

Centre for West Asian Studies

School of International Studies

Course	PhD
Course No:	WA624N
Course Title:	Politics and Foreign Policy of Egypt
Course Type	Optional
Course Teacher:	Dr. Mahendra Pratap Rana
Credits:	Two
Contact Hours:	Two per week

Course Objective: The course is structured for researchers of CWAS/JNU but other interested institutions can also learn Egypt's history, culture, independence movements, evolution of party system, domestic and foreign policy, non-align movement, foreign policy shift, radical and democratic movements, regional and external actors and India's relations with Egypt including trade relations .

Learning Outcomes: The Course seeks to achieve the following learning outcomes: to develop research skills in the learners to undertake rigorous and cutting-edge research in domain-specific or related ones; encourage analytical and critical thinking among the learners to expand their depth in the field; and to broaden the learners' scope of knowledge and open up new avenues for innovative research.

Evaluation Method : Sessional work and Semester Examination

Course Content

1. History of Egypt: Pharaonic; Roman; Islamic, Fatimid, and Ottoman History; Napoleonic Invasion (1798) and rise of Mohammad Ali (1805—1849): Reforms and modernization of Egyptian Society.
2. Patterns of Colonial domination, Impact of Colonialism and anti-Colonial Struggle for Liberation. Salaffiya Movement and Urabi Movement (1881-1882); Mustafa Kamel; Egyptian Revolution; Role of Wafd Party in Independence movement.
3. Rise of Muslim Brotherhood; Copts in Egyptian society; Arabization of Egypt; Arab Nationalism and Palestinian Question.
4. Egyptian Revolution; Rise of Gamal Abdul Nasser, Nationalization Policy of Nasser. Suez Crisis (1955-56). Non-Aligned, Alliance with Soviet Union; Rise and fall of UAR; Foreign Policy; Arab-Israel War, (1967) and Downfall of Nasser; Anwar Al-Sadat's Regime (1971-1981) and Policy of de-Nasserization: 1973 Arab-Israel (1973) and Peace initiatives with Israel [1971-1981]; Multi-Party system; Infitah and domestic and foreign policy initiatives.
5. Hosni Mubarak's Domestic and Foreign Policy [1981-2011]; Arab Uprisings (2011)- Regional and External Actors; Removal of Mubarak; Rise of Military.; Rise and Fall of Mohammad Morsi and Muslim Brotherhood; External Actors high jacked democracy building movement; Military Intervention and downfall of Mohammad Morsi; Emergence of Fatah El-Sisi; human rights; Domestic and Foreign policy.

6. Egypt-India-Relations: Historical, Cultural, Economic and Military

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