# MPhil Course: IO 640 Globalisation and the State

Monsoon Semester, 2015

Class schedule: Tuesday and Thursday: 10 AM-11.30 AM

Room no. 201, SIS-I

**Tutorial** (for difficulties and discussion): Tuesday & Thursday, 12.30 PM to 2 PM

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## **About the Course:**

The course would introduce students to major theoretical debates on globalisation and the state to inculcate a critical understanding of the subject. The debate over historicity of globalisation, its sociocultural, economic and political ramifications would form an important component of the course. The course would also introduce main theoretical formulations on the nature and formation of the modern nation-state and the idea and practice of sovereignty that has been the principal edifice of contemporary international politics. Organised under five broad sub themes – Debating Globalisation; Approaches and Theories; Conceptual Anchors: State and Sovereignty; 'Transformation' of State and Sovereignty; Culture, Identity and Resistance, the course would offer students an analytical and theoretical insights into the myriad dimensions of contemporary forms of globalisation and its encounters with state and sovereignty.

## **Course Evaluation:**

The grade for the course would be computed on the following basis:

Mid-semester evaluation I: (September 2015)	Thematic review essay (3000 words): (20)% & presentation (5%)
Mid-semester evaluation II: (October 2015; topic selection by first week of October 2015)	Term paper (5000 words): (20%) & presentation (5%)
End-semester evaluation: (End of November 2015)	Written examination: 50%

- Students must read all the assigned readings and learn to critically engage with the original texts.
- Students must maintain high degree of academic integrity, which includes but is not be limited to abstaining from copying and plagiarism. If in doubt, please consult the course teacher.
- All written assignments must be submitted through http://www.turnitin.com, along with a hard copy. Students will receive an email with a link to register at Turnitin.com which they will need for submission of written assignments. Do attend turnitin training workshops organised by the JNU library.
- •SIS Research Manual should be used as the style manual for all written assignments. (http://www.jnu.ac.in/Academics/Schools/SchoolOfInternationalStudies/SIS\_Research\_Manual.pdf)
- Penal grades would be imposed for late submission/ presentation and plagiarism.
- Completion of all mid-semester evaluation requirements is compulsory to appear in the end semester examination.

## **COURSE OUTLINE**

- I. Debating Globalisation
- II. Approaches and Theories
- III. Conceptual Anchors: State and Sovereignty
- IV. 'Transformation' of State and Sovereignty
- V. Culture, Identity and Resistance

## THEMATIC READINGS

# I. Debating Globalisation: Weeks 1 & 2

- Giddens, Anthony, 'The Globalising of Modernity' in Held, David and Anthony McGrew, eds., *The Global Transformations Reader: An Introduction to the Globalisation Debate*, Cambridge: Polity Press, 2003, pp. 60-66.
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# II. Approaches and Theories: Weeks 3, 4, 5 & 6

## Theories of International Relations & Globalisation

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## Capitalism, Imperialism & Globalisation

- Arrighi, Giovanni, 'Globalisation in World Systems Perspective' in Appelbaum, Richard, P and William I Robinson, *Critical Globalisation Studies*, New York: Routledge, 2005, pp. 33-44.
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- Sklair, Leslie, 'The Transnational Capitalist Class and the Politics of Capitalist Globalisation' in Dasgupta, Samir and Jan Nederveen Pieterse, *Politics of Globalisation*, New Delhi: Sage, 2009, pp. 82-96.

# Feminist Perspectives

- Barker, Drucilla K. and Susan F. Feiner, 'As the World Turns: Globalisation, Consumption, and the Feminisation of Work' in *Rethinking Marxism*, vol. 22, no. 2, April 2010, pp. 246-252.
- Bergeron, Suzanne, 'Political Economy Discourses of Globalisation and Feminist Politics' in *Signs*, vol. 26, no. 4, *Globalisation and Gender*, Summer, 2001, pp. 983-1006.
- Oza, Rupal, 2001, 'Showcasing India: Gender, Geography, and Globalisation' in *Signs*, vol. 26, no. 4, Summer, Special Issue on Globalisation and Gender, pp. 1067-1095.
- Parrenas, Rhacel, Salazar, 'The International Division of Reproductive Labour: Paid Domestic Work and Globalisation' in Appelbaum, Richard, P and William I Robinson, *Critical Globalisation Studies*, New York: Routledge, 2005, pp. 237-247.
- Sassen, Saskia, 'The Excesses of Globalisation and the Feminisation of Survival' in *Parallax*, vol. 7, no. 1, 2001, pp. 100–110

# III. Conceptual Anchors: State and Sovereignty: Weeks 7, 8, 9 & 10

# Origins and Formation of States

- Buzan, Barry, George Lawson, 'Rethinking Benchmark Dates in International Relations' in *European Journal of International Relations*, 16 October, 2012 pp. 1–26.
- Kratochwil, Friedrich, 'Of Systems, Boundaries, and Territoriality: An Inquiry into the Formation of the State System' in *World Politics*, vol. 39, no. 1, 1986, pp. 27-52.
- Tilly, Charles, Coercion, Capital, and the European States AD 990-1992, Oxford: Blackwell, 1992 (select chapters).

## Sovereignty and its Avatars

- Krasner, Stephen D, 'Rethinking the Sovereign State Model' in Review of International Studies, vol. 27, 2001, pp. 17-42.
- Onuf, Nicholas Greenwood, 'Sovereignty: Outline of a Conceptual History', *Alternatives: Global, Local, Political*, vol. 16, no. 4, Fall 1991, pp. 425-446.
- Philpott, D, 'Westphalia, Authority, and International Society' in Political Studies, vol. 47, 1999, pp. 566-589.
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# IV. 'Transformation' of State and Sovereignty: Weeks 11, 12 & 13

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- Keohane, Robert, 'Sovereignty in International Society' in Held, David and Anthony McGrew, eds., *The Global Transformations Reader: An Introduction to the Globalisation Debate*, Cambridge: Polity Press, 2003, pp. 147-161.
- Mann, Michael, 'Has Globalisation Ended the Rise and Rise of Nation State' in *Review of International Political Economy*, vol. 4, no. 3, Autumn 1997, pp. 472–496.
- Sassen, Saskia, 'The Places and Spaces of the Global: An Expanded Analytical Terrain' in Held, David and Anthony McGrew, eds., *Globalisation Theory: Approaches and Controversies*, Cambridge: Polity Press, 2007, pp. 79-105.
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- Strange, Susan, 'The Declining Authority of States' in Held, David and Anthony McGrew, eds., *The Global Transformations Reader: An Introduction to the Globalisation Debate*, Cambridge: Polity Press, 2003, pp. 127-134.
- Weiss, Linda, 'The State-augmenting Effects of Globalisation in *New Political Economy*, vol. 10, no. 3, September, 2005, pp. 345-353.

# V. Culture, Identity and Resistance: Weeks 14, 15 & 16

## **Cultural Matrix and Identity**

- Appadurai, Arjun, 'Disjuncture and Difference in the Global Cultural Economy' in *Theory, Culture and Society*, vol., 7 no. 2 & 3, July, 1990, pp. 295-310.
- Ardalan, Kavous, 'Globalisation and Culture: Four Paradigmatic Views' in *International Journal of Social Economics*, vol. 36, no. 5, 2009, pp. 513-534.
- Smith, Anthony D, 'Towards a Global Culture?' in *Theory, Culture and Society*, vol. 7, no. 2, 1990, pp. 171-91. Also published in Featherstone, Mike, ed., *Global Culture: Nationalism, Globalisation and Modernity*, London: Sage, 1990, pp. 171-192.
- Tomlinson, John, 'Globalisation and Cultural Analysis' in Held, David and Anthony McGrew, eds., *Globalisation Theory: Approaches and Controversies*, Cambridge: Polity Press, 2007, pp. 148-168.

# Resistance and Challenges

- Bhavnani, Kum-Ku, John Foran, and Molly Talcott, 'The Red, the Green, the Black, and the Purple: Reclaiming Development, Resisting Globalisation' in Appelbaum, Richard, P and William I Robinson, *Critical Globalisation Studies*, New York: Routledge, 2005 pp. 323-332.
- Lipschutz, Ronnie D, 'Power, Politics and Global Civil Society' in *Millennium: Journal of International Studies*, vol. 33, no. 3, pp. 747-769.
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