

## **Paper II - Service Related**

### **1. International Relations**

#### **1.1 Theoretical perspectives of international relations**

- 1.1.1 Realism and neorealism
- 1.1.2 Liberalism and neoliberalism
- 1.1.3 Marxist theory of international relations
- 1.1.4 The English School
- 1.1.5 Constructivism
- 1.1.6 Post modernism
- 1.1.7 Feminism

#### **1.2 Multilateral Institutions**

- 1.2.1 United Nations System
- 1.2.2 Intergovernmental Treaty bodies (eg. ITLOS, CEDAW, etc.)
- 1.2.3 International Financial Institutions and regional financial institutions:  
IBRD, IFC, IDA, IMF, ADB, AIIB
- 1.2.4 WTO
- 1.2.5 NGOs & INGOs

#### **1.3 Regional Organizations and Regional Trading Blocs: SAARC, BIMSTEC, ACD, SCO, EU, SAFTA, NAFTA**

#### **1.4 Non-aligned movement in present context**

#### **1.5 Current Trends in international relations and diplomacy**

- 1.5.1 Impact of Information and Communication Technology on diplomacy
- 1.5.2 Role of non-state actors
- 1.5.3 Track- II Diplomacy, Track- 1.5 Diplomacy
- 1.5.4 Public Diplomacy
  - 1.5.4.1 Branding of nation
  - 1.5.4.2 PD & Media
- 1.5.5 Diaspora Diplomacy
- 1.5.6 International Migration and Refugee issues
- 1.5.7 Globalization

### **2. Foreign Policy**

- 2.1 National Interest and need for national unanimity on foreign policy
- 2.2 Factors influencing foreign policy of a nation
- 2.3 Foreign policy of China, India, United States of America, United Kingdom, Russian Federation, European Union vis-à-vis South Asia
- 2.4 Evolution foreign policy of Nepal
  - 2.4.1 Nepal's foreign policy Shah Era (1743-1846)
  - 2.4.2 Nepal's foreign policy Rana Era (1846-1951)
  - 2.4.3 Foreign policy of Nepal 1951-1960
  - 2.4.4 Foreign policy of Nepal 1960-1990

- 2.4.5 Foreign policy of Nepal 1990- 2008
  - 2.4.6 Foreign policy of Nepal 2008 - present
  - 2.5 Nepal's relations with immediate neighbors (India and China)
  - 2.6 Nepal's relations with other South Asian Countries, Japan, Korea, Malaysia and Gulf Countries
  - 2.7 Nepal's relations with major powers (United States of America, United Kingdom, Russian Federation)
3. **Diplomacy**
- 3.1 **Bilateral Diplomacy**
    - 3.1.1 Political aspect
    - 3.1.2 Economic aspect
    - 3.1.3 Environmental, cultural and scientific aspect
    - 3.1.4 Functional aspect
  - 3.2 **Multilateral Diplomacy**
    - 3.2.1 Conference diplomacy
    - 3.2.2 Procedure (venue, participation, agenda, proceedings, decision making)
    - 3.2.3 Outcomes and follow up
    - 3.2.4 Disarmament and security system in the present context
    - 3.2.5 Human rights and Nepal's contribution in protection and promotion of human rights
    - 3.2.6 Climate change diplomacy
    - 3.2.7 North-South dialogues
    - 3.2.8 South-South and Triangular Co-operation
  - 3.3 **Economic Diplomacy**
    - 3.3.1 Liberalization of national economies
    - 3.3.2 Nepal's foreign trade and export promotion
    - 3.3.3 Role of development aid in Nepal's socio-economic development
    - 3.3.4 Promotion of trade, tourism, investment, technology and knowledge transfer
    - 3.3.5 Foreign employment and remittances
    - 3.3.6 Mobilization of the missions of Nepal abroad (embassies, permanent missions, consulates and honorary consulates), and foreign missions in Nepal (embassies, consulates, honorary consulates, and the country and regional offices of the UN and other international organizations) in the framework of Nepal's economic diplomacy policy
4. **Diplomatic laws, Summitry and Negotiation**
- 4.1 **Diplomatic laws**
    - 4.1.1 Origins and evolution
    - 4.1.2 Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations

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नेपाल परराष्ट्र सेवा, राजपत्रांकित द्वितीय श्रेणी, उपसचिव वा सो सरह पदको खुला र आन्तरिक प्रतियोगितात्मक परीक्षाको लागि पाठ्यक्रम

- 4.1.3 Vienna Convention on Consular Relations
- 4.1.4 Immunities and privileges of Heads of State/Governments and Foreign Ministers
- 4.1.5 Immunities and privileges of diplomats and diplomatic missions
- 4.1.6 Immunities and privilege of UN & Specialized agencies
- 4.2 **International Law** : codification and practice, International Humanitarian Law (IHL)
- 4.3 **Summitry**
  - 4.3.1 Origin and evolution of summit diplomacy
  - 4.3.2 Multilateral summits
  - 4.3.3 Regional summits
  - 4.3.4 Issue specific ad hoc summits
  - 4.3.5 Diplomacy at the highest level
- 4.4 **Negotiation**
  - 4.4.1 Pre-Negotiation
  - 4.4.2 At the table
  - 4.4.3 Diplomatic momentum/Negotiation in action
  - 4.4.4 Packaging, decision making and follow up
- 5. **Administrative and Functional aspects**
  - 5.1 **Management aspects**
    - 5.1.1 Office management
      - 5.1.1.1 Personnel management
      - 5.1.1.2 Financial management
      - 5.1.1.3 Logistic management
      - 5.1.1.4 Property management
    - 5.1.2 Modus operandi
    - 5.1.3 Administering the Diplomatic Code of Conduct of Nepal
  - 5.2 **Protocol and Etiquettes**
  - 5.3 **Consular and Passport Affairs**
  - 5.4 **Functional Aspects**
    - 5.4.1 Intra-Cultural Communications
    - 5.4.2 Writing skills- Diplomatic Notes, Speech
    - 5.4.3 Drafting skills- Joint Communiqué, position papers, non-papers, LoE, Briefs, Talking Points, Running Notes, Messages, Aid-Memoire, Press Release, Record of Talks
    - 5.4.4 Demarche
    - 5.4.5 Reporting