Malaviya Centre for Peace Research
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Syllabus-Ph.D. Course Work in Peace Studies

The Ph.D. Course work for the doctoral candidates would consist of 20 credits divided into **Four** Courses carrying **Five Credits (5)** each.

1. Compulsory Courses

Paper I	**: Discourses on Peace and Conflict Analysis**	**(5 Credits)**
Paper II	**: Conflict Prevention and Peacebuilding**	**(5 Credits)**
Paper III	**: Conflict Mapping and Data Analysis**	**(5 Credits)**
Paper IV	**: Scientific Research Methods**	**(5 Credits)**

Paper I: Discourses on Peace and Conflict Analysis (5 Credits)

- Peace Research, Conflict Resolution and Critical Peace Studies
- Nature and Sources of Conflict
- Violence : Structural and Cultural
- Indian Approaches to Peace and Conflict

Readings List

Galtung, Johan, (1996) *Peace by Peaceful Means*, Sage Publication, London

Jeong, Ho-Won (2000), *Peace and Conflict Studies: An Introduction,* Aldershot: Ashgate, New Delhi

Upadhyaya, Priyankar (2009) *Peace and Conflict Studies: Reflections on Indian Thinking*, Strategic Analysis, Vol 33, No. 1 (P71-83)

Ramsbotham, Oliver Woodhouse, Tom and Hugh (2005), *Contemporary Conflict Resolution*, Second Edition, Cambridge, UK

Sandole, Dennis J.D., 1996, *Conflict Resolution: Theory and Practices,* Hugo Van der Merwe.

Paper II: **Conflict Prevention and Peace Building (5 Credits)**

- Peace Education
- Linkages between Conflict, Development and Media
- Role of Religion and Intercultural Understanding
- Human Development, Human Security

Readings List

Smock, David R., (1995), *Perspectives on Pacifism: Christian, Jewish and Muslim Views on Non-violence and International Conflict,* United States Institute of Peace.

Brantmeier, Edward J., Lin Jing and Harris Ian, (2008), *Transforming Education for Peace*, Information Age Publishing House, USA

Parikh, Kirti S, Sudarshan R.(1993), *Human Development and Structural Adjustment*, MacMillan India Pvt. Ltd., Madras

Allan,T. and Seaton, J., (1999), *The Media of Conflict : War reporting and representations of Ethnic Violence*. London: Zed Books

World Bank Report (2011): Conflict and Development

Paper III: Conflict Mapping and Data Analysis (5 Credits)

- Methods and Techniques of Conflict Mapping
- Eliciting Conflict Data : Various Approaches
- Uppsala Conflict Data
- Case Study

<u>**Readings List**</u>

Eisenhardt, K. M. (1989). *Building Theories from Case Study Research*. Academy of Management Review, 14(4), 352-550.

Wallensteen P., (2008), *Understanding Conflict Resolution*, Sage Publication, London

Bercovitch, Jacob and etal. (2009), *The Sage Hand Book of Conflict Resolution*, Sage Publication, New Delhi

Fisher, Simon etal, (2000) *Working with Conflict: Skills and Strategies for Action*, Zed Books, London

Paper IV: Scientific Research Methods (5 Credits)

- Scientific Research : Characteristics and Issues
- Major Steps in Social Survey
- Ethnography and Field Study
- Cultural Sensitive Approach
- Local Case Studies of Peace Building

<u>**Readings List**</u>

Kothari, C.R. (2004), *Research Methodology: Methods and Techniques*, New Age, New Delhi

Lederach John Paul (1995), *Preparing for Peace: Conflict Transformation across Cultures,* Syracuse University Press

Kumar, Ranjit (2005), *Research Methodology*, Pearson Education, Australia

Wallensteen, P. (Ed.) (1988) *Peace Research: Achievements and Challenges*, West View Press, London, Chapter-1, 2 and 11

Wehr, Paul (1979) *Conflict Regulation*, West View Press, Colorado, USA (Chapter-1 pp1-23)