



**MANGALORE UNIVERSITY**  
**Department of Sociology**

**MA Sociology**

**SYS 554 Sociology of Development**

**Course Outcome:**

- CO1. Understand social change and development
- CO2. Indian experience of social change and development
- CO3. Professional careers in development planning.
- CO4. Theoretical understanding of social change and development
- CO5. Social structure and development relationship
- CO6. Alternative trends and paths of development
- CO7. Contemporary socio-economic framework of development in India

**Objectives:**

The course is designed to achieve the following objectives:

- 1. To provide conceptual and theoretical understanding of social change and development
- 2. To offer an insight into the ways in which social structure imposes on development and development on social structure
- 3. To address the Indian experience of social change and development
- 4. To prepare the students for professional careers in the field of development planning.
- 5. To provide an understanding of the alternate trends and paths of development
- 6. To understand the contemporary socio-economic framework of development in India

**UNIT – I : Introduction:**

**Hrs - 12**

- a. Scope and Importance of Sociology of Development
- b. Development of Economic Sociology
- c. Sociological Dimensions of Development

**UNIT – II : Changing concepts on Development:**

**Hrs - 12**

- a. Human Development
- b. Social Development
- c. Sustainable Development

**UNIT - III : Theories of Development:**

**Hrs - 12**

- a. Modernisation Theory
- b. Socio-Psychological Theory (D.Macllelland)
- c. Vicious Circle Model

**UNIT – IV : Theories of Under Development and Dependency Theory: Hrs - 14**

- a. Unequal Development (Samir Amin)
- b. The World System and Multinational Corporations (Wallerstein)
- c. Development of Under Development (A.G. Frank)

**UNIT – V :Social Structure and Development (special reference to India):Hrs - 14**

- a. Culture and Development
- b. Gender and Development
- c. **Development Disparities in India**

**Reference Books:**

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