

SOLAPUR UNIVERSITY, SOLAPUR
Ph. D. Course Work in Philosophy
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Paper – II
Recent trends in Philosophy

1. Linguistic analysis
 - 1.1 Moore - Defense of common sense, Refutation of idealism
 - 1.2 Russell – Theory of description
 2. Logical Atomism
 - 2.1 Russell – Atomic facts, Atomic statements
 - 2.2 Logical constructions and Incomplete symbols
 3. Existentialism
 - 3.1 Kierkegard and Sartre on freedom
 - 3.2 Responsibility
 - 3.3 Transcendence
 - 3.4 Nothingness and God
 4. Phenomenology
 - 4.1 Husserl-Extension of Cartesian method of doubt
 - 4.2 Epoche, Phenomenology as rigorous science
 5. J. Krishnamurthy's philosophy
 - 5.1 The concept of Philosophy
 - 5.2 Unconditioned Mind
 6. K.C. Bhattacharya's philosophy
 - 6.1 Truth and Error
 - 6.2 Subject as Freedom
- Reading books :
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13. Modern Indian Thought : V.S. Naravane Bombay 1964
14. Studies in Philosophy : K.C. Bhattacharya, Matilal Banarasidas Delhi 1983
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Paper – III
Modern Topics in Philosophy

1. Pragmatism
 - 1.1 Theory of truth: correspondence, coherence and pragmatic
 - 1.2 Pragmatic theory of truth: Nature, criterion
 - 1.3 William James views on pragmatic theories of meaning and truth
2. Reconstruction of society
 - 2.1 Liberty
 - 2.2 Equality
 - 2.3 Fraternity
 - 2.4 Justice
3. Religious fundamentalism
 - 3.1 Problem of terrorism

- 3.2 Interreligion harmony
- 4. Gandhian thought
 - 4.1 World peace and ahimsa
 - 4.2 Gandhian social thought
- 5. Environmental ethics
 - 5.1 Moral responsibility towards nature
 - 5.2 Preservative and Conservation of nature
 - 5.3 Bio-medical ethics
 - 5.4 Abortion, Euthanasia, Sallekhana, Female foeticide
- 6. Eco philosophy
 - 6.1 Moral responsibility towards nature

Reading books :

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3. Encyclopedia of Environmental Science, P.R. Trivedi, Gurdeepraj (Vol.6)
4. Environmental Science- A Study of Interrelationships (4th Ed.), Eldon Enger and Bradley Smith.
5. Environmental Challenges Edited by C.K.Varshney and D.R. Sardesai.
6. Citizen’s Report- State of India’s Environment of Hindu Publication. 7. Man’s Responsibility for Nature- John Passmore.
8. A Dictionary of Environment – Steve Ellsworth.
9. Concepts of Ecology- R.L. Kotpal and N.P.Bali.
10. Thinking about Nature an Investigation of Nature Value and Ecology- Andrew Brennan.
11. Env. Ethics – Edited by Robert Eliot.
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