

**BACHELOR OF ARTS  
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION (5<sup>th</sup> SEMESTER)  
DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE (DSE)**

**PA520D1: PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION: COMPARATIVE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION**

**Theory (4 CREDITS: 60 MARKS)  
Minimum Marks: 24**

**Unit I**

- 1.0 Comparative Public Administration: Nature and Scope
- 1.1 Fred Riggs: Ecological Approach
- 1.2 Max Weber: Bureaucratic Approach

**Unit II**

- 2.1 Comparative Study of Administrative Systems in US and UK
- 2.2 Legislative and Judicial Control over administration in US and UK

**Unit III**

- 3.1 Governance Models in India and United States: Comparative Analysis
- 3.2 Citizen Grievance Redressal Mechanism in US, UK and India

**Unit IV**

- 4.1 Governance Issues of Developing Countries: (a) Corruption (b) Red Tapism
- 4.2 Interaction of Administration with Civil Society, and Media: Comparative Analysis in US and India

**Tutorials (2-Credits: 30 Hrs.)**

**[Assignments, Presentations, Viva-voce]  
Maximum Marks: 30  
Minimum Marks: 12**

**Unit-I: Debate-1**

- 1.1 Discussion on "Administrative Ethics"
- 1.2 Discussion on "Fused, Prismatic and Differentiated Structures"

**Unit-II: Debate-II**

- 2.1 Discussion on "Why there is more conversion in India than in the United Kingdom and Sweden?"
- 2.2 Discussion on
  - a) Transparency International
  - b) Agraria-Transitia – Indian System

**SUGGESTED READINGS:-**

Arora, Ramesh, Comparative Public Administration, Associated Publishing, New Delhi.  
Rapheal, Nimrod, Readings in Comparative Public Administration, Allyn and Bacoli, Boston.  
Riggs, Fred, Administration in developing Countries, Houghton, Mifflin, Boston  
Battacharya Mohit, 1987, Public Administration: Structure, Process and Behaviour. The World Press Pvt. Ltd., Calcutta.  
Verman and Sharman, Comparative .Public Administration, IIPA New Delhi.