

MASTERS IN ANTHROPOLOGY

Term-End Examination

December, 2014

MANE-003 : COMPARATIVE ETHNOGRAPHY

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks. The word limit for 20 marks question is 500 and for 10 marks question is 250. Attempt atleast two questions from each section.

SECTION - A

1. Define ethnography. How did it evolve in Anthropology ? Discuss. 20
2. Describe different types of ethnographics with examples. 20
3. Discuss the place of ethics in anthropology. 20
4. Outline the features of structural - functional approach. Add a note on its criticisms. 20
5. Write short notes on **any two** of the following with reference to the ethnographics discussed in the course : 10+10
 - (a) New ethnography
 - (b) Rites of passage
 - (c) Symbolism
 - (d) Social change

SECTION - B

6. Discuss the role of chiefs and saints among the Swat Pathans. 20
 7. Write an essay on the social structure of the Coorgs of South India. 20
 8. What do you understand by dominant symbol ? Discuss with examples. 20
 9. Critically evaluate the differences between the two monographs - Malinowski's *Argonauts of the Western Pacific* and Weiner's *The Trobrianders of Papua New Guinea*. 20
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