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**Jindal School of Government
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India's First Public Policy School



B.A. (HONS)
**SOCIAL SCIENCES
& POLICY**

JGU | O.P. JINDAL GLOBAL UNIVERSITY

O.P.Jindal Global University (JGU) is a non-profit global university established by the Government of Haryana and recognised by the University Grants Commission (UGC). JGU was established as a philanthropic initiative of its Founding Chancellor, Mr. Naveen Jindal in memory of his father, Mr. O.P. Jindal. JGU is one of the few universities in Asia that maintains a 1:10 faculty-student ratio and appoints faculty members from India and different parts of the world with outstanding academic qualifications and experience. JGU is a research intensive university, which is deeply committed to its core institutional values of interdisciplinary and innovative pedagogy; pluralism and rigorous scholarship; and globalism and international engagement.

JGU has established eight schools: Jindal Global Law School (JGLS), Jindal Global Business School (JGBS); Jindal School of International Affairs (JSIA); Jindal School of Government and Public Policy (JSGP); Jindal School of Liberal Arts & Humanities (JSLH); Jindal School of Journalism & Communication (JSJC); Jindal School of Art & Architecture (JSAA) and Jindal School of Banking & Finance (JSBF). JGU has been granted with "Autonomy" by the University Grants Commission and the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, for receiving the "A" Grade from the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC). This makes JGU the only private university in the state of Haryana and one of the only two private universities in India to be given the status of autonomy.

JGU has made history by breaking into the QS World University Rankings 2020. We are also the only Indian private university in the top 150 'young' universities in the world (under 50 years of age) in the QS Young University Rankings 2020. JGU is the youngest University in the world to feature in both these rankings. In September 2019, JGU was selected as an 'Institution of Eminence' (IOE) by the Government of India, making JGU one of only eight private universities in India to be awarded this status.

JINDAL SCHOOL OF GOVERNMENT & PUBLIC POLICY | JSGP

Jindal School of Government and Public Policy (JSGP) is engaging with the contemporary policy environment, which demands new imaginations, new methodologies and even revitalised ethics. Through national and international collaborations, JSGP promotes interdisciplinary studies, joint teaching and research programmes, and strives to develop a comparative perspective on global policy issues.

The B.A. (Honours) Social Sciences & Policy programme, offered by Jindal School of Government and Public Policy under the auspices of O.P. Jindal Global University (Delhi NCR) gives our students a unique perspective. Our multi-disciplinary faculty is actively involved in research and can expose our students to current debates, and help them in understanding how theories can be applied in the real world.





MESSAGE from the Dean

R. SUDARSHAN

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DEAN & PROFESSOR,
Jindal School of Government & Public Policy (JSGP)

The Jindal School of Government and Public Policy decided to introduce a broad-based undergraduate programme in Social Science and Policy primarily because of the commitment of our university to promote public service.

The Greek poet Archilochus wrote, "the fox knows many things, but the hedgehog knows one big thing." JSGP offers two undergraduate programmes adapted to two types of students. Those who wish to specialise in one discipline and go out into the world with one organising principle can opt for B.A. (Hons) Economics. But those who are comfortable with different strategies for different problems and can live with contradictions, should sign up to study B.A. (Hons) Social Science and Policy.

There will always be some students who wish to specialise in one or the other of the social sciences such as economics, political science, sociology, cultural anthropology, or social psychology. But there are also students who seek broad-based access to insights from multiple disciplines because they wish to understand the manner in which people behave and influence the world around us. These students aspire to study social science as a holistic discipline which has practical relevance in understanding and tackling real problems in society.

All students who wish to make the world a better place through proper use of knowledge and skills will find our Social Science and Policy programme perfectly suited to that noble aim.

The Social Science and Policy undergraduate

programme has a strong emphasis on quantitative and qualitative research methods. Quantitative methods can provide vital information about a society or community, through surveys, examination or records or censuses that no individual could obtain by observation. Qualitative methods are needed to understand how individuals think, feel or behave in particular situations, or in relations with others that develop over time. These methods are just as scientific as quantitative methods although they focus more on the meaning of different aspects of peoples' lives, and on their accounts of how they understand their own and others' behaviour and beliefs.

Social Science and Policy is particularly suited to students who wish to play a meaningful role in public life, having equipped themselves with a broad-based education suited to many multiple careers and meaningful lives, be it in politics, civil service, civil society organisations, businesses with commitment to social service, and new vocations that are in the making. Gone are the days when one discipline alone could solve a problem, or when people held the same job for a lifetime.

Ultimately, what JSGP provides is an education that endeavours to make its students better human beings, cultivating in them empathy and understanding towards others, critical thinking, good communication skills, and a broad understanding of how societies have changed over time and can change for the better in the future.

WHY STUDY

B.A. (HONS.) SOCIAL SCIENCES & POLICY @ JSGP

B.A. (Hons.) in Social Science and Policy [B.A. (Hons.) SSP] is a unique and first of its kind interdisciplinary programme in India, which provides the students with a solid grounding in social science theories and their applications.

- 01** Students will learn how to use social sciences to solve the problems of the society and the economy.
- 02** They will acquire skills to develop models and tools, and apply those in the field of public policy, development interventions, social service, journalism, advocacy, research, communications, branding and marketing research.
- 03** The broad structure of this programme will impart knowledge required to succeed in the civil service examinations.
- 04** The core courses will help the students to gain conceptual clarity and an array of electives will allow them to deepen learning on policy issues and themes they choose to specialise in.
- 05** The programme will offer exposure to the real world through internships, research and capstone projects.
- 06** All students will be extensively mentored by the faculty members and industry specialists.

Faculty trained at the best universities of the world.

Original, innovative and dynamic curriculum allows the students to gain cutting-edge knowledge.

A large selection of core and elective courses allow students to pursue their own interests.

DISTINCTIVE FEATURES

Strong emphasis on the development of quantitative & qualitative research, writing & communication skills.

Real-world exposure and scope to interact with the experts in the field and industry.

International collaborations offer opportunities for student exchange and attending summer schools at renowned foreign universities.



ACADEMIC COURSE STRUCTURE

The BA (Hons.) SSP programme provides for core courses in sociology, political science and economics along with skills courses. In line with the University's emphasis on interdisciplinarity, it opens up opportunities for students to take elective courses outside, including foreign language courses and courses offered from other schools within the University. Students will be provided adequate guidance and mentoring to ensure that the courses they choose are in line with their career plans.

The core courses ensure a strong disciplinary training, while skills courses prepare them for work or further education. Electives allow students to deepen their education on thematic issues they are interested in. Instructors adopt unique tailor made pedagogies that reflect global standards of education they have been exposed to, to ensure that students receive a holistic education, that is not restricted to the classroom, but extends to student initiatives such as academic writing, participation in conferences, film clubs, management of events, etc.



1st YEAR

SEMESTER I

- Sociological Thought
- Political Thinkers
- Principles of Economics
- Public Policy
- Academic Writing - I
- Foreign Language (Optional)

SEMESTER II

- Sociological Concepts
- Political Concepts
- Micro Economics
- Policy Process
- Qualitative Research
- Foreign Language (Optional)

2nd YEAR

SEMESTER III

- Indian Sociology
- Constitution & Democracy
- Macro Economics
- Ethics
- Statistics - I
- Open Elective (From any school of JGU)

SEMESTER IV

- Gender & Society
- Indian Politics
- Development & Inequality
- Welfare Policy
- Statistics - II
- Open Elective (From any school of JGU)

3rd YEAR

SEMESTER V

- Consumer Culture & Markets
- Governance & Institutions
- Survey Design
- Politics of Public Policy
- Research Software - I
- Open Elective (From any school of JGU)

SEMESTER VI

- Media & Society
- Urban & Spatial Politics
- Indian Economy
- Critical Policy Issues
- Research Software - II
- Open Elective (From any school of JGU)

CAREER OPTIONS

FOR B.A. (HONS.) SOCIAL SCIENCES & POLICY STUDENTS

Civil services and government



United Nations and intergovernmental development organizations

Development and policy consulting firms



Research and policy think tanks

Corporate social responsibility initiatives



Non-Governmental organizations

Advocacy and rights based initiatives



Print and television media institutions

Branding and marketing research



Higher studies and academic research





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AMENITIES & FACILITIES

AVAILABLE ON CAMPUS

- University halls of residence for students consists of several blocks of buildings designed by a French architect.
- The university has 24-hour health centre. A full time medical residential medical officer and nurses are on duty 24x7 on campus. Medicines are provided as per doctor's prescriptions. In addition, an Ambulance facility and on campus pharmacy is also available on a 24x7 basis.
- JGU has employed Washex hospitality solutions as the sole and integrated laundry service provider on the campus.
- The campus has 155 well trained male and female security guards +night patrolling by armed guards + a strong perimeter wall with security lights + over 776 CCTV camera at strategic points round-the-clock.
- Sports and fitness activities are an integral component of the university with badminton court, table tennis, basketball courts, cricket ground and practice pitches, tennis court, football, volley ball court, swimming pool, gymnasium, yoga and aerobics
- Fully wireless campus with high-tech classrooms and modern halls of residence.
- Food services are available in the dining hall of the university on self-service basis. World class food court with wide range of vegetarian and non-vegetarian.
- An ICICI Bank branch is available on campus. There are HDFC, ICICI and YesBank ATMs too.
- The post office extension counter and courier office are located on the ground floor near the main reception area.
- Centre for Wellness and Counselling Services is available for well-being of students.



FOOD COURT

A world class food court - Biswamil Bistro reflects the global aspirations and local traditions of JGU. Outlets at this food court are providing multi-cuisine options through brands such as Dominos, Subway, Keventers, Punjab Grill, Bercos, 34 Chowreengee Lane, Breakfast Round the Clock, Moti Mahal, etc. A wide range of vegetarian and non-vegetarian food options are thus available for the benefit of the students, faculty, staff and guests of JGU.

CAFÉ COFFEE DAY TUCK SHOP

Café Coffee Day Express Tuck Shop at the Ground Floor in Tower One (T-1) of the Academic Building. It serves Tea/Coffee and light snacks. Coffee Day tuck shop operates from 9:30am to 10:00pm.

JUICE & MORE TUCK SHOP

Juice & More is a juice Tuck Shop operating at the Ground Floor in Tower Three (T-3) of the Academic Building. It serves fresh juices, shakes and some light snacks. Tuck shop operates from 11:00 am to 10:00 pm.

NESTLE TUCK SHOP

A Tuck Shop run by Nestle at the Ground Floor (T-3) of the Academic Building operates for students during the lecture breaks and is convenient for a quick grab of coffee. The café operates from 10:00 am to 6:00 pm.

CONVENIENCE STORE

A convenience store is also available in University premise which works between 11:00 am to 11:00 pm where you can buy daily need items.

AMUL ICE CREAM PARLOR

Amul Ice Cream Parlor offers Amul ice cream and dairy products, Tea/coffee, milkshakes, light snacks are also available at the Amul shop. Amul ice cream parlor operates from 11:00 am to 12:30 in the midnight.

LOOKS TAILORING HOUSE

A tailor shop offering a range of swimming costumes, sportswear, undergarments with facility of clothes alterations/stitching. The timings are from 11 am to 11 pm.

WELLNESS PHARMACY

A 24/7 pharmacy operates opposite to Health Centre.

EVER FRESH JUICE SHOP

Fresh fruit and juice shop offers variety of fresh fruits and fresh juices, Tea/coffee, Milkshakes, light snacks are also available at the juice shop. Fresh fruit and Juice shop operates from 10:00 am to 12:30 in the midnight.

NATIO BEAUTY PARLOUR

A women's beauty parlour operates from the SH-3 Girls Student Hostel Block. The timings are from 11 am to 8 pm with Tuesday's being weekly off's.

JUST LOOK MEN'S SALON

A Men's Saloon operates from SH-1 Boys Student Hostel Block. The timings are from 10 am to 9 pm with Tuesday's being weekly off's.

CHAI TAPRI

Chai Tapri situated near the Gym offers tea/coffee, light snacks, mocktails. Chai Tapri operates from 02:00pm to 02:30 am in the night.





O.P. Jindal Outstanding Merit Scholarships

The highest overall scorer who enroll in the B.A. (Hons.) SSP programme will be awarded the O.P. Jindal Outstanding Merit Scholarship of variable amount.

Shallu Jindal Outstanding Women Scholarships

The aim of the scholarship, which is of variable amount, is to nurture, encourage and support outstanding women to enter the field of international studies.

Savitri Jindal Merit-cum-Means Fellowships

This fellowship is for outstanding students who may not otherwise be able to afford the full fees of the B.A. (Hons.) SSP

Naveen Jindal Young Global Scholarships

The aim of the scholarship, which is of variable amount, is to nurture, encourage and support young global leaders. It will be awarded on the basis of an independent selection process, which includes an assessment of the candidates grades in his/her 10+2 level of schooling or its equivalent, extracurricular achievements etc.

Students from SC/ST/OBC categories as well as differently abled students are especially encouraged to apply for admissions and scholarships at JGU.

ADMISSION PROCEDURE

Applicants to the B.A. (Hons.) SSP at JSGP must have successfully passed the 10+2 examination or equivalent with a minimum of 60% marks* (CBSE, ISC, State Boards, IB, Cambridge, and other Government Recognized Boards). This course is open to students from any stream including Arts, Commerce, Science etc.

Applicants can apply direct through our online admission form available at our website. Kindly scan QR code / follow URL to visit our admission page.

Scan the QR codes



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<https://admissions.jgu.edu.in>



PROGRAMME SPECIFICATIONS

Programme	B.A. (Hons.) Social Science & Policy	
Course Duration	3 Years	
Admission Criteria	Applicants are selected through a holistic admissions process based on: » <i>Personal statement</i> » <i>X and XII Grade Marks</i> » <i>Scores in standardized exams</i> » <i>Faculty Interview</i> » <i>Information in supplementary application</i>	
Accepted Standardized Tests	JSAT / SAT / ACT	
Minimum Eligibility for Application	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 60% marks in the school leaving exam of CBSE, ISC, State Boards, IB, Cambridge or any other Government Recognized Board. ▪ 55% in JSAT, SAT or ACT scores are also accepted. 	
Typical Admitted Student	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Average score of above 85% in the School leaving exam. ▪ Well-rounded personality that fits in with the objectives of the program (assessed in faculty interviews and using the personal statement) 	
Last Date of Admissions	22 July 2020	
Application Fee	₹ 3,000/-	
Programme Fee	₹ 2,50,000/- per annum*	Residential Fee ₹ 2,40,000/- per annum*
Refundable Security Deposit	₹ 50,000/-**	

*The programme fee and residential fee are subject to an annual increase of upto 10%.

**Fully refundable Security deposit of Rs. 50,000 shall be collected at the time of admission as per university rules.

EDUCATION LOANS

JGU has established tie-ups with AVANSE (ICICI), Dena Bank and Credila (HDFC) to facilitate educational loans for students who are admitted to the B.A. (Hons.) SSP programme.





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