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Department	FAST School of Computing	Dept. Code	FSC
Course Title	Foreign Policy of Pakistan	Course Code	SS2048
Pre-requisite(s)		Credit Hrs.	2
Moderator			
Course Instructors			

Course Objective	The course on Pakistan's Foreign Policy has been designed to provide a dynamic and robust understanding of the process of foreign policy making in Pakistan, key focus of Pakistan's foreign relations across the globe including key foreign policy challenges and opportunities for Pakistan. The course is designed to inculcate an informed understanding of Pakistan's foreign policy perspectives, challenges, and opportunities as well as to equip participants to evaluate and offer practical recommendations for foreign policy reform.
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No.	Assigned Program Learning Outcome (PLO)	Level	Tool
01			

A = Assignment, Q = Quiz, M = Midterm, F = Final, P = Project

No.	Course Learning Outcome (CLO) Statements	Tools
01	Describe the concept of Foreign Policy	Q1,A1,M1,F
02	Explain the basics and foundations of Pakistan's Foreign Policy	Q2,M1,M2, F
03	Analyze the relations of Pakistan with neighboring and Global Powers	A2,M2,F
04	Evaluate the emerging challenges to Pakistan's Foreign Policy	Q3,A3, F



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W ee k	Course Contents/Topics	
01	Concept and Introduction of Foreign Policy Historical background of Pakistan's Foreign Policy Readings:- https://www.brookings.edu/wp-content/uploads/2016/07/Chapter-One-30.pdf https://cscr.pk/pdf/perspectives/Pakistan%E2%80%99s-Foreign-Policy-In- Transition-Driving-Factors-And-Emerging-Trends.pdf	
02	Foreign Policy and its determinants a) Internal b) External Readings:- https://www.researchgate.net/publication/330476527_The_Study_of_Foreign_Policy_in_International_Relations https://dailytimes.com.pk/856998/pakistans-instruments-of-foreign-policy/ https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/pdf/10.1177/097152311201700208	
03	Pakistan's Relations with neighboring countries a) India Readings:- https://core.ac.uk/reader/297012520 https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/pdf/10.1177/2347797018823964	
04	Pakistan's Relations with neighboring countries b) China https://www.isas.nus.edu.sg/wp-content/uploads/2021/12/WP-357-1-1.pdf https://www.researchgate.net/publication/272645548 Pakistan- China_Relations_Where_They_Go_from_Here	
05	Pakistan's Relations with neighboring countries c) Afghanistan d) Iran Readings:- https://qurtuba.edu.pk/thedialogue/The%20Dialogue/4_1/02_ashraf.pdf https://iramcenter.org/d_hbanaliz/pakistan-iran-relations-economic-and-political-dimensions.pdf	



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06	Pakistan's Relations with USA Readings:- https://issi.org.pk/wp-content/uploads/2020/02/4-SS Mahrukh Khan No- 4_2019-1.pdf	
07	Pakistan's relations with Russia Readings:- https://www.researchgate.net/publication/340165623 Pak- Russia Relations Lost Opportunities and Future Options	
08	Kashmir Issue Palestine Issue Readings:- https://www.cartercenter.org/documents/1439.pdf https://margallapapers.ndu.edu.pk/site/article/view/48/29 https://www.britannica.com/event/Arab-Israeli-wars https://thefridaytimes.com/29-Aug-2023/diminishing-prospects-of-resolving-the-kashmir-conflict https://criterion-quarterly.com/kashmir-dispute-is-there-a-viable-solution/https://www.hrw.org/world-report/2024/country-chapters/israel-and-palestine	
09	CPEC Challenges and opportunities Readings:- https://www.lse.ac.uk/ideas/Assets/Documents/The-China-Pakistan-Economic-Corridor.pdf https://southasianvoices.org/ten-years-of-cpec-a-decade-of-disappointments/	
10	Regional Organizations ECO, Connectivity with CARs Readings:- http://www.eco.int/parameters/eco/modules/cdk/upload/content/general_content/3 624/150814561891935csfdk3kfgkbqp3np70hjp595.pdf	
11	Regional Organizations SAARC SCO Readings:- https://www.jstor.org/stable/pdf/resrep19209.7.pdf https://www.ipinst.org/wp-	



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	content/uploads/publications/ipi_e_pub_shanghai_cooperation.pdf http://pu.edu.pk/images/journal/history/PDF-FILES/14_58_2_21.pdf	
12	Successes and failures of Pakistan's foreign policy Readings:- https://www.annualreviews.org/doi/pdf/10.1146/annurev.polisci.3.1.167	
13	Foreign Policy Challenges Options, Block Formation, Global and Regional Changes, Need to reshape FP https://www.dawn.com/news/1746724 https://strategicthought.ndu.edu.pk/site/article/view/22	
14	Presentations	
15	Presentations	
16	Final Exams	

Title	Pakistan's Foreign Policy: A Reprisal
Author	Shahid M. Amin
Title	Concise History of Pakistan's Foreign Policy
Author	Abdul Sattar
Title	Geo Strategic Environment of Pakistan
	(Reference Book)
Author	Dr Hassan Askari Rizvi
Author/Edito	Ghulam Ali
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	Pakistan's Foreign Policy
	Contemporary Developments and Dynamics
	(Reference Book)
	Supplement readings including book chapters, research articles and newspaper articles will also be shared.

Evaluation Procedure & Marks Distribution:



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Assessment Tools	Weightage
Quizzes (3)	10%
Individual Assignment (2)	4%
Group Term Paper and Presentations (1)	6%
Midterm I	15%
Midterm II	15%
Final Exam	50%

Grading Policy:

Relative grading Scheme will be followed for grading

Academic Journals:

Pakistan Horizon (back issues available at Jstor) Contemporary South Asia Third World Quarterly, Security Studies, Security Dialogue, Regional Studies Quarterly, Foreign Affairs, The Washington Quarterly

Internet Sources:

www.pildat.org

http://www.pildat.org/Publications/publication/FP/ForeignPolicyProcessinPakistanproceedings_04 _2004. pdf

http://www.pildat.org/Publications/publication/FP/RoleofParliamentsinFormulationandOversightof Foreig nPolicy-3rdPakAfghanWorkshop.pdf

http://www.pildat.org/Publications/publication/FP/Proposals for Resolving the Kashmir Dispute.pdf

http://www.pildat.org/Publications/publication/FP/CaseStudyonRecognitionofTaliban.pdf

http://www.pildat.org/Publications/publication/FP/PakistanForeignPolicy-AnOvreview.pdf

http://carnegieendowment.org/ (South Asia) http://www.e-ir.info/ http://thediplomat.com/

http://www.cfr.org/

http://ipripak.org

www.usip.org

www.ips.org

https://www.brookings.edu/

issi.org.pk

https://www.visualcapitalist.com/visualizing-the-brics-expansion-in-4-charts/