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M.A. PHILOSOPHY (MAPY)

Term-End Examination

June, 2016

MPYE-004 : PHILOSOPHY OF HUMAN PERSON

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : (i) *Answer all five questions.*

(ii) *All questions carry equal marks.*

(iii) *Answer to question No. 1 and 2 should be in about 500 words each.*

1. Critically evaluate the phenomenology of death. 20

OR

Explain living as 'authentic existence' and differentiate it from 'inauthentic life'. 20

2. Is man free ? Explain the concept of freedom from a psycho-social point of view as one that unites rather than isolates. 20

OR

In what way philosophical anthropology is related to general anthropology ? Explain in detail 20

3. Answer any two of the following in about 250 words each :

(a) Explain in detail the Heideggerian concept of 'being in the world'. 10

- (b) Briefly describe Marcel's idea of 'I-thou' relationship. 10
- (c) What is the nature of self according to the Upanishads? 10
- (d) Give an account of person as 'end in themselves'. 10
4. Answer **any four** of the following in about **150** words each :
- (a) Make a distinction between resurrection and resuscitation. 5
- (b) Describe the Buddhist notion of human person. 5
- (c) What is the basis of identity according to Locke? 5
- (d) How do you understand the Bundle theory of self? 5
- (e) Briefly explain the Epicurian concept of 'eat, drink and be merry'. 5
- (f) What is the scientific proof for Rationality? 5
5. Write short notes on **any five** of the following in about **100** words each :
- (a) Angelism 4
- (b) Moksha 4
- (c) Direct judgment as a metaphysical fact. 4
- (d) Facticity 4
- (e) Personhood 4
- (f) Love as relationality 4
- (g) Determinism 4
- (h) Human life as struggle 4
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