

Course Code 300	The Ideology and Constitution of Pakistan	Credit Hours: 02
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Course Objectives:

- The Course aims to provide an in-depth and comprehensive understanding of the ideological foundations by exploring at length the historical context of the creation of Pakistan.
- The Course also exposes students to the constitutional developments as well as the core provisions of the 1973 Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.

Learning Outcomes:

After the completion of this course, the students will be able to:

- Acquaint with the significance of Pakistan's ideology, its origins and evolution as well as the national identity of the country.
- Understand the evolution of Pakistan's constitution, especially the main features of the 1973 Constitution, separation of powers among various organs of the State as well as basic human rights, liberties and responsibilities of the citizens of Pakistan.

Part A: Ideology of Pakistan:

1. The concept of 'Ideology'
2. The Ideology of Pakistan – 'Two Nation Theory': Definition, Evolution and Significance
 - a. Establishment of Muslim Society and impact of Islam on the Indian Sub-Continent
 - b. The role of Muslim rulers and Sufi saints in the formation of Muslim Society in the Indian Sub-Continent
 - c. Arrival of the British and the fall of Muslim Rule
 - d. War of Independence (1857): Its Causes and Consequences
 - e. Aligarh Movement and the formation of All India Muslim League
 - f. Allama Iqbal's Allahabad Address (1930)
 - g. Quaid-e-Azam and Pakistan Movement
 - h. Lahore Resolution (1940)
 - i. Creation of Pakistan (14 August 1947)

Part B: Evolution of the Constitution of Pakistan:

1. Constitution types (written, unwritten, federal, unitary, confederation etc.)
2. The Government of India Act, 1935
3. The Objectives Resolution 1949
4. The first Constitution of Pakistan (1956)
5. The Constitution of 1962
6. The 1973 Constitution and its main features
 - a. Amendments and major changes in the Constitution over the years
 - b. 18th Amendment and Provincial Autonomy
7. Supremacy of Constitution, Functioning of State Organs and Division of Powers
8. Human Rights: Civil rights, liberties and responsibilities

Suggested readings:

1. Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan

2. Hamid Khan (2005). Constitutional and Political History of Pakistan Hamid Khan. Oxford University Press.
3. Ian Talbot (2022). Pakistan: A New History. Hurst Publishers.
4. I.H. Qureshi (1967). A Short History of Pakistan. University of Karachi Press.
5. Sharif Mujahid (2001). Ideology of Pakistan. International Islamic University.
6. Syed Jaffar Ahmed (1990). Federalism in Pakistan: A Constitutional Study. Pakistan Study Center, University of Karachi.