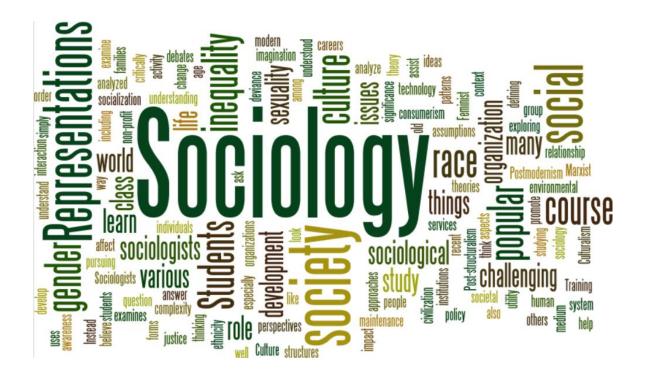
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1. About

The department of Sociology was established in the year 1960. The Sociology department is one of the most colorful feathers in our cap. The faculty members are heartily devoted to teaching, research and social work. One of our earlier faculty members, Dr. R.S. Ram had served as Registrar of various Universities of UP.



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III. Prof. S.N. Kapoor

IV. Dr. Lalta Prasad

V. Dr. R.K. Yadav

VI. Shri R.S. Shukla

VII. Dr. R.S. Ram

VIII. V.K. Vaidya

IX. Dr. Omkar Lal

X. Dr. S.K. Sinha

XI. Prof. R.P. Singh

XII. Shri C.M. Ojha

4. Student Profile:

Most of the students admitted here are from UP and Bihar. They come mostly from socially and economically backward/middle sectors of society. However, their performance is many a time outstanding.

5. Changes in Courses:

The syllabus at under-graduate level was last revised in 2004 following the recommendations of UGC. The Head of the Department, Dr VK Vaidya represented the Board of Studies that revised the syllabus.

6. Success rate and drop-out rate:

The department has maintained a good success rate of students. The success rate of UG and PG students is more than 90%. The drop-out rate is almost negligible.

7. Learning Resources of the department:

There is a Central library in the institution with a rich archive of books on different aspects of Sociology. However, the faculty members also have their own spectrum of books in the department. The department is further equipped with many volumes of old and current journals.

8. **Modern teaching methods:** Apart from classroom teaching, we promote learning by doing/experimenting in the society. We discuss social issues with students and also arrange guest lectures, seminars etc. to strengthen our teaching.

- **9.** Academic and personal Counseling: The staff members take keen interest in providing academic counseling to our students. Every teacher gives one day to interact with students in a week. We give counseling to our students according to their interests and inform them about their future avenues.
- 10. **Faculty development programmes:** Dr. Omkar Lal has done his Ph.D. under the FIP scheme of UGC. All the members have attended sufficient number of other programmes like Orientation and Refresher courses.

11. Participation in academic activities:

All the faculty members are regularly involved in teaching, consultancy and research, as is evinced by their profiles given above.

Other Academic Activities-

Our faculty members are routinely involved in other college activities, like proctorship, admission, examination, evaluation, etc. Dr Omkar lal is Convener of Board of Studies and RDC of Purvanchal University

- **12.** Collaboration with other departments and institutions: Dr Omkar lal has worked out two projects in Collaboration with University of Mauritius. Dr Vaidya is also working in collaboration with Sudishta Baba PG College
- 13. Priority Areas of Research and Publications of last two years- Priority areas of research are mentioned in the faculty profiles. Their recent publications are given below-

Dr VK Vaidya- Bal Shram, samasya aur samadhan. "Anivikshika" 2008

Dr SK Srivastava- Hindu Dharm me Mrityu ki Sankalpana

14. Placement record of Students- We have a good placement record of students in different fields. Many of the alumni of this department are holding key positions in different arenas of country including politics. Many of them are sitting and ex cabinet ministers legislatures.

15. Plan of action of the department for the next five years:

The future plan of action of the department is to establish a departmental library and ICT facilities in the department.