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History

HY 241 — INDIAN HISTORIOGRAPHY

(2014-2018 Admission)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

SECTION – A

(Essays) Answer any **three** Essay Questions. Each question carries **15** marks.

1. Account on the significance of Rajatarangini as a text of History.
2. Briefly analyse the nature of the historical writings during the Mughal period giving special focus on the writings of Abul Fazal.
3. Briefly discuss the features of Orientalism. How has William Jones contributed to enrich it?
4. Assess the contributions of K. A. Neelakanta Sastri in conceiving the history of Southern India giving special focus on Chola History.
5. Account on the contributions of Uma Chakravarti in developing a feminist perspective to Indian history.

(3 × 15 = 45 Marks)

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SECTION – B

(Short Essays) Answer any **five** questions. Each question carries **6** marks.

6. Account on how Max Muller has viewed India giving special focus on India- What can it Teach Us?
7. Account on the position of D. D. Kosambi on the Historicity of Indian society.
8. Briefly discuss the contributions of R. S. Sharma to the study of Ancient Indian History.
9. Briefly analyse the position of Bipan Chandra on the genesis and growth of Communalism.
10. Account on the contributions of Ranajit Guha to the development of Subaltern Historiography in India.
11. Briefly assess the methodology of Ramachandra Guha and Madhav Gadgil in analysing the environmental history of India.
12. Briefly analyse the contributions of Gail Omvedt towards the development of Dalit Historiography.
13. Briefly analyse the historical writings on Peasant Movements in India with special focus on the works of D. N. Dhanagare.

(5 × 6 = 30 Marks)

