

**M.A. IN PARTICIPATORY DEVELOPMENT
(MAPD)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2012

**MDS-002 : DEVELOPMENT POLICIES AND
PROGRAMMES**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

- Note :** (i) *Answer all five questions.*
(ii) *All questions carry equal marks.*
(iii) *Questions 1 to 4 are essay type. Question 5 is short notes.*

1. (a) Critically examine the post independence path of India through the first to seventh five year plans. How in your opinion did it connect with the changing global discourses around development and the new paradigms in global development ? 20

OR

- (b) Critically examine poverty as a multidimensional phenomenon with special emphasis on how people understand poverty ? 20

2. (a) What do you understand by the term social policy and how is it different from public policy ? Identify the major actors in the policy process and explain their respective roles critically. 20

OR

- (b) What do you understand by models of social policy ? Critically discuss these different models relating them to the Indian context. 20

3. (a) Discuss the process by which planning was gradually institutionalised in India ? How did central planning result in creation of the "Permit raj" and in your opinion was this inevitable ? 20

OR

- (b) Critically review the eighth to tenth five year plans and assess their impact on Participatory Development. 20

4. (a) Discuss the importance of Social Planning in India's planning process. Critically examine the shift from Community Development to Participatory Development 20

OR

- (b) Critically discuss the changing nature of the state with the private sector in India and outline the key areas of corporate responsibilities 20

5. Write short notes on *any two* of the following :

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| (a) Earth summit | 10 |
| (b) Interest group theory | 10 |
| (c) Indian Planning Commission | 10 |
| (d) Donor Agencies. | 10 |
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