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M.A. IN GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES (MAGD)

Term-End Examination June, 2014

MGSE-009 : GENDER ISSUES IN WORK, EMPLOYMENT AND PRODUCTIVITY

Time: 3 Hours] [Maximum Marks: 1	00
Note: -Answer any Five of the following questions. All questions carry equal marks.	
1. Analyse the patterns of gender stratification in Indian society.	20
(a) Discuss the role of affirmative action in increasing women's participation in the labour market.	10
(b) Analyse Government of India's interventions with regard to women's work.	10
3. "Micro credit is an enabling strategy for promoting women's employment and productivity." Analyse the above statement with reference to the following micro credit models: SEWA model in Gujarat and VELUGU in Andhra Pradesh.	20
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4.	Define the 'concept of work'. Explain the paid and unpaid, productive and unproductive work. Distinguish economically	
	and socially productive work.	20
5.	Examine in detail the Government of India's social security schemes and Acts.	20
6.	What is shadow employment? Explain shadow employment with the help of NSSO data.	20
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8.	Write short notes on any four of the following: 4x5=	
	(a) Maternity Benefits Act, 1961	
	(b) Sustainable Employment	
	(c) Wage Inequality	
	(d) Informal Economy	
	(e) CEDAW	