

M A in Migration and Diaspora (MAMIDI)

Assignments (ASSIGNMENTNO.:MAMIDI/January 2023)

(January 2023)



School of Interdisciplinary and Trans-disciplinary Studies

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Dear Learner,

You will have to do one assignment for each course. Each assignment carries 100 marks. **Irrespective of the year of registration you need to submit the latest assignments uploaded on the website.**

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Read the detailed instructions about assignments given in the [Programme Guide](#).
2. The front page of your Assignment sheet should follow the format given below:

Programme code: MAMIDI
ASSIGNMENT NO.: MAMIDI/2023
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Name & Address (with e-mail and mobile number).....
Course Code and Title.....

3. Use A-4 size papers for responses, write on both sides with margin, and secure all the pages carefully.
4. Write the question with each answer. **Each question to be answered in around 500-700 words in your own handwriting.**
5. **Assignment Submission Deadline:**

July Session	30th March
January Session	30 th September

6. Submit the Assignment responses to:

**The Programme Coordinator,
M A in Migration and Diaspora (MAMIDI),
Block 15, Ground Floor, New Academic Block, Indira Gandhi National Open University
Maidan Garhi, New Delhi-110068**

GUIDELINES

After preparing the front page, you can prepare your assignment based on the topic given to you. Here are some essential points to keep in mind before preparing your assignment -

Assignments should always be hand-written and not printed.

1. IGNOU assignment should be written on an A4 size sheet or a foolscap size blank paper. Ruled sheets of the A4 sizes are also permitted.
2. Students cannot copy their assignments from other students, from any reference books, units or blocks.
3. Write the correct question number and the answer.
4. Assignments for each course must be presented separately and not in one set.
5. The documents should be arranged properly.
6. Candidates must submit their IGNOU assignment to the coordinator of the allotted study centre.
7. If you have applied for a change in study centre and you haven't received a confirmation yet, submit your IGNOU assignment to the original study centre to which you were allotted. Otherwise, you can submit it to your new study centre.
8. While submitting your assignment, ensure to collect the receipt.
9. When the coordinator receives your assignment, an acknowledgement of receipt will be sent to your respective study centre.

Please contact the Programme coordinator for any academic help/clarification

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**M A in Migration and Diaspora
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MDI 001:Migration and Diaspora: Theory and Methodology
Full Marks: 100.

Answer any Five Questions. Each question carries 20 Marks

Long Type Questions: Approximate word limit of 800-1000

Short Type Questions: Approximate word limit of 200-250

1. What are the factors that influence the decision to migrate?
 2. How does social media impact long distance relations? Explain with examples.
 3. In what ways migration drive the economic growth of countries?
 4. What are the social cost and benefit of international migration?
 5. Write a note on how labour market policies affect international migration
 6. Answer Any Four Questions Each carries 5 marks(4x5=20Marks)
 - a) Nationalist Approach to Diaspora
 - b) What is idealistic notion of Diaspora
 - c) What is Tölölyan definition of diaspora?
 - d) What is Global South? How does it impact migration?
 - e) How does Aging population impact migration?
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MDI 002: Transnationalism, Diaspora and Citizenship

Full Marks: 100

Answer any Five Questions. Each question carries 20 Marks

Long Type Questions: Approximate word limit of 800-1000

Short Type Questions: Approximate word limit of 200-250

1. Explain Neoclassical Theory of Migration
 2. Does the transnationalism affect citizenship? Explain.
 3. Define the concept of Diaspora Networks
 4. How many types of diaspora engagement take place as identified by the Diaspora Network Alliance (DNA)
 5. Discuss the demographic spread of Indian diaspora across the world
 6. Answer Any Four Questions Each carries 5 marks. (4x5=20 Marks)
 - a) What is Global South? How does it impact migration?
 - b) Pravasi Bharatiya Bima Yojana (PBBY)
 - c) 4 Modes of GATS
 - d) What are Minimum Referral Wages?
 - e) Discuss the main features of South Asian labour migration
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MDI 003: Global Diasporas: Case Studies

Full Marks:100

Answer any Five Questions. Each question carries 20 Marks

Long Type Questions: Approximate word limit of 800-1000

Short Type Questions: Approximate word limit of 200-250

1. What is the turning point in Vietnamese immigration?
 2. What is the effect of Globalization on the intensity of nationalism?
 3. Explain the European influence over North Africa?
 4. Why Migration governance in north Africa did get much attention?
 5. What are the four prominent ways in which the UK government engages its diaspora?
 6. Answer Any Four Questions. Each carry 5marks. (4x5=20Marks)
 - a) Diaspora Direct Investment (DDI)?
 - b) What is the Gentlemen's Agreement of 1907?
 - c) What is the turning point in Vietnamese immigration?
 - d) What is the effect of Globalization on the intensity of nationalism?
 - e) What are the phases of Maghreb emigration?
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MDI 004: Indian Diaspora: An Overview

Full Marks: 100

Answer any Five Questions. Each question carries 20 Marks

Long Type Questions: Approximate word limit of 800-1000

Short Type Questions: Approximate word limit of 200-250

1. Discuss about the historical linkages between India and South East Asia.
 2. What is Indentured Labour Migration? How does it operate?
 3. What is “Brain Drain” Type migration? What is its negative impact on home country?
 4. What is the impact of West Asia migration on India?
 5. What were the reasons for return migration? What is the impact of return migration on countries of origin?
 6. Answer Any Four Questions. Each carry 5 marks(4x5=20Marks)
 - a) What were the reasons for the abolition of indentureship?
 - b) What is the meaning of the term of ‘kangany’?
 - c) How many types of kanganies were in Ceylon?
 - d) Write a brief note on the kangany system in Malaya?
 - e) What are the types of maistries?
 - f) What reasons determine the dominance of the Indian diaspora in moneylending trade in Central Asia?
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MDI 005: Indian Diaspora: Politico-Economic and Policy Aspects

Full Marks: 100

Answer any Five Questions. Each question carries 20 Marks

Long Type Questions: Approximate word limit of 800-1000

Short Type Questions: Approximate word limit of 200-250

- 1) Name different programmes and schemes initiated by the government of India for its diaspora?
 - 2) How does diaspora play an important role in diplomacy?
 - 3) Do you agree that Diaspora play an important role in the economic development of home country? Explain with examples
 - 4) How do diaspora entrepreneurs differentiate themselves from native entrepreneurs? Which are the three types of Diasporas who are participating in entrepreneurial activities in the context of Indian diaspora?
 - 5) Do you agree diaspora promote technology transfer? Explain with examples
 - 6) Answer Any Four Questions Each carries 5 marks (4x5=20Marks)
 - a) Define the concept of human trafficking?
 - b) What are the other forms of human trafficking?
 - c) Describe the human trafficking situation in India?
 - d) Explain various intermediaries engaged in diaspora philanthropy
 - e) What is TOKTEN Programme?
 - f) Bumiputra Policy in Malaysia
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MDI 006: Indian Diaspora: Socio-Cultural Facets

Full Marks: 100

Answer any Five Questions. Each question carries 20 Marks

Long Type Questions: Approximate word limit of 800-1000

Short Type Questions: Approximate word limit of 200-250

- 1) What are the major approaches to understand ethnicity? How do you link ethnicity with Diaspora?
 - 2) What are the causes of human trafficking? Describe the human trafficking situation in India?
 - 3) What is social stratification? Explain it in the context of Indian diaspora
 - 4) Performing Arts and Cultural performances promote important diaspora identity, explain.
 - 5) What are the main themes of postcolonial literature? Explain post-colonial diaspora writing with example of one author and his/her work
 - 6) Answer Any Four Questions Each carries 5 marks (4x5=20Marks)
 - a) Write a note on Ghadar Movement.
 - b) Write a note on Mahatma Gandhi's role in diaspora to fight against British rule.
 - c) Write note on the economic mobility of the Indian community in Fiji
 - d) Indians in Silicon Valley
 - e) Role of diaspora cultural organizations in promoting performing arts.
 - f) Write a note on Fusion music and the contribution of diasporas in host country in this form of music.
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MDIE 001: Gender and Diaspora

Full Marks: 100

Answer any Five Questions. Each question carries 20 Marks

Long Type Questions: Approximate word limit of 800-1000

Short Type Questions: Approximate word limit of 200-250

1. Write a note on feminization of Migration? What are some of the gendered causes and impacts of migration?
 2. Female as culture bearer in the diaspora, explain in the context of Indian diaspora.
 3. Do you think women are marginalized in the diaspora as compared to their male counterparts? Explain with examples
 4. Write a note on the female migration from Philippines.
 5. How do different migration policies impact the women migrants? Explain with examples
 6. Answer Any Four Questions Each carries 5 marks (4x5=20Marks)
 - a) Human rights violation and female migration
 - b) What is H1B Visa?
 - c) Which workers fall in the category of ECR?
 - d) ILO Convention No. 97 and 143 stands for?
 - e) Write a short note on disposable domestics.
 - f) What do you understand by global care chain?
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MDIE 002: Diasporas in India

Full Marks: 100

Answer any Five Questions. Each question carries 20 Marks

Long Type Questions: Approximate word limit of 800-1000

Short Type Questions: Approximate word limit of 200-250

1. What are the generational changes in the diaspora with regards to their culture?
2. Discuss on Armenian trade diaspora in India and describe its main features and current state.
3. Mention the reason for Tibetan exile in India. Explain their current state of engagement.
4. What are the major challenges of refugee communities in India? Explain with examples.
5. How do different diasporas within India struggle with their citizenship?

6. Answer Any Four Questions Each carries 5 marks (4x5=20Marks)
 - a) Parsi diaspora in India
 - b) What do you mean by plural society?
 - c) Citizenship
 - d) Chinese Diaspora in India
 - e) Afghan diaspora in India
 - f) How does the Salad Bowl model differ from the Melting Pot model?

Adopted Courses
M.A. II Year (POLITICAL SCIENCE)

Dear Student,

As mentioned in the Programme Guide, you will have to do one Tutor Marked Assignment for each of the courses in the Master's Degree Programme in Political Science. Each assignment has descriptive and short category questions. Descriptive Category Questions (DCQs) are meant for writing essay type answers, with an introduction and a conclusion. These are intended to test your ability to describe your understanding/knowledge about the topic in a systematic, to-the-point and coherent manner. Short Category Questions (SCQs) require you to first analyse the topic in terms of arguments and explanations and then write the answers in a concise manner. They are meant to test your understanding of the concepts and processes, and your capacity to critically analyse them.

Before you attempt the assignments, please read the instructions carefully. It is important that you write the answers to all the TMA questions in your own words. Your answers should be within the approximate range of the word-limit set for a particular section. Remember, writing answers to assignment questions will improve your writing skills and prepare you for the term-end examination.

This booklet has assignments of all II year courses of Master's in Political Science. Do the assignments of only those courses for which you are enrolled and leave the rest.

You need to submit all the assignments within the stipulated time for being eligible to appear in the term-end examination. The completed assignments should be submitted as per the following schedule.

Last date of Submission	Whom to submit
March 31, 2023 for July 2022 Session	The Coordinator of the Study Centre allotted to you
September 30, 2023 for January 2023 Session	

Please obtain a receipt from the Study Centre for the assignments submitted and retain it. If possible, keep a Xerox copy of the assignments with you.

The Study Centre will return the assignments to you after they are evaluated. Please insist on this. The Study Centre has to send the marks to the Student Evaluation Division (SED) at IGNOU, New Delhi.

INDIA AND THE WORLD (MPSE-001)
Tutor Marked Assignment

Assignment Code: ASST/MPSE-001/2022-23

Marks: 100

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[CRC Final MPS IInd year 2022-23.pdf](#)

**Answer five questions in all, selecting at least two questions from each section.
Answer each question in about 500 words. Each question carries 20 marks.**

SECTION –I

1. Explain historical linkages, economic and security cooperation between India and Central Asia.
2. Trace the evolution of India's relations with South-east Asia bringing out the main features of the relationship.
3. Briefly describe international humanitarian laws and UN concerns for promotion and protection of human rights in India.
4. Describe the trends and patterns of Sino-Indian relations.
5. Critically examine the challenges of India's disarmament policy and its impact on national security.

SECTION –II

Write a short note on each part in about 250 words.

1.
 - a) Challenges of Nehruvian model of foreign policy
 - b) Role of interest groups in India's foreign policy process
2.
 - a) Global implications of India and Pakistan nuclear tests 1998
 - b) Role of the Ministry of External Affairs in Indian foreign policy making.
3.
 - a) Religion in post-communist societies
 - b) India's West Asia policy
4.
 - a) Regional Cooperation in South Asia
 - b) India and Indian Ocean RIM Association of Regional Cooperation
5.
 - a) ASEAN: Composition and Functions
 - b) Economic and strategic cooperation between India and USA

MPSE-005: STATE AND SOCIETY IN AFRICA
Tutor Marked Assignment

Assignment Code: ASST/MPSE-005/2022-23
Marks: 100

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Answer any five questions in about 500 words each. Attempt at least two questions from each section. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION –I

1. In what ways did colonial rule alter the domestic and international economic relations of the African continent?
2. Analyze the role of African Union in World Politics.
3. Define the challenges of development in African countries.
4. Critically examine the forms and causes of violence in Africa.
5. Describe the British and French pattern of colonialism in Africa.

SECTION –II

Write a short note on each part of the question in about 250 words.

6.
 - a) Post-Cold War peace-keeping in Africa
 - b) The end of Slave trade
7.
 - a) Nature of anti-colonial movements in Africa
 - b) Rise of multi-party regimes of Africa
8.
 - a) Challenges of development process in African countries
 - b) Ethnic conflict in Burundi and Rwanda
9.
 - a) India policy towards Africa
 - b) Indian FDI in Africa
10.
 - a) Africa's debt crisis
 - b) African experiences of globalization