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**FACULTY OF ARTS**

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**FOR**

**POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA  
IN  
HOMELAND SECURITY  
(SEMESTER SYSTEM)  
EXAMINATIONS, 2024-25**

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**PANJAB UNIVERSITY, CHANDIGARH**

**Syllabus for One year Postgraduate Diploma in Homeland Security (Semester System)**

**Objectives**

Homeland Security occupies a unique place at the interface of national and international Security as well as domestic and foreign policy decision making. The principle issues of the Defence of Homeland includes–Border Security, preservation of critical infrastructure, natural and manmade disasters, Terrorism, Inter-agency coordination, Maritime and Port Security and continuity of operations by the Government. The purpose of the course is to help students develop a better understanding of the complex set of actors, institutions, processes and issues that constitutes the realm of Homeland Security.

**Subjects to be Covered**

**Semester-I**

**Paper**

**Marks**

**SEMESTER –I**

**Paper-I: Concept of Homeland Security**

## **Unit -II**

### 3. Homeland Security – Threats and Challenges:

- a) Understanding Threats and Challenges
- b) Threats and Challenges Post 26/11.

### 4. Approaches to Homeland Security:

- a) Various Approaches Adopted in other Countries with Special Reference to USA
- b) Significance of Homeland Security in South Asian Context

## **Unit -III**

### 5. Risk Assessment and Risk Management: Conceptualising Risk Assessment, Risk Management and Risk Preparedness

### 6. Homeland Security Management – Government, Public and Private Partnership; Role of Media & NGO

- a)



**Paper-II: Political, Social, Economic and Geographical Aspects of Homeland Security**

**Objective:** To highlight the aspects of political, socio-cultural, geographical, and economic Challenges to Homeland Security

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR PAPER SETTER AND THE CANDIDATES:**

- (i) The theory question paper will be of 80 marks and 20 marks will be for internal assessment.
- (ii) For improvement and reappear candidates, who have not been assessed earlier for internal assessment, the marks secured by them in theory paper will proportionately be increased to maximum marks of the paper in lieu of internal assessment.

**The paper setter must put below mentioned note in the q**

### **Unit -III**

#### 3. Economic Aspects of Homeland Security:

- a) Economy as an Element of National Security
- b) Economic Potential and Capabilities of India Including Energy Security
- c) Role of Economy in Ensuring Homeland Security

### **Unit**

**Paper-IV: Intelligence, Internal Security mechanism, Role of Armed forces in Homeland Security**

**Objective:**



g) Case study for Intelligence Failure

2. Role of Armed Forces in Homeland Security:

a) Employment of Armed Forces in Internal Security

b) Reorganisation of Armed Forces to Meet New Challenges in Homeland Security

### **Unit -II**

3. Internal Security Mechanism:

a) Security set up at Centre and State level.

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2. Bureau OF Justice Assistance Report, Intelligence led policing, BOJA, New Delhi, 2008.
3. Charles Jesus Mena, Homeland Security Techniques and Technologies, River Media, 2004.
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3. Securing Critical Infrastructure and Global/Regional Terrorism:

- a) Security of Critical Infrastructure
- b) Terrorism affecting the Region and its Global Implications
- c) Cooperation Between Countries for Fight Against Terrorism

**Unit -IV**

4. Future Challenges:

- a) Effect of Terrorism on Security Perspective and Counter Measures
- b) Use of Technology by Terrorists and its Countermeasures
- c) Cyber Crimes.

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