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Third Semester M.A. Degree Examination, January 2020

History

HY 231 – ISSUES IN HISTORIOGRAPHY

(2014 Admission onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

SECTION – A

(Long Essay Questions)

Answer **any three** Questions. Each question carries **15** marks.

1. Critically examine Ibn Khaldun' s concept of the science of history and the study of societies.
2. Examine the ramifications of Anti-Cartesianism in heralding a new approach to the study of History.
3. How did Karl Marx differentiate between Theory of history and Philosophy of history in formulating a methodological approach to History?
4. Assess the services of the first generation of the Annales in the making of 'Total History' with its emphasis on multi disciplinary method.
5. Elucidate the significance of the critique of Post modernist theories in History.

(3 × 15 = 45 Marks)

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SECTION – B

(Short Essay Questions)

Answer **any five** questions. Each question carries **6** marks.

6. Assess the historical methodology of Titus Livy.
7. Bring out the significance of the historical thinking of Ssu -ma- Chien.
8. Examine the impact of Positivism on the discipline of History.
9. How far could Edward Gibbon be considered as a true representative of Enlightenment Historiography?
10. Analyse Rankean concept of historical objectivity.
11. Examine Oral History as research methodology.
12. Assess Derrida' s theory of Deconstruction.
13. Account on the nuances of the New Cultural History.

(5 × 6 = 30 Marks)

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