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FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE

Third Semester MA Degree Examination, November 2017 HISCSS3109 - Theory and Method in Historiography

(2016 Admission onwards)

Max. Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightage: 36

### PART-A (Short Answer Type)

Answer all questions (Weightage for each question is 1)

- 1. Teleology
- 2. Romanticism
- 3. Dilthey
- 4. Herder
- 5. Positivism
- 6. Croce
- 7. Epistemology
- 8. Hegemony
- 9. E.P. Thompson
- 10. Long Duree
- 11. Historian's Craft
- 12. Discourse analysis
- 13. Orientalism
- 14. Stephen Greenblatt

(14 x 1=14 Weightage)

## PART-B (Paragraph Type) Answer any seven questions (Weightage for each question is 2)

- 15. How was the Enlightenment redefining the history as a discipline?
- 16. Discuss GiambastistaVico'smethodological innovations in history
- 17. Elaborate Hegelian philosophy of history
- 18. Highlight the cardinal features of Romanticist school of history
- 19. How did Positivism influence history?
- 20. Examine the arguments of the critics of positivism
- 21. Explore the relation between Nationalism and history in early modern Europe
- 22. Critically assess the positions of Strutural Marxists
- 23. What do you know about History of everyday life?
- 24. How do you evaluate the Total History project?
- 25. Examine the influence of sociological methods on historical research

 $(7 \times 2 = 14 \text{ weightage})$ 

### PART-C (Essay Type)

## Answer any two questions (Weightage for each question is 4)

- 26. Critically analyse the role of Ranke in transforming history a positive science
- 27. Elucidate the challenges raised by post-modernism to the historical writing
- 28. Critically assess the possibilities and limitations of historical materialism as tool of writing the history of society
- 29. Prepare a critical survey of contributions of Annales school to historiography

 $(2 \times 4 = 8 \text{ weightage})$ 

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## FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE

Third Semester MA Degree Examination, November 2017 HICSS3110 - Medieval Indian History - Problems and Perspectives

(2016 Admission onwards)

Max. Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightage: 36

### Section A (Essays)

Answer any **two** of the following essay questions. Each questions carries 4 weightage.

- Examine the European orientalist perceptions regarding social and cultural backwardness of India.
- 2. Write a note on the features of provincial and local administration under Mughals.
- 3. Describe the rise of Bhakti Movement with special reference to syncretic tradition.
- 4. Discuss the role of village community in medieval Indian Society.

 $(2 \times 4 = 8 \text{ weightage})$ 

### Section B (Short Essays)

Answer any Seven of the following essay questions.

Each questions carries 2 weightage.

- 5. Write a short note on translations of Sanskrit works at Akbar's court.
- 6. Discuss the perceptions about transition from medieval to modern.
- 7. Examine the role of women in medieval society.
- 8. Elucidate the power and position of Ulema under Delhi sultanate.
- 9. 'Din Ilahi' as a religion introduced by Akbar for religions toleration to the pinnacle of secularism. Justify
- 10. Discuss the theory of Louis Dumont.
- 11. Write a note on revenue system under ChatrapratiShivaji.
- 12. Bring out the perceptions of historians regarding the decline of Mughal Empire.
- 13. Examine the impact of Sufism on Indian culture.
- 14. Discuss the growth of regional literature in India.

 $(7 \times 2 = 14 \text{ weightage})$ 

## Section C (Short Notes)

Answer all questions.

Each answer carries I weightage.

- 15. Mustaufi-i-Mamalik
- 16. Bandar
- 17. Shariah
- 18. Khud-kasht
- 19. Jagirdari system
- 20. MurshidQuliKhan
- 21. Fatehpur-Sikri
- 22. KhafiKhan
- 23. Balutedari
- 24. AshtaPradhan
- 25. Vaishnavism
- 26. Nobility
- 27. Dar-al-Harb
- 28. Chaitanya

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## FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE

## Third Semester MA Degree Examination, November 2017

## HISCSS3E111(F) - Formation of Arab Islamic Society and Culture

(2016 Admission onwards)

Max. Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightage: 36

## Part A

- Answer any two of the following questions (essays) Examine the method of selection of four Pious Caliphs. How far it is democratic and
- suitable for contemporary politics. 1. Hijra was a turning point in the history of Islam Explain?
- Describe the Arab contributions in the field of Medicine. 2.
- Discuss the status of women and slave during the pre-Islamic Arabia. 3. 4.

 $(2 \times 4 = 8 \text{ weightage})$ 

## Answer any seven of the following questions (short-essays)

- No man in history influenced his people like Prophet Muhammed did, and he shaped the destinies of his people- Examine how? 5.
- Discuss the importance of Makah in pre-Islamic Arabia. 6.
- Describe the growth of trade in medieval period, 7.
- Comment on the reign of Abbasids as the golden age? 8.
- 9.
- Explain the scientific and literary development achieved by the Arab Muslims.
- What are the philosophical contributions of Imam Gazhali? 10. 11.
- Write a note on the four orthodox schools of Jurisprudence. 12.
- Discuss about the social stratification among the medieval Arabs. 13.
- Write the contributions of Al-Khwarizmi as a mathematician. 14.

(7x2 = 14 weightage)

### Part C

## Answer all the following questions (paragraph type)

- Imam Bukhari 15.
- Jahiliya 16.
- Jabir IbnHayyan 17.
- BaithulHikma 18.
- The Spirit of Islam 19.
- Classification of Hadith 20.
- Shariat 21.
- Madeena Charter 22
- IbnSina 23.
- Wasillbn Ata 24.
- Jiziva 25.
- Ijitihad 26.
- Minhaju As-Sunna An-Nabawiyya 27.
- Silsila 28.

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## FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE

Third Semester MA Degree Examination, November 2017 HISCSS3112(F) - Islam in the Contemporary World - Select Problems

(2016 Admission onwards)

Max. Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightage: 36

### Part A

## Answer two of the following essays. Each question carries 4 weightage

- 1. Discuss the impact of First World War on the Middle East.
- 2. Analyse the emergence of Arab Nationalism.
- 3. Explain the Palestinian Crisis. How it influenced West Asian Politics?
- 4. The Iranian Revolution was a populist, nationalist and Shi'a Islamic revolution that replaced a dictatorial monarchy with a theocracy based on "Guardianship of the Islamic Jurists"-Comment. (2x4=8 weightage)

### Part B

## Answer any Seven of the following paragraph questions. Each question carries 2 weightage.

- 5. Examine the growth of socialist ideas in the Middle East.
- 6. Give an account of women's movements in Egypt.
- 7. Assess the movements for democracy in the Middle East.
- 8. Write a note on the modernization process in Turkey.
- 9. Trace the origin and development of Hamas.
- 10. Analyse the emergence of Wahabi state of Saudi Arabia.
- 11. Discuss the development of Zionism.
- 12. Evaluate the growth of radical Islamic movements.
- 13. Describe the life and career of Yasser Arafat.
- 14. Write a brief note on Camp David Accords.

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### Part C

# Answer all the following fourteen short notes. Each Question carries 1 weightage

- 15. Baath Party.
- 16. Jamal Abdul Nasser.
- 17. Oslo Agreements.
- 18. Intifada.
- 19. Ali Shariati
- 20. Rohingyan Problem.
- 21. Aramco.
- 22. Lebanon War.
- 23. Iran Iraq war
- 24. Islamic Brotherhood
- 25. Oil politics.
- 26. velayat-e faqih
- 27. OPEC
- 28. Syrian Crisis

(14x 1=14 weightage)