

AMITY UNIVERSITY

Course Title: Sociology for Engineers

Course Code: SOC104

Credit Units: 01 Course Level:UG

L	T	P/S	SW/F	TOTAL	
			W	CREDIT UNITS	
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Course Objectives:

- 1. To familiarize the prospective engineers with elements of Indian history and sociological concepts and theories by which they could understand contemporary issues
- 2. To understand the problems in Indian society
- 3. To enable its student to analyze critically the social processes of globalization, modernization and social change.

Pre-requisites: Student should be 10+2 from any discipline

Course Contents/Syllabus:

	Weightage (%)
Module I	
Descriptors/Topics	
Sociological perspective; Sociology as a science; Sociology and other social Sciences, Society, community, Institution,	50
Association, Social Structure, Social Function, Status and Role and its Elements.	
Module II	
Descriptors/Topics	
Introduction to sociological concepts- social institutions, Culture social stratification (caste, class, gender, power), Social Change.	50

Pedagogy for Course Delivery: The course is designed to be taught through the lecture mode.

Student Learning Outcomes:

- Understanding of professional and ethical Responsibility
- To discuss the dynamics and nature of Indian Society.

Assessment/Examination Scheme:

Theory L/T (%)	Lab/Practical/Studio (%)	Total	
100	N.A	100	

Theory Assessment (L&T):

	End Term Examination				
Components (Drop down)	СТ	НА	PPT	ATT	
Weightage (%)	15	05	05	05	70

Text:

- Giddens, A (2009), Sociology, Polity, 6th edn.
- Haralambos M, RM Heald, M Holborn (2000), Sociology, Collins
- Xaxa, V (2008), State, Society and Tribes Pearson
- Chandoke, Neera & Praveen Priyadarshi (2009), Contemporary India: Economy, Society and Politics, Pearson
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- Mohanty, M (ed.) (2004), Class, Caste & Gender- Volume 5, Sage
- Dhanagare, D.N., Themes and Perspectives in Indian Sociology, Rawat
- Ramaswamy, E.A. and Ramaswamy, U.(1981), Industry and Labour, OU Press
- Bhowmik, S (ed.) (2010), Street Vendors in the Global Urban Economy, Routledge
- Rao, M.S.A. (ed.) (1974), Urban Sociology, Orient Longmans