

School of Social Sciences

Postgraduate Taught Courses – Suggested Reading for 2018/19

Discipline Area	Course	Suggested Reading
Economics	MSc Economics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Geoffrey A. Jehle and Philip J. Reny, 2011. Advanced Microeconomic Theory, 3rd Edition, Prentice Hall. Blanchard, O.J. & S. Fischer, 1989. Lectures on Macroeconomics, MIT Press. William H. Greene, 2011. Econometric Analysis, 7th Edition, Pearson Higher Education Publishing Company.
	Environmental Economics Pathway	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Geoffrey A. Jehle and Philip J. Reny, 2011. Advanced Microeconomic Theory, 3rd Edition, Prentice Hall. William H. Greene, 2011. Econometric Analysis, 7th Edition, Pearson Higher Education Publishing Company. Perman, Ma, Common, Maddison, Mcgilvray. Natural Resource and Environmental Economics (4th or any edition)
	Economics of Health Pathway	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Morris, S, Devlin, N, Parkin, D, and Spencer, A., 2012. Economic Analysis in Healthcare, Wiley. Varian, H., 1999. Intermediate Microeconomics, Norton (5th Ed.). Wooldridge, J. M., 2013. Introductory Econometrics, South-Western Cengage Learning, Fifth International Edition (chapters 2, 3, 6-8, 13-17).
	Econometrics Pathway	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> William H. Greene, 2011. Econometric Analysis, 7th Edition, Pearson Higher Education Publishing Company. Enders, Walter, 2004. Applied Econometric Time Series, 2nd ed., Wiley. Herman J. Bierens, 2004. Introduction to the Mathematical and Statistical Foundations of Econometrics, Cambridge University Press.
	MSc Financial Economics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I. Evstigneev, T. Hens and K.R. Schenk-Hoppé, 2015. Mathematical Financial Economics, Springer.
	MA Economics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Geoffrey A. Jehle and Philip J. Reny, 2011. Advanced Microeconomic Theory, 3rd Edition, Prentice Hall. Romer, D., 1996. Advanced Macroeconomics, McGraw-Hill. K. Sydsæter, P. Hammond, A. Seierstad, A. Strøm, 2008. Further Mathematics for Economic Analysis, Prentice Hall. Wooldridge, J. M., 2013. Introductory Econometrics, South-Western Cengage Learning, Fifth International Edition.

Politics	MA Politics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hay, C. (2007) <i>Why We Hate Politics</i>. Cambridge: Polity. • Marsh, D. and G. Stoker (2010) <i>Theory and Methods in Political Science</i>, any edition. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. • Fligstein, N. (2008) <i>Euroclash: The EU, European Identity, and the Future of Europe</i>. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
	MA Political Economy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Caporaso, J.A. and D.P. Levine (1992) <i>Theories of Political Economy</i>. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. • Milonakis, D. and B. Fine (2008) <i>From Political Economy to Economics: Method, the social and the historical in the evolution of economic theory</i>. London: Routledge. • O'Neill, J. (1998) <i>The Market: Ethics, Knowledge and Politics</i>. London: Routledge.
	MA International Relations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Edkins, J. and M. Zehfuss (eds) (2014) <i>Global Politics: A New Introduction</i>. Routledge: London • Inayatullah, N. (ed.) (2011) <i>Autobiographical International Relations: I, IR</i>. Routledge: London. • Enloe, C. (2014) <i>Bananas, Beaches and Bases: Making Feminist Sense of International Politics</i>. University of California: Berkley • Ni Mhurchu, A. and R. Shindo (eds) (2016) <i>Critical Imaginations in International Relations</i>. Routledge: London.
	MA International Political Economy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clift, B. (2014) <i>Comparative Political Economy: States, Markets and Global Capitalism</i>. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. • O'Brien, R. and M. Williams (2013) <i>Global Political Economy: Evolution and dynamics</i>, fourth edition (or later). Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. • Shields, S., Bruff, I., and H. Macartney (eds) (2011), <i>Critical International Political Economy: Dialogue, Debate and Dissensus</i>. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. • Strange, S. (1994) <i>States and Markets</i>, 2nd edition (or later). London: Pinter
	MA Political Science (Democracy and Elections)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cowley, P. and R. Ford (eds) (2014) <i>Sex, Lies and the Ballot Box: 50 things you need to know about British Elections</i>. London: Biteback. • Dalton, R. J. (2013). <i>Citizen Politics: Public Opinion and Political Parties in Advanced Industrial Democracies: Public Opinion and Political Parties in Advanced Industrial Democracies</i>. Los Angeles: Cq Press. • Evans, J. A. (2003). <i>Voters and voting: An introduction</i>. London: Sage.
	MA Political Science (Political Theory)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • McMahan, J. (2004) 'The Ethics of Killing in War,' <i>Ethics</i>, 114 (4), pp. 693-733. • Anderson, E. (1999) 'What is the Point of Equality?', <i>Ethics</i>, 109 (2), pp. 287-337.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nussbaum, M. (1999) 'The Feminist Critique of Liberalism', The Lindley Lecture, University of Kansas March 4, 1997 (available online, and reprinted in <i>Sex and Social Justice</i> (Oxford: Oxford University Press). • McDermott, D. (2008) 'Analytical Political Theory,' in David Leopold and Marc Stears (eds.), <i>Political Theory: Methods and Approaches</i>, (Oxford: Oxford University Press), pp. 11-28. • Barry, B. (1999) 'Statism and Nationalism: A Cosmopolitan Critique', <i>Nomos</i> Vol. 41, "Global Justice", pp. 12-66. • Buchanan, A. (2002) 'Political Legitimacy and Democracy', <i>Ethics</i>, 112 (4), pp. 689-719.
	MA Political Science (Philosophy and Political Theory)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Blackburn, S. (2001) <i>Think: A Compelling Introduction to Philosophy</i>. Oxford University Press. • Daly, C. (2010) <i>An Introduction to Philosophical Methods</i>. Peterborough, ON: Broadview Press. • McKinnon, C. (ed.) (2014) <i>Issues in Political Theory</i>. Oxford University Press.
	MA Political Science (European Politics and Policy)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cini, M. and N. Perez-Solorzano-Borraran (2015) <i>European Union Politics</i>, 5th edition. Oxford: Oxford University Press. • Marsh, D. and G. Stoker (eds) (2010) <i>Theory and Methods in Political Science</i>, 3rd edition. Basingstoke: Palgrave. • McCann, D. (2010) <i>The Political Economy of the European Union</i>. Cambridge: Polity.
	MA Political Science (Governance and Public Policy)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cairney, P. (2012) <i>Understanding Public Policy: Theories and Issues</i>. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. • Moran, M. (2015) <i>Politics and Governance in the UK</i>. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. • Bell, S. and A. Hindmoor (2009) <i>Rethinking Governance: The Centrality of the State in Modern Society</i>. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
	MA Human Rights (Political Science)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Donnelly, J. (2003). <i>Universal Human Rights in Theory and Practice</i>, Second Edition (Ithaca & London: Cornell University Press). • Dunne, T. and N. Wheeler (eds) (1999). <i>Human Rights in Global Politics</i> (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press). • Goodhart, M. (ed.) (2009). <i>Human Rights: Politics and Practice</i>(Oxford: Oxford University Press).
	MA Human Rights (Law and Political Science)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Donnelly, J. (2003). <i>Universal Human Rights in Theory and Practice</i>, Second Edition (Ithaca & London: Cornell University Press). • Dunne, T. and N. Wheeler (eds) (1999). <i>Human Rights in Global Politics</i> (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press). • Goodhart, M. (ed.) (2009). <i>Human Rights: Politics and Practice</i>(Oxford: Oxford University Press).

	MA Peace & Conflict Studies	
Sociology	MA Sociology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Blaikie, N. (2010) 2nd edition 'Designing Social Research', Polity Press • C. Lemert, 2005 Postmodernism Is Not What You Think, Routledge
	MSc Sociological Research	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Blaikie, N. (2010) 2nd edition 'Designing Social Research', Polity Press • C. Lemert, 2005 Postmodernism Is Not What You Think, Routledge
Social Anthropology	MA Social Anthropology	<p>The following is a list of books that are recommended by members of staff for students who are reading anthropology for the first time.</p> <p>The list begins with a good general overview of what anthropology is today, and with four texts that have been taught in the core module, <i>Ethnography Reading Seminar</i>. The remaining list of books from Professors Harvey and Wade and Drs, Obeid, Ferrarini and Watanabe are recommended by them as useful texts for PGT students to read before taking their optional modules.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>A General Overview of Social Anthropology</i> Eriksen, Thomas Hyland, 2001. <i>Small Place, Large Issues</i> London; Pluto Press. <p><i>From Professor Karen Sykes (used in the following order on the Ethnography Reading Seminar)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Levi-Strauss, Claude. 2011 (rpt, 1955, trans 1974). <i>Tristes Tropiques</i> Penguin <i>(There are different translations of this classic French monograph into English. I prefer this American translation for use in the class because it translates the full text as "four books" about the role of anthropology in the world, and is not abridged by leaving out all discussions of Asia in order to focus on the Amazon region, as did the first translation)</i> • Tsing, Anna, 2016 <i>The Mushroom at the End of the World</i>. Princeton University Press. <i>(A study of globalization at the level of personal bodily knowledge of its processes. You might like to read selectively from this text.)</i> • Evans Pritchard, Edward, E. 2002 (rpt 1974) <i>Witchcraft, Magic and Oracles amongst the Azande</i>, Oxford University Press. <i>(A late 20th century publication based on pre WW II fieldwork in the south Sudan which is concerned with the nature of rational explanations for misfortune, and empirical evidence of death.)</i>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Das, Veena, 2006. <i>Life and Words: Violence and the Descent into the Ordinary</i>. Berkeley: University of California Press. (A study made of the after effects of the violence of the partition of India and Pakistan.) <p><i>From Professor Penny Harvey:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Harvey, P. and H. Knox. 2015. <i>Roads: An Anthropology of Infrastructure and Expertise</i>. Ithaca: Cornell University Press. • Li, F. 2015. <i>Unearthing Conflict: Corporate Mining, Activism, and Expertise in Peru</i>. Duke University Press • Port, Mattijs van de. 2011. <i>Ecstatic Encounters: Bahian Candomblé and the Quest for the Really Real</i>. Amsterdam: Amsterdam University Press <p><i>From Professor Peter Wade</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Canessa, Andrew. 2012. <i>Intimate indigeneities: race, sex and history in the small spaces of Andean life</i>. Durham NC: Duke University Press. • Hordge-Freeman, Elizabeth. 2015. <i>The color of love: racial features, stigma, and socialization in black Brazilian families</i>. Austin, TX: University of Texas Press. • Weismantel, Mary. 2001. <i>Cholas and pishtacos: stories of race and sex in the Andes</i>. Chicago: University of Chicago Press. <p><i>From Dr. Michelle Obeid</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deeb, Lara (2006). <i>An Enchanted Modern: Gender and Public Piety in Shi'i Lebanon</i>. Princeton University Press. (on Hizbullah women being modern in Beirut) • Ghannam, Farha. (2013). <i>Live and Die Like a Man. Gender Dynamics in Urban Egypt</i>. Palo Alto: Stanford University Press.(on masculinities and men in Cairo). <p><i>From Dr Chika Watanabe:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ferguson, J. (1994) <i>The Anti-Politics Machine: "Development," Depoliticization, and Bureaucratic Power in Lesotho</i>. Minneapolis: University of Minnesota Press.
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	MA Anthropological Research	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cerwonka A. & Malkki L. 2007. Improvising theory: process and temporality in ethnographic fieldwork. Chicago: Chicago UP. • Konopinski N. 2013. Doing anthropological research: a practical guide. London: Routledge.
	MA Visual Anthropology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Made to Be Seen: Perspectives On The History Of Visual Anthropology</i> by Marcus Banks, Jay Ruby (University of Chicago Press); <i>Beyond text? Critical practices and sensory anthropology</i> by Rupert Cox, Andrew Irving and Chris Wright (Manchester University Press); <i>Doing visual ethnography</i> by Sarah Pink (Sage Publications).
Philosophy	MA Philosophy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daly, C. (2010) <i>An Introduction to Philosophical Methods</i>. Peterborough, ON: Broadview Press. • McKinnon, C. (ed.) (2014) <i>Issues in Political Theory</i>. Oxford University Press.
Social Statistics	MSc Social Research Methods and Statistics	<p><i>Resources for General Background Knowledge</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.ukdataservice.ac.uk • https://www.methods.manchester.ac.uk • https://www.ons.gov.uk • https://fullfact.org • http://methods.sagepub.com <p><i>Free Software</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.r-project.org <p><i>Readings on Research Design</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Babbie, E. (2013), <i>The Practice of Social Research</i>, Belmont, CA: Wadsworth. 

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bryman, A. <i>Social Research Methods</i> (OUP) • De Vaus, D. A. (2001) <i>Research Design in Social Research</i>, London: Sage. • Marsh, C. (1982) <i>The Survey Method</i>, London: Allen and Unwin. [1] • Olsen, W.K. (2012) <i>Data Collection: Key Trends and Methods in Social Research</i>, London: Sage <p><i>Readings on Statistical Methods</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Field, A. (2013) <i>Discovering Statistics</i>, Sage. • Plewis, I. (1997) <i>Statistics in Education</i>. London: Arnold. • Snijders, T.A.B. and Bosker, R.J. (2011). <i>Multilevel Analysis</i>. Second Edition. London: Sage. • Hanneman, R.A. and Riddle. M. (2005) <i>Introduction To Social Network Methods</i>. Riverside, CA: University of California, Riverside (published in digital form at http://faculty.ucr.edu/~hanneman/) • Hinde, A. (1998) <i>Demographic Methods</i>. Arnold, London. • Pampaka, M. (2012). <i>Rasch Models for Measurement</i>, in G. Hucheson & L. Moutinho (Eds), <i>Sage Dictionary of Quantitative Management Research</i> (pp. 212-218). London: Sage. • Dale, A., Wathan, J. and Higgins, V. (2008) <i>Secondary Analysis of Quantitative Data Sources</i>. In <i>SAGE Handbook of Social Research Methods</i>, P. Alasuutari, L. Bickman and J. Brannen (eds). Sage, London
	MSc Data Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • D. Donoho (2015), 50 years of data science, in John W. Tukey 100th Birthday Celebration, Princeton University, 18 Sept. 2015. http://courses.csail.mit.edu/18.337/2015/docs/50YearsDataScience.pdf • P. J. Diggle (2015), Statistics: a data science for the 21st century, <i>J. Roy. Stat. Soc.: Series A</i>, 178: 793–813. http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/rssa.12132 • LeCun, Y., Bengio, Y., & Hinton, G. (2015). Deep learning. <i>nature</i>, 521(7553), 436. https://www.nature.com/articles/nature14539 • C. O’Neil and R. Schutt (2013), <i>Doing Data Science: Straight Talk from the Frontline</i>, O’Reilly Media. http://shop.oreilly.com/product/0636920028529.do • Elmasri, R., & Navathe, S. (2016). <i>Fundamentals of database systems</i>. London: Pearson. • Salganik, M. J. (2017). <i>Bit by bit: social research in the digital age</i>. Princeton University Press.