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Q7(c)

Do you agree that social movements are caused by opportunity structures that are generated by media? Why?

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2019 · Sociology GS 2 · 10 marks · Impact of colonial rule on Indian society

Impact of colonial rule on Indian society: Social background of Indian nationalism; Modernization of Indian tradition; Protests and movements during the colonial period; Social reforms.

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Political opportunity

Openings in regime and public that movements exploit.

Simultaneous public

Broadcast and phones that make distant protests feel co-present.

Guha

Peasant insurgency as structured politics before electronic media.

Framing

How news names a movement as justice or disorder.

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