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This is to bring to your notice that the following courses are being offered by the Dr. K. R. Narayanan Centre for Dalit and Minorities Studies for the current semester (2019-20) at the postgraduate level:

Semester	Name of the Paper	Name of the Faculty
I	Idea of Caste in India	Padmanabh Samarendra
I	Prejudice, Discrimination and Marginality: Critical Issues	Prashant Negi

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Thanking you.

Your sincerely,

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## Name of the Paper: Idea of Caste

Code of the Paper: CDMS CB I

Paper Instructor: Padmanabh Samarendra

## **Unit I: Relevant Terms & Contemporary Debates**

Sanskritic Social Order and Beyond: Varna, Jati, Mlechchha

Society in Modern Terms: Caste, Untouchables, Dalit, Other Backward Classes

Social Anthropology and Caste – M. N. Srinivas and Caste in Modern India

Homo Hierarchicus and Louis Dumont's Structural Explanation of Caste

Caste in McKim Mariott's Ethnosociology

Caste and Class – Gerald Berreman's Materialist Views

Later Contributors - Dipankar Gupta, Declan Quigley, Nicholas Dirks

## **Unit II: Caste in Colonial Times**

Caste in the Early 19<sup>th</sup> Century – the Orientalist Interpretation, the Missionary and the Utilitarian Challenge

The Empirical Caste – the Decennial Census and Ethnographic Surveys in the Second Half of the 19<sup>th</sup> Century

Caste and Religion – Notions of Hindu Caste and Depressed Classes

## **Unit III: Cast of Politics and the Politics of Caste**

Community in Liberal Language – Caste in Indian Constitution

Community in Liberal Politics – Caste in Indian Democracy

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Paper Name: Prejudice, Discrimination and Marginality: Critical Issues

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