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Q7(a)

Define Secularisation. What are its major dimensions in the modern world?

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2015 · Sociology GS 1 · 20 marks · Sociology

Sociology - The Discipline: Modernity and social changes in Europe and emergence of sociology; Scope of the subject and comparison with other social sciences; Sociology and common sense.

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Disenchantment

Weber: the world becomes calculable; prophetic and magical monopoly recedes.

Wilson

Secularisation as religion's declining social significance.

Bellah

Civil religion: national sacred without a single church.

Indian personal law

A limit case of incomplete differentiation of law from religious community.

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