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M.Phil. DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2010

Women's Studies

FEMINIST THEORIES

(CBCS-2010 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Answer **all** questions. (5 × 15 = 75)

Each question carries 15 marks.

1. (a) Discuss the roots of Liberal Feminism.

(Or)

- (b) Explain the varieties of Feminist Thinking

2. (a) Highlight the essence of Marxist Feminism.

(Or)

- (b) Discuss the Marxist concepts and Theories in Feminism.

3. (a) Critically examine—‘Reproduction as the source of Women’s Liberation.’

(Or)

- (b) Explain the roots of Psycho analytic Feminism.

4. (a) Discuss the Socialist Feminism.

(Or)

- (b) Explain density and history of women in Existentialist Feminism.

5. (a) Explain post-modern Feminism.

(Or)

- (b) Write about critique of Post-modern Feminism.

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1. (a) What is gender analysis ? What does it tell us ? Why and when you use gender analysis ?

(Or)

- (b) Describe sexual dichotomism in research.

2. (a) Give your understanding of a good research design. Is single research design suitable in all research studies ?—Why ?

(Or)

- (b) Discuss different types of analysis.
3. (a) Define and explain rating scale. Discuss its advantages and limitations.

(Or)

- (b) Describe qualities of a good schedule. Explain steps in its formation.
4. (a) Define Probability. Discuss the various methods of calculation of probability and what are its limitations ?

(Or)

- (b) State the various measure of central tendency and explain each with its merits and demerits.

5. (a) Explain the terms Research proposal, Research report, Research summary and Research abstracts.

(Or)

- (b) Describe the mechanics of report writing and illustrate your answer with examples.

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