

D.K.M. COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS), VELLORE – 1
SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS
NOVEMBER – 2017
HISTORIOGRAPHY

16CPHI3B

Time: 3 Hrs

Max. Marks: 75

SECTION – A (5 X 6 =30)

Answer ALL the questions.

- 1 (a) What is History?
(Or)
(b) Explain the Uses of History.
- 2 (a) Write a note on the History and Geography.
(Or)
(b) Give an account on the History and Literature.
- 3 (a) Discuss the influence of the theory of Divine plan in History.
(Or)
(b) Explain the role of Nationalist theory in History.
- 4 (a) Examine the importance of Footnotes in the historical writing.
(Or)
(b) Point out the advantages and disadvantages of the selection of topic in historiography.
- 5 (a) Critically examine the writings of Kalhana.
(Or)
(b) Discuss the Marxist approaches of Irfan Habib to the modern historical writings.

SECTION – B (3 X 15 =45)

Answer any THREE of the following questions.

6. History is a Science or an Art-- Discuss.
- 7 Explain the relations between the History and other social sciences.
- 8 Discuss the various theories of causation in History.
- 9 Critically examine the significance of External and Internal criticism in Historiography.
- 10 Describe the characteristics of medieval Indian historiography.

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