

## **MDC-3: Humanities & Social Sciences- III: Understanding Globalization**

### **Unit 1: Globalization: The Context**

- a. Disintegration of the Soviet Union & collapse of the socialist economy
- b. Washington Consensus
- c. Neoliberal approach to development

#### **Reading List:**

- Scheuermann, William. (2014). Globalisation. In Stanford *Encyclopedia* of Philosophy. Retrieved from <http://www.bibme.org/citation-guide/apa/website/>
- Steger, Manfred B. (2003). *Globalisation – A Very Short Introduction*. Oxford: OUP.
- Ritzer, George. (2010). *Globalisation: A Basic Text*. Sussex: Wiley Blackwell
- Lockwood, David (2000). *The Destruction of the Soviet Union: A Study in Globalization*. Palgrave Macmillan
- Lechini, Gladys (2006). *Globalization and the Washington Consensus: Its Influence on Democracy and Development in the South*.
- Nedevereen Pieterse, Jan. (2017). *Neoliberal Globalization and the Washington Consensus*. 10.4324/9781315092577-5.

### **Unit 2: The Drivers of Globalization**

- a. IMF & the World Bank
- b. Multinational Companies
- c. Structural Adjustment Policies of the National Governments

#### **Reading List:**

- Ritzer, George. (2010). *Globalisation: A Basic Text*. Sussex: Wiley Blackwell
- Stiglitz, Joseph (2002). *Globalization and its Discontents*. W. W. Norton & Company.
- Heywood, Andrew. (2011). *Global Politics*. Palgrave Macmillan
- Oatley, T. (2006). *International Political Economy: Interests and Institutions in the Global Economy*. New York: Pearson-Longman.
- Frieden, J. A. and D. A. Lake. 2000. *International Political Economy: Perspectives on Global Wealth and Power*. New York: Bedford/St. Martin's.

### Unit 3: Emerging Concerns under globalization

- a. UN and SDGs
- b. Gender Equity
- c. Climate Crisis

#### Reading List:

- Ritzer, George. (2010). *Globalisation: A Basic Text*. Sussex: Wiley Blackwell
- Held, David & McGrew, Anthony. (2002). *The Global Transformations Reader An Introduction to the Globalization Debate (Second Edition)*. Polity Press.
- Newell, Peter. (2013). *Globalization and Environment: Capitalism Ecology and Power*. Polity Press.
- Lee, Kelly. (2003). *Globalization and Health: An Introduction*. Palgrave and Macmillan.
- Lingard, Bob. (2021). *Globalization and Education*. Routledge Publications.
- Beneria, Lourdes, Berik, Gunseli, & Floro, Maria. (2016). *Gender, development and Globalization: Economics as if all people mattered*. Routledge Publications.

#### Further readings:

- Sandbrook, R. (2000). Globalization and the Limits of Neoliberal Development Doctrine [Review of *Development as Freedom*, by A. Sen]. *Third World Quarterly*, 21(6), 1071-1080. <http://www.jstor.org/stable/3993558>
- Beck, Ulrich. (1992). *Risk Society: Towards a New Modernity*. London: Sage.
- Giddens, Anthony. (1999). *Runaway World: How Globalisation is Reshaping our Lives*. London: Profile Books Ltd.
- Stiglitz, Joseph (2007). *Making Globalization work*. W.W. Norton & Company
- Fernandez, John S. (1994). Globalization: Processes of Integration and Disintegration. *International Journal of Politics, Culture, and Society*, Vol. 8, No. 2, pp. 203-223 (21 pages)

- World Bank: World Development Indicators (WDI) and poverty data:  
<http://databank.worldbank.org/ddp/home.do?Step=12&id=4&CNO=2>  
<http://povertydata.worldbank.org/poverty/home>
- IMF data: <http://www.imf.org/external/data.htm>
- OECD statistics: <http://stats.oecd.org/>
- WTO trade and tariffs statistics:  
[http://www.wto.org/english/res\\_e/statist\\_e/statist\\_e.htm](http://www.wto.org/english/res_e/statist_e/statist_e.htm)
- Data on financial openness (Chinn & Ito Index)  
[http://web.pdx.edu/~ito/Chinn-Ito\\_website.htm](http://web.pdx.edu/~ito/Chinn-Ito_website.htm)  
[http://web.pdx.edu/~ito/trilemma\\_indexes.htm](http://web.pdx.edu/~ito/trilemma_indexes.htm)
- Economic sanctions episodes:  
<http://www.piiie.com/research/topics/sanctions/sanctions-timeline.cfm>
- Foreign aid statistics:  
 OECD:  
[http://www.oecd.org/document/49/0,3746,en\\_2649\\_34447\\_46582641\\_1\\_1\\_1\\_1,00.html](http://www.oecd.org/document/49/0,3746,en_2649_34447_46582641_1_1_1_1,00.html)
- World Bank's WDI:  
<http://databank.worldbank.org/ddp/home.do?Step=12&id=4&CNO=2>
- UN peace operations: <http://www.un.org/en/peacekeeping/>