

Ph.D. IN ANTHROPOLOGY (PHDAN)

Term-End Examination

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June, 2017

RAN-002 : RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

*Note : Attempt any **five** questions. Choose at least **two** questions from each section. All questions carry equal marks. The word limit for 20 mark questions is 500 words and that for 10 mark questions is 250 words.*

SECTION A

1. What is a research design ? Describe with a sample research design. 20
2. "Anthropology is a field science." Critically examine the genuineness of this statement. 20
3. Discuss briefly the nature of quantitative and qualitative data in anthropological research. 20

4. How do you review literature for a research problem ? Explain the salient features. 20

5. Write short notes on any **two** of the following in about 250 words each : 2×10=20

(a) Method and Methodology

(b) Induction and Deduction

(c) Ethnographic Method

(d) Focus Group Discussion

SECTION B

6. Discuss case study method. How is it different from life history ? 20
 7. Discuss briefly the tools and techniques used in Anthropological field work. 20
 8. What is a measure of central tendency ? Discuss various measures of central tendency. 20
 9. Describe how you prepare a report for a given research problem. 20
 10. Write short notes on any *two* of the following in about 250 words each : $2 \times 10 = 20$
 - (a) Questionnaire
 - (b) Data Analysis
 - (c) Structured and Unstructured Interview
 - (d) ANOVA
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