

<b>Course Title:</b> Concepts and Theories of Development			
<b>Course Code:</b> NRC 105	<b>No. of Credits:</b> 3	<b>L-T-P:</b> 41-4-0	<b>Learning Hours:</b> 45
<b>Pre-requisite Course Code and Title (if any):</b> None			
<b>Department:</b> Natural and Applied Sciences			
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<b>Course Type:</b> Core		<b>Course Offered In:</b> Semester 1	
<p><b>Course Description</b>  This course will cover development theories indicating various ways social and economic factors impact the environment and are linked to climate change and other intertwined issues. The first and second parts of the course will provide a broader understanding of the concepts of development and various development theories. It will give a critical assessment of conservative forms of development models and indicate required changes in values and perspectives concerning climate change and related issues.</p>			
<p><b>Course Objectives</b>  The course aims (1) to provide an understanding of development theories, (2) to highlight the complexities of development processes, (3) to get an understanding of sustainable development, 4) to get an idea of new theoretical development in the field of climate change and development.</p>			