

**M.A. IN WOMEN'S AND GENDER STUDIES
(MAWGS)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2015

MWG-009 : WOMEN AND SOCIAL STRUCTURE

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : (i) *Answer any five of the following questions.*

(ii) *All questions carry equal marks.*

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1. What is social structure ? Does gender constitute an aspect of social structure ? Discuss. 20
 2. What is the difference between family and household ? Discuss the various forms of family in India. 20
 3. Analyse the concept of "class" from the perspective of formative feminisms. 20
 4. Examine the interlinkages between identity, interest and social change in relation to tribal women of India. 20
 5. How does religion construct gender ? Discuss in the context of Hindu religion. 20

6. Analyse Dalit feminism from a feminist standpoint perspective with the help of examples. 20
7. What is politics of reproduction? Discuss it with the help of suitable examples. 20
8. Write short notes on **any two**: 4x5=20
- (a) Brahminical Patriarchy
 - (b) Muslim Personal Law
 - (c) Social Process
 - (d) Political status of tribal women
 - (e) Uniform Civil Code (UCC)
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