## SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY **Programme & Subject: M.A (Psychology)** Semester: IV Syllabus with Effect from: December - 2014

Paper Code: PA04CPSY03 **Title Of Paper: Theories of Social Psychology** 

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	The theories of Conformity behavior	
	Principles of socialization/ theories of aggression	2370
	Theories of pro-social behavior	
	Theories of social change	
	Approaches or theories of national character	

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