of terror.
- CO103.4: Understand the basics of diplomacy, foreign aid, proxy wars and also demand for restructuring of the UN system.

#### 4. Fundamentals of War (PSDSTC-104)

After studying the course, students will be able to:

- CO104.1: Understand the fundamentals of war from the standpoint of theoretical approaches as well as from the vantage point of historical and contemporary aspects.
- CO104.2: Understand the nature and scope of war and behavioural pattern of state and non-state actors that trigger wars.
- CO104.3: Learn about the fundamentals and principles that construct, govern, and guide the behaviour of states to engage in violent conflicts, complex rivalries, and war to finish.
- CO104.4: Understand different types of wars, philosophical foundations of social conflict and strategies along with an engaging theoretical treatment of conflicts among states.

## **SEMESTER – 2**

### **1. Strategic Thought-II (PSDSTC-201)**

After completion of the course student will know:

- CO201.1: To enrich their knowledge about the evolution of strategic thoughts from the nineteenth century onwards.
- CO201.2: To familiarize about the strategic thinking of modern strategic thinkers on various aspects of Revolutionary wars, Military Concept of the Social Revolutions, growing significance of the economic and political considerations for waging war
- CO201.3: The ideas on Geo-politics and Geo-strategy, Doctrine of Mobile Defence and Total War, Concept of Sea Power and Naval Warfare, nature of war fare in the 20th and 21st century.

### **2. Military Sociology (PSDSTC-202)**

- CO202.1: The main objective of this course is to discuss the fundamentals of military sociology in the theoretical, historical and contemporary contexts and explain the impacts of war on society and military.
- CO202.2: The course is also aimed at to analyse the post-war social problems including the re-settlement of victims and reconstruction.
- CO202.3: This course will help to understand civil-military relations with special reference to the United States, Russia, China, India and Pakistan. In addition to this, this also describes the social background of military personnel and problems of ex-servicemen in India also with the role of women in Indian armed forces
- CO202.4: The study of this course will assist to learn the fundamentals of military sociology that may lead to them to think and work about the peace and avoid the word.

### **3. India as an Emerging Power (PSDSTC-203)**

After studying the course, students will be able to:

- CO203.1: Understand internal and external determinants of Indian foreign policy and its evolution since independence and how they are shaping India's rise as a rising power in the international system.
- CO203.2: Hone skills to understand and analyze how India has sought to respond to new global and regional traditional/non-traditional challenges by reshaping its policies and involving in diverse regional and global groupings.
- CO203.3: Learn about India's post-Cold War relations with various countries and regions, particularly from the standpoint of its pivotal position in Asia and the world.
- CO203.4: Estimate the role of India in international politics and economics; illustrate and evaluate alternative explanation of India's emergence; political positions and engagement strategies championed by India and its impact on the regional and international politics.
- CO203.5: Familiarize with the policies and mechanisms of India in achieving and sustaining economic growth.

### **4. Science, Technology and Defence Economics (PSDSTC 204)**

- CO204.1: The basic objective of the course is to describe the historical and modern contexts and role of science and technology during the war and peace.

- CO204.2: The course is aimed to discuss the India's advances and changes in war technology and achievements in the space system.
- CO204.3: The course also describes the theories and processes of defence economics such as defence budget, mobilization of resources and the nature of economic warfare.
- CO204.4: The study of this course will assist the students to learn about the role of science and technology in the nature, structure, pattern and methods of warfare in historical and contemporary context.

## **SEMESTER – 3**

### **1. International Security Problems (PSDSTC-301)**

After completion of the course student will know:

- CO301.1: To understand the various global security threats faced by the international community in the post-Cold war period
- CO301.2: To learn about the terrorism, counter-terrorism and different forms of trans-national organised crime
- CO3.3: To understand problems of human trafficking, smuggling and money laundering

### **2. Military Warfare in India Upto the 15th Century (PSDSTC-302)**

- CO302.1: This course intends to provide in-depth understanding to the students about the evolutions of warfare in India from the Vedic age till the 15th century.
- CO302.2: The students will be able to understand the weapon systems, military strategies as well as tactics used by military commanders in ancient India.
- CO302.3: This course will help to understand the military history of the Maurya dynasty, Gupta dynasty, Harshavardhana and Rajput dynasties.
- CO302.4: The study of this course will assist students to learn the history of South Indian kingdoms in the medieval period.

### **3. National Security of India (PSDSTC-303)**

After studying this course, students will be able to:

- CO303.1: Know about the conceptual context of the national security, geopolitics and security problems resulted from India's partition, affects of partition on the Indian armed forces and their reorganization. Students will also learn about India's Higher Defence Organisations and their impacts on its national security.
- CO303.2: Understand the students about India's internal security problems such as militancy in Jammu & Kashmir, insurgency in the North East region and naxalism in India.
- CO303.3: Identify the land and maritime security threats to India from the traditional and non-traditional actors in its neighbourhood along with the strategic and security cooperation with the United States and Russia.
- CO303.4: Learn about India's nuclear power, nuclear policy, its position in the existing strategic environment of the Indo-Pacific region along with the security challenges being faced by India in the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

#### **4. Fundamentals of Military Psychology (PSDSTE-304)**

- CO304.1: This course is aimed to explain the basics of military psychology including its meaning, nature and role during the peace and war period.
- CO304.2: After studying this course, student will be able to understand the psychological aspects of war and different methods used by the parties in war during their conflict.
- CO304.3: The study of this course provides a deep understanding among the students about the role of leadership, recruitment, discipline, motivation and morale among the military personnel during the peace and war period.
- CO304.4: Moreover, it also creates the awareness among the students regarding the rights of military personnel.

#### **5. Politics and Security in Afghanistan and Pakistan (PSDSTE-305)**

- CO305.1: The key objective of this course is to make students aware of politics and society of Afghanistan and Pakistan.
- CO305.2: This course also tackles broader interdisciplinary issues such as colonialism, nationalism, marginalization, integration, cosmopolitanism, development, environment, diaspora popular culture, gender, representation, and others.
- CO305.3: The course's interdisciplinary approach pushes it beyond the nation-state, extremism, security, and other topics that narrowly define the study of Afghanistan and Pakistan.
- CO305.4: The study of this course will help to analyze, discuss, and understand the varied and multilayered contexts that constitute Afghanistan and Pakistan and their people both in past and present.

### **SEMESTER – 4**

#### **1. International Law (PSDSTC-401)**

After studying this course, students will be able learn about:

- CO401.1: The fundamentals of international law of peace and war. The course will provide basic understanding about the nature and sources of international law along with the issues such as nationality, extradition and asylum. It will also assist to know about the types, immunities, privileges and roles of diplomats during peace and war.
- CO401.2: the recognition, rights, succession, responsibility of the states along with the treaty-formulation and termination procedure and means of settlement of international disputes.
- CO401.3: the legalities of land, air and sea warfare, termination of war and war crimes.
- CO401.4: the international law regarding neutrality of states, blockade, contraband and piracy.

#### **2. India's Military Warfare since 16th Century (PSDSTC-402)**

- CO402.1: Acquire knowledge about political consolidations and foundation of the Mughal Empire, the Mughal Military Organization, the Mughal Weapon System and Art of War.
- CO402.2: Military rivalry between the Mughal and the Marathas, the Military Organization of Shivaji, Development of Guerilla Warfare and its characteristics, the

Maratha Navy , Guerilla Warfare, the Military Organizations of the Sikhs under Maharaja Ranjit Singh, Military System of East India Company and the First War of Independence.

### **3. Peace & Conflict Studies (PSDSTC-403)**

After studying the course, students will be able to:

- CO403.1: Understand and analyze different conflict mediation, conflict resolution and peace-making techniques.
- CO403.2: Demonstrate the ability to identify central concepts in peace and conflict studies and apply these to explain the causes, dynamics and resolution of armed conflict.
- CO403.3: Hone skills to describe principal features of the nature and development of conflicts within and between states from 1945 onwards.
- CO403.4: Ability to account for the central assumptions of key theories of IR, and of the so-called broadened security agenda, and apply these assumptions to explain the security behaviour of actors.

### **4. State & Security in Central Asia (PSDSTE-404)**

After completion of the course student will know:

- CO404.1: Depth understanding to the students about the State, Society and Security challenges of the Central Asian states.
- CO404.2: The political dynamics of these sovereign states, emergence of Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS).
- CO404.3: To understand Strategic Interests of Global Powers, New Great Game and strategic interests of regional powers like - India, Pakistan, Iran and Turkey.

### **5. State & Security in South Asia (PSDSTE-405)**

- CO405.1: Learn about the politics, policies, and security issues of South Asian states.
- CO404.2: Aspects relating to democratization, development, energy security and environmental concerns from national, regional and global perspectives.
- CO404.3: Learn about the regional states achievements and limitations in the current environment.
- CO404.4: Increasing relevance of South Asian in global politics.

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