School of Distance Education, University of Kerala BA Political Science (Semester - V) 2022 Admissions

Assignment & Case Analysis Topics 10 MARKS Each

Core VI PS 1541: Public Administration

Assignment:

1. Analyze the stages and key components of the budgetary process in India.

OR

2. Examine the principles of New Public Administration and its impact on governance

Case Analysis:

1. Evaluate the role of the Right to Information Act in promoting transparency and accountability in the public sector.

OR

2. Discuss the concept of good governance and its importance.

Core VII PS 1541 – Ancient and Medieval Political Thought

Assignment:

1. Analyze Machiavelli's concept of political realism

OR

2. Discuss Rousseau's idea of the General Will and its relevance

Case Analysis:

1. Compare and contrast Aristotle's and Plato's views on the nature and ideal structure of the state.

OR

2. Analyze Kautilya's Saptanga Theory and its relevance

Core VIII PS 1541 – International Relations

Assignment:

1. Assess the effectiveness of the United Nations in preventing conflicts and maintaining global peace.

OR

2. Examine ASEAN's role in promoting economic, political, and security cooperation

Case Analysis:

1. Analyze the evolution and key principles of India's foreign policy

OR

2. Discuss the impact of globalisation

Core IX PS 1541 – Research Methods in Political Science

Assignment:

1. Discuss the components and significance of research design

OR

2. Explore the various methods of probability sampling

Case Analysis:

1. Develop a research design on a topic related to the social sciences, outlining objectives, methodology, and expected outcomes.

OR

2. Analyze the various stages involved in conducting research in political science

5. Core X PS 1541 – Human Rights in India

Assignment:

1. Examine the constitutional provisions and legal frameworks that protect human rights in India.

OR

2. Discuss the role of the Police in protecting human rights in India.

Case Analysis:

1. Write a case report on human rights violations in Kerala

OR

2. Evaluate the UN's efforts in addressing human rights violations globally