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SYMBIOSIS

# Symbiosis College of Arts and Commerce

(An Autonomous College Affiliated to University of Pune)

Subject code		Semester	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	M.A.	I	II	III	IV
Title of Subject	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Paper-4 Economics of Social Sector</b></li> </ul>												
For BOS Approval													
Objectives	<p><i>The broad focus of this course will be:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The course aims to acquaint and familiarize students with the Economics of social sector.</li> <li>The units incorporated in this course provide an analysis of issues at the theoretical level and also with regard to specificity of issues prevailing in the Indian context.</li> <li>The prime objective of the course is to expose the students to the issues and concerns of various social sectors in India.</li> <li>The course aims at providing a theoretical exposition and meaningful insights into Social Sector Issues.</li> <li>This course is meant to provide insights into Policy Perspectives of Social Sector in India.</li> </ul>												
<b>Detailed syllabus</b>													
Units	Contents of the syllabus												Number of Hours
1.	<p><b><u>1.Title of the topic : Introduction</u></b></p> <p><b>Contents :</b></p> <p>1.1 Social Sector - Theoretical Paradigms</p> <p>1.2 Social Exclusion &amp; Inclusion- Social Development Index</p> <p>1.3 Scope and relevance of Social Sector in economic development</p> <p>1.4 Human capital - Human capital vs. physical capital, components of human capital</p>												15
2.	<p><b><u>2.Title of the topic : Economics and Financing of Education</u></b></p>												

	<p><b>Contents :</b></p> <p>2.1 Concept and scope of Economics of Education</p> <p>2.2 Cost of education &amp; Benefits of Education ,Cost-Benefit analysis in education.</p> <p>2.3 Issues Concerning Formal and Non-Formal Education in India</p> <p>2.4 Economics of educational planning in developing countries with special emphasis on India</p> <p>2.5 Role &amp; Effects of financing educational development in India</p>	<b>15</b>
3.	<p><b><u>3. Title of the topic : Economics of Health</u></b></p> <p><b>Contents :</b></p> <p>3.1 Definition and scope of Economics of Health, the concept of health and health care</p> <p>3.2 Health as human capital, Determinants of Health- Poverty, Malnutrition, Economic Dimensions of Health Care</p> <p>3.3 Financing and Institutional Issues in Health Care, Resource Mobilization and Utilization of health care in India.</p> <p>3.4 Policy Initiatives by Ministry of Health and Family Welfare</p>	<b>20</b>
4.	<p><b><u>4. Title of the topic: Issues &amp; Policy Perspective of Social Sector Development in India</u></b></p> <p><b>Contents:</b></p> <p>4.1 Gender Equality and Women Empowerment</p> <p>4.1 Economic Reforms and Social Sectors</p> <p>4.2 Trends and Disparities in Social Sector Development</p> <p>4.4 Challenges and Innovative Solutions for Social Sector Development</p>	<b>10</b>
	<b>Total Number of Lectures</b>	<b>60</b>

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16. The Economics of Education: Human Capital, family background & Inequality Daniele Checchi
17. Quality of Secondary Education in India – Concepts, Indicators & Measurement, Springer
18. Economics of Health & Medical Care (6<sup>th</sup> Edition) 2014, Lanis L. Hicks
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23. Do we Care. Sujata Rao.

### **Reports**

*The Inclusive Growth and Development Report 2017*  
*The Global Gender Gap Report 2017*  
*India Development Report (Various Issues)*  
*India Social Development Report (Various Issues)*  
*Annual Reports (Ministry of Health and Family Welfare)*  
*Annual Reports (Ministry of Human Resource Development)*  
*World Economic Forum ( Various Reports)*

### **Web sites :**

- [indiabudget.nic.in](http://indiabudget.nic.in)
- [www.undp.org](http://www.undp.org)

- mhrd.gov.in
- mohfw.gov.in
- [www.wordbank.org](http://www.wordbank.org)
- [www.who.int](http://www.who.int)