M.A. IN GANDHI AND PEACE STUDIES

Term-End Examination December, 2011

MGPE-010 (F2F): CONFLICT MANAGEMENT TRANSFORMATION AND PEACE BUILDING

Time: 2 hours

Maximum Marks: 50

Note: Answer any five questions in about 500 words each.

Attempt at least two questions from each section. Each question carries 10 marks

SECTION - I

- Describe the major contingency theories of conflict.
- **2.** What is conflict assessment? What are its limitations and challenges?
- **3.** Analyse the role of international organisations and agencies in conflict torn societies.
- **4.** Identify the main causes for the problem of violence in Nagaland and suggest remedies for conflict management.
- 5. Trace the origin and meaning of conflict transformation approach and analyse its conception of 'conflict' and 'change'.

SECTION - II

- 6. Discuss the non violent approach to conflict transformation.
- 7. Write a short note on:
 - (a) Gandhi's vision of education for India.
 - (b) Johan Galtung's conflict triangle.
- 8. Why was champaran satyagraha launched? How did Gandhi go about resolving the main issues therein?
- 9. Discuss the meaning and tasks of peace building.
- 10. Bring out the distinctions between
 - (a) Reconstructive and transformative approaches to peace building.
 - (b) Peacekeeping, peacemaking and peace building.