



SOCIOLOGY
Sociology of Labour
[Elective]

Semester II	Credits: 4	Subject Code: MSL22003	Lectures: 60
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Course outcomes:

At the end of this course, the learners will be able to:

- understand work organization in global economy
- analyse various issues related to work and workers.
- develop knowledge about the labour in global economy.

Unit I: Work and Labour	12
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Changing conceptions of work and labour• Changing organization of work (Fordist to post-Fordist, beyond bureaucracy?)	

Unit II: Organized labour in India	12
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Composition of organized labour• Neo-liberal policies and formal sector• Labour movement in India and present challenges to trade unions and labour movement	

Unit III: Labour in unorganized sector in India	12
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Composition of unorganized/informal labour (caste, tribe, gender, age, region)• Challenges of Organizing - Issues of unionizing and social security	

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12 hours for Library work, practical or field work or research purposes

Recommended Text Books:

- Bhowmik, Sharit., *Industry, Labour and Society*, Orient Longman, 2012
- Breman, Jan, *Footlose Labour*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge 1996
- Breman, Jan: *The Labouring Poor in India; Patterns of Exploitation and Exclusion*, Oxford UnivPress, New Delhi 2003
- Blyton Paul, Jenkins Jean, *Key Concepts in Work*, Sage, UK. 2008
- Joshi, Chitra: *Lost Worlds: Indian Labour and Its Forgotten Histories*, , Permanent Black, N. Delhi 2003
- Watson, Tony: *Sociology, Work and Industry*, Routledge, NY 1996

Reference Books:

- Banerjee, Nirmala: *Women in Unorganised Sector*, Orient Longmans. Hyderabad 1985
- Breman, Jan, *The Making and Unmaking of an Industrial Working Class*, Oxford University Press, New Delhi 2004
- Deshpande R. and Palshikar S: "Occupational Mobility: How much does caste matter?" *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol. XLIII No. 34, Aug. 23 2008
- Jhabwala Renana and Sinha Shalini: 'Liberalization and the woman worker', *Economic and Political Weekly*, 37 (23): 2037-44. 2002
- Sen S. and Dasgupta B. "Labour under stress, findings from a Survey" *Economic and Political Weekly*, January 19. 65-72 2008
- Thorat, Sukhdeo: "Social Security in Unorganised Sector, How Secure are the scheduled castes?" *Special Issue, Indian Journal of Labour Economics*, Sept. 1990

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