CENTRE FOR CANADIAN, US & LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES

SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

Course : MA Course No. : IS 585N

Course Title : Canada in World Affairs

Course Type : Optional

Course Teacher : Dr. Sneha Bhagat

Credits : 4
Semester : Winter
Contact Hours : 4 per week

Course Objectives

The course objective is to understand Canada's position in the World. The course also highlights various aspects related to the Foreign Policy, Multilateralism, Global Security and Economic Globalisation. The course also examines the dynamics of Canada's relations with the US,Latin America, Asia, Africa and Indo-Pacific. It also emphasises on the Canada-India relations.

Learning Outcomes

At the end of this course students would be able to perceive Canada's evolving world view. This course would help in enhancing the learning on some of the important aspects of global system. They would be able to explain the changing dynamics of Canada's relation with other countries.

Evaluation Methods

Class Participation (10%); Sessional Work (Term Paper and Mid-term Examination (40%) End-term Examination (50%)

Course Content

- I. Making of Canadian Foreign Policy
 - System of Governance and Policy-making Process
 - External and Societal Determinants
 - Department of External Affairs and Foreign Trade (DFAIT)
- II. Canada and Multilateralism
 - UN and Other International Agencies
 - International Peace-keeping, Peace-making & Peace-enforcing

• International Development Assistance Programme

III. Canada and Global Security

- Arms Control & Disarmament, Nuclear Non-proliferation
- Missile Control Regime&Transfer of Technology
- Canada and International Terrorism

IV. Canada and the Process of Economic Globalisation

- Multilateral Financial Institutions, G-8
- Economic Regionalism NAFTA (USMCA), APEC etc.
- Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP)

V. Canada's World View

- Canada bilateral relations with major powers: US, China and India
- Canada regional relations with Latin America & Caribbean, Africa and Indo-Pacific
- Canada in Covid 19 pandemic

Readings

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