# Department of History & Pakistan Studies Arts & Humanities University of the Punjab, Lahore Course Outline



Programme	BS History	<b>Course Code</b>	HIS/202	<b>Credit Hours</b>	3	
Course Title Government and Politics in Pakistan, (1947-1971)						

#### **Course Introduction**

Pakistan, since its birth, has been facing constant political and constitutional crises, where parliamentary democracy is yet to be established on firm footing. Therefore, it is important to study the constitutional and political development of Pakistan. The aim of the course is to acquaint the students with the nature and direction of the constitutional and political development of Pakistan. A special focus shall be on the role of the political leadership and that of military-bureaucratic leadership in the political institutionalization in Pakistan.

# **Learning Outcomes**

On the completion of the course, the students will know:

- ➤ Understand the constitutional and political issues and problems and the causes of the dilemma of parliamentary democracy in Pakistan.
- Comprehend the working of the administrative and political machinery
- Analyze the security dilemmas of Pakistan

Course Content		Assignments/Readings
Week 1	Independence and the First Parliamentary Regime,	
	1947-58.	
Week 2	Early Political Problems of Pakistan.	
Week 3	Constituent Assembly of Pakistan (First and Second).	
Week 4	Working of Parliamentary System, 1947-58.	
Week 5	Reasons for the Failure of Parliamentary System.	
Week 6	Constitution Making, 1947-56	
Week 7	1956 Constitution	

Week 8	First Military Period, 1958-71					
Week 9	Ayub Khan Regime and its Major Policies					
Week 10	Policy towards Political Parties and Political Activities					
Week 11	Measures against Media Policy towards Bureaucracy					
Week 12	Constitutional Development					
Week 13	The 1962 Constitution					
Week 14	The Yahya Regime					
Week 15	Separation of East Pakistan					
Week 16	Separation of East Pakistan					

# **Textbooks and Reading Material**

#### 1. Textbooks.

Waseem, Muhammad. *Politics and the State in Pakistan*. Islamabad: National Institute of Historical and Cultural Research, 1994.

Khan, Hamid. *Constitutional and Political History of Pakistan*. Karachi: Oxford University Press, 2013.

## 2. Suggested Readings

Afzal, Muhammad Rafique. *Political Parties in Pakistan:1947-58*. Islamabad: National Institute of Historical and Cultural Research, 1986

Ahmad, Mushtaq. Government & Politics. Karachi: Space Publishers, 1970.

McGrath, Allen. *The Destruction of Pakistan's Democracy*. Karachi: Oxford University Press, 1994.

Aziz, K. K. Party Politics in Pakistan: 1947-58. Lahore: Sang-e-Meel Publications, 2007.

Butt, Amjad Mahmood. *The Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan*. Karachi: Pak Law House, 2013.

Callard, Keith. Pakistan: A Political Study. London: Allen & Unwin, 1957.

Chawla, Shalini. Pakistan's Military and Its Strategy. New Delhi: Knowledge World, 2013.

Dar, Farooq Ahmed. Jinnah's Pakistan. Karachi: Oxford University Press, 2014.

Feldman, Herbert. A Constitution of Pakistan. London: Oxford University Press, 1967.

Feldman, Herbert. From Crisis to Crisis, 1962-1969. London: Oxford University Press, 1972.

Feldman, Herbert. *The End of the Beginning: Pakistan 1969-1971*. London: Oxford University Press, 1975.

Feldman, Herbert. *Revolution in Pakistan: A Study of the Martial Law Administration*. London: Oxford University Press, 1967.

Gauhar, Altaf. *Ayyub Khan: Pakistan's First Military Ruler*. Lahore: Sang-i-Meel Publications, 1993.

Hussain, Syed Fida. *Pakistan: The Promise of the Early Years*. Lahore: Zeenat Publications, 2016.

Imran, Naumana Kiran, Federal Cabinet of Pakistan: Formation and Working, 1947-1977. Karachi: Oxford University Press, 2016.

Jahan, Rounaq. *Pakistan: Failure in National Integration*. New York: Columbia University Press, 2002.

Jalal, Ayesha. Democracy and Authoritarianism in South Asia: A Comparative and Historical Perspective. London: Cambridge University Press, 1995.

Jalal, Ayesha. The State of Martial Rule: The Origins of Pakistan's Political Economy of Defense. Lahore: Vanguard, 1991.

Raghavan, Srinath. *The Global History of the Creation of Bangladesh*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2014.

Rashid-u-zzaman, M. *Pakistan: A Study of Government and Politics*. Dacca: The University Press, 1967.

Salamat, Zarina. *Pakistan, 1947-58: An historical review*. Islamabad: National Institute of Historical and Cultural Research, 1992.

Saveed, Khalid. B. Pakistan: The formative Phase. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1968.

Sayeed, Khalid. B. *Politics in Pakistan: The Nature and Direction of Change*. New York: Praeger, 1980.

Sayeed, Khalid. B. *The Political System of Pakistan*. Karachi: Civil and Military Press, 1987.

Talbot, Ian. Pakistan: A Modern History. Lahore: Vanguard Books, 1999.

Yousaf, Hamid. Pakistan in Search of Democracy, 1947-1977. Lahore: Afrasia, 1980.

Ziring, Lawrence. *Pakistan in the Twentieth Century: A Political History*. Karachi: Oxford University Press, 1997.

# **Teaching Learning Strategies**

- 1. Weekly Lectures
- 2. Term Papers
- 3. Review Essay of selected chapter/article from the reading list
- 4. Presentations
- 5. Book Review

## **Assignments: Types and Number with Calendar**

- 1. Book Review---- 4<sup>th</sup> Week (5 Marks)
- 2. Review Essay--- 8<sup>th</sup> Week. (5 Marks)
- 3. Term Paper-----16<sup>th</sup> week (10 Marks)

#### **Assessment**

Sr. No.	Elements	Weightage	Details
1.	Midterm Assessment	35%	Written Assessment at the mid-point of the semester.
2.	Formative Assessment	25%	Continuous assessment includes: Classroom participation, assignments, presentations, viva voce, attitude and behavior, hands-on-activities, short tests, projects, practical, reflections, readings, quizzes etc.
3.	Final Assessment	40%	Written Examination at the end of the semester. It is mostly in the form of a test, but owing to the nature of the course the teacher may assess their students based on term paper, research proposal development, field work and report writing etc.