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IV Semester M.A./M.Sc./M.Com. Degree (Reg./Sup./Imp.)

Examination, March 2015

HISTORY

Paper – XIII : Historiography

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Instructions : Section – A : Two questions out of four should be answered.

Section – B : Eight short essays should be answered.

SECTION – A

Two questions out of four should be answered.

(2×20=40)

1. Critically assess the impact of Berlin Revolution towards making history a positive science.
2. Discuss the developments in historiography in the context of post modernism.
3. Write an essay on the contributions of Annales school to the historiography.
4. Discuss the way in which the Indians responded to the colonial historiography.

SECTION – B

Eight short essays should be answered.

(8×5=40)

5. Examine the concept of past in ancient India.
6. How do you evaluate Michael Foucault's contributions to the historiography ?
7. Examine the influence of historical materialism on India historiography.
8. Discuss the interventions of Subaltern Studies in Indian historiography.
9. Examine Hegelian Dialectics and history.

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- 10. Assess the impact of renaissance on the western historiography.
- 11. Write a note on writing the history of everyday life.
- 12. Critically evaluate writings of D. D. Kosambi.
- 13. How do you characterize the Enlightenment historiography.
- 14. Elucidate the relevance of historical materialism as tool of studying the history and society.
- 15. Examine influence of the Comtean Positive Logic on historiography.
- 16. Examine the major themes and approaches of Social History.

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SECTION - B

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