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IV Semester M.A. Degree (CBSS – Reg./Suppl./Imp.) Examination, April 2020
(2014 Admission Onwards)
HISTORY
HIS4C15 – Historiography

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 60

SECTION – A

Essays. Answer **any two** questions :

(2×12=24)

1. Critically assess the modernity's influence upon historiography.
2. Critically examine historical materialism as a tool of studying the history and society.
3. Discuss the development of the idea of writing a 'Total History'.
4. Explain how was the past conceived by early Indians.

SECTION – B

PART – 1

Answer **any four**. Write in **one** sentence or word :

(4×1=4)

5. *Mooshakavamsha Kavya*.
6. *Course of Positivist Philosophy*.
7. *Archaeology of Knowledge*.
8. *Rajatharangini*.
9. Stephen Greenblatt.
10. Hayden White.

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PART - 2

Answer **any four**. Short note :

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11. Examine David Hume's contributions to history.
12. How do you characterize the Enlightenment historiography ?
13. Examine Hegelian Dialectics and understanding of history.
14. Discuss how is history influenced by Structuralism.
15. What do you mean by economic determinism ?
16. Prepare a note on deconstruction and history.

PART - 3

Answer **any four**. Short Essay :

(4×5=20)

17. Examine the basic principles of Structural Marxism.
18. Discuss the theory of Asiatic Mode of Production (AMP).
19. What is Gender history ? How does it challenge the historiography ?
20. How do the New Cambridge historians treat Indian history ?
21. Elaborate the major themes and approaches of Social History.
22. Critically evaluate the relevance of Subaltern Studies in Indian Historiography.