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II Semester B.A. Degree (CBCSS (OBE) – Regular) Examination, April 2020 (2019 Admission) CORE COURSE IN HISTORY 2B02 HIS: Cultural Transformations in Europe

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 40

Instruction: Answers may be written either in English or in Malayalam.

PART – A (Short Notes)

Write short notes on the following eight topics in around 30 words. Each question carries one mark.

- 1. Martin Luther.
- 2. Guilds.
- 3. Michelangelo.
- 4. Spartacus.
- 5. Democracy.
- 6. Pax Romana.
- 7. St. Benedict.
- 8. Thucydides.

 $(8 \times 1 = 8)$

PART – B (Short Essay)

Answer any five out of eight questions in around 200 words. Each question carries three marks.

- 9. Discuss the reasons for the discovery of new sea routes by the Europeans.
- 10. Explain the features of Spartan Militarism.

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- 11. Elaborate on the significance of Roman Republic.
- 12. Analyse the nature of trade and towns in medieval Europe.
- 13. Write a short essay on renaissance literature.
- 14. Comment on the rise and growth of Greek city states.
- 15. Was Augustus Caesar of Rome a benevolent despot ? Comment.
- 16. Explain the emergence of monasticism in medieval Europe. (5x3=15)

PART – C (Map Illustrations)

- 17. Mark the following centres of Medieval Universities on the map provided.
 - i) Bologna
 - ii) Paris
 - iii) Oxford
 - iv) Modena
 - v) Prague. (5x1=5)

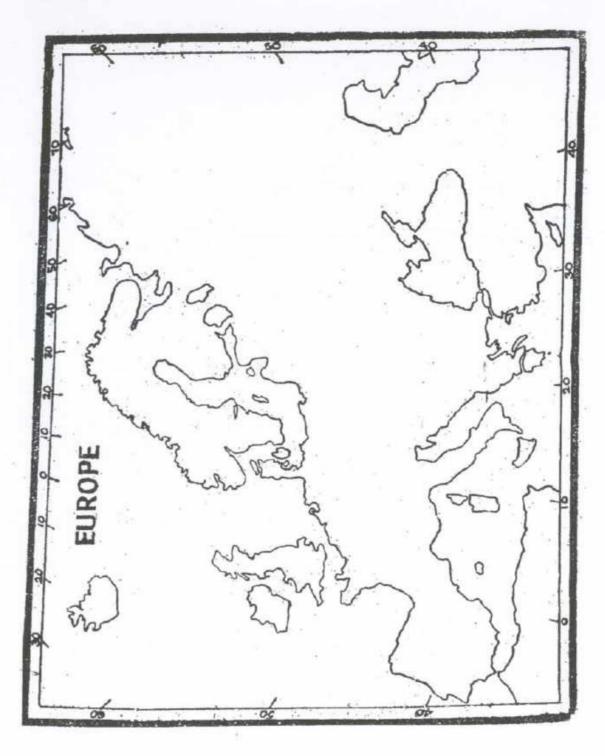
PART – D (Essay)

Answer any two out of four questions in around 400 words. Each question carries six marks.

- 18. Comment on the legacy of Roman Civilization.
- 19. Examine the causes for the decline of feudalism in Europe.
- 20. Discuss the causes and impact of Reformation.
- 21. Analyse the evolution of political institutions in Greek Civilization. (2×6=12)







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