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**D.B Bhandodkar Chair in Political Economy**

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Course on

## **POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY OF MODERN INDIA**

Course Code: POL1001  
Credit: 01 Credit (15 Contact Hours – 25 Marks)

Course Duration: 23rd March to 31st March 2026  
Session Timing: 3:00 PM – 5:00 PM



Visiting Research Professor  
**PROF. ANAND KUMAR**  
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**Prof. Anand Kumar** is a distinguished political sociologist and scholar of social movements and democracy in India. He served as Professor at Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU), New Delhi, and has taught at leading universities in India and abroad. His research focuses on political sociology, globalization, media, and democratic transformations in modern India.

**Participants:** Open to students, research scholars, faculty members, and the general public.

**Free entry – Registration compulsory**



Last Date for Registration:  
**20th March 2026**



Certificate:  
**Participation Certificate will be issued with minimum 75% attendance.**



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