

Faculty	Management and Social Sciences	
Department	Sociology	
Course Title	Military and the state	
Year of Study	II	
Course Code	CSS 214	
Credit Hours	2	
Contact Hours	30	
Mode of Delivery	Classroom Lectures	
Mode of Assessment		Weight%
Continuous Assessment		30%
Final Examination		70%
Total		100%
Course Lecture/Instructor	Mr. Babatunde S.O	
Course Description	An introductory study, from social science/perspective of military rulers-law-makers and law enforces; The role of the military in national and international relations with special attention to theories of war and peace, civil-military relations-the military and politic in Africa and the non-military use of force with particular references to west African sub-region.	
Course Objectives	At the end of this course, students should be able to: Understand the meaning of state and state its attributes; relationship between the state and the government, military law enforcement and intelligence Agencies of Nigeria law enforcement-NFP, NDLEA, EFCC etc, constitutional roles of the military in the state.	
Learning Outcomes	<p>At the end of the course, the students should be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Discuss the meaning of state, characteristics of a state 2. Relationship between the state and government 3. Meaning of military rule and causes of military rule 4. The theories of people and war 5. Organs of military rule 6. Problems of military rule 	
Teaching and Learning	The class will meet for two hours each week. Class time will be used for a combination of lectures and practical sessions	
Detailed Course Content	Meaning of state, characteristics of a state, relationship between the state and government. Meaning of military rule, causes of military rule, organs of military rule, achievements of military rules, theories of peace and war, problems of military rule.	

Course Content Sequencing		
Weeks	Detailed Course Outline	Allocated Time
Week 1	Meaning of state and its attributes	2 hours
Week 2, 3	Relationship between the state and the government	4 Hours
Week 4, 5, 6	Military, law enforcement and intelligence of Nigeria and causes of military role	6 Hours
Week 7, 8	Law enforcement-NPF, NDLEA, EFCC etc and theories of peace and war	4 Hours
Week 9, 10, 11	Constitutional roles of the military in the state, problems of military rule and organs of military.	6 Hours
Week 12	Examination	
<p>Recommended Reading Material</p> <p>Corat G.C. and Corat T. (1983). Military Governments and the State-Society Paradox in Industrializing Countries. Parliamentary Affairs 36(2), 229–245. [An exploration of a number of hypotheses on why the military intervenes and how it governs.]</p> <p>Finer S. E. (1962). The Man on Horseback: The Role of the Military in Politics, 268 pp. London: Pall Mall Press. [An established work which provides a summary of military coups and analyzes the factors that promote or inhibit the intervention of the armed forces in politics.]</p> <p>Huntington S. P. (1957). The Soldier and the State: The Theory and Politics of Civil-Military Relations, 534 pp. Cambridge, Mass: Harvard University Press. [Although becoming dated in many ways, this book examines the role of the US civil-military relations by use of comparisons with pre-WWII Germany and Japan.]</p> <p>Huntington S. P. (ed.) (1962). Changing Patterns of Military Politics, 272 pp. New York: The Free Press of Glencoe. [Although becoming dated in many ways, an edited volume and solid textbook exploring a variety of main themes in the field.]</p> <p>Huntington S. P. (1968). Civil-military relations, International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences, Vols. 1 & 2 (eds. D. L. Sills and R. K. Merton), 567 pp. New York: Free Press</p>		