



Refresher Course on

“Emerging Trends in Political Science Studies and Researches”

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Organised By UGC-HRDC and Department of Political Science

Guru Ghasidas Central University, Bilaspur (Chhattisgarh) 495 009

The Programme

Political science is a dynamic subject and keeps pace with the changing scenario of the political institutions in both national and international regime. The wide umbrella approach enables us to think differently from other people and also think in a focused manner. Although knowledge needs to be updated with the recent progress, a teacher has to remain cautious and vigilant for all certain changes and definitely he is deemed in the society as a person to predict about the futuristic things as only the prediction of a scholar i.e. researcher are based on the facts, ground realities or researches. Different dimensions of political science give us an opportunity to share our thoughts on a platform that has been provided by The University Grants Commission in the form of a refresher course or a faculty development programme which in real sense not only refresh or update our acquired knowledge at the same time it provides an opportunity to share our studies conducted in different streams of political science.

The **Refresher Course on *Emerging Trends in Political Science Studies and Researches*** will give the participants an opportunity to explore or reacquaint themselves with the recent developments in the field of Political Science through the exploration of studies and researches conducted and ongoing. The different methods to be adopted during the Course would be lectures and interactions between the resource persons and the participants, group assignments, field visit, group presentations. It is hoped that the skill gained during this academic journey will enable the participants to effectively deal with contemporary challenges on changing dimensions of political science.

The University

Guru Ghasidas Central University has been successful in achieving its goals of spreading knowledge and supporting numerous research activities since its transformation as a Central University in 2009 at Bilaspur in the state of Chhattisgarh. Spread over seven hundred plus acres, away from the chores of city life and located at an academic friendly

environment, it creates a congenial atmosphere for more than 700 teachers and 400 research scholars to be engaged in various academic activities in different departments of the University campus. It has strength of more than eight thousand students and it has been successfully grooming them for assuming responsibilities in various fields such as Biological Science, Natural Science, Social Science, Physical Education, Pharmacy, Law and different branches of Engineering. The facilities of the Central Library having a stock of more than one lakh books and journals and permanent internet connectivity, have been instrumental for facilitating the academic pursuits of the students, teachers, and academicians.

About Human Resource Development Centre (HRDC):

UGC-Academic Staff College (ASC), presently upgraded as Human Resource Development Centre (HRDC) was initially established in Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya (A Central University) during 2009. HRDC is organising various kinds of training programmes to enhance the professional skills and knowledge of teaching and non-teaching staff. The HRDC has the state-of-the-art ICT Laboratory equipped with high-speed internet & video conferencing facilities. The facilities of Central Library of Vishwavidyalaya, equipped with more than one lakh books and journals, Science

Direct and INFLIB NET, have been extended to HRDC, which make possible an easy access to books, journals and eresources for faculties. The HRDC has developed strong linkages with reputed national and international institutes and invites eminent academicians and researchers as resource persons as per the needs of the training programmes. The highly motivated faculty, eminent resource persons, state of the art facilities and excellent logistics are the strengths of HRDC and key to the successful organisation of many quality programmes.

Eligibility

1. Faculty members of political science, social work, economics, history, law, journalism etc. working in universities and colleges that are included under Section 2(f) of the UGC Act, even though they may not yet be fit under Section 12 (B), may be invited to participate in the orientation and refresher courses. The teachers of colleges that do not yet come within the purview of Section 2(f), but have been affiliated to a university for at least five years, will be permitted to participate in the courses.
2. Part-time / Ad-hoc/ temporary / contract teachers who have been teaching for at least three academic sessions in an institution without differentiating them on the basis of

type of management, which has been affiliated to a University programme / Refresher Course to enhance their skills.

3. University/ College teachers those already attended orientation programme or Refresher Course are eligible to attend a Refresher Course after a minimum gap of one year.
4. Selection will be made as per the guidelines of the UGC-HRDC and on first come first serve basis.

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No.- 947410110001547, IFSC Code- BKID0009474, Branch- BOI, GGV Campus, Koni to secure the participation. Bilaspur city of Chhattisgarh is well connected by rail and roadways. Regarding any further queries related to the course and other details, please contact the Course Coordinator and Director.

Application Process

The interested candidates are advised to apply via online application form at the earliest and the same application may be printed out for applying through proper channel from university web site: www.ggu.ac.in/hrdc.aspx with a registration fee (nonrefundable) of Rs. 1000/- paid through NEFT/RTGS/NET

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