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Ph.D. IN ANTHROPOLOGY (PHDAN)

Term-End Examination

December, 2018

**RANE-002 : PERSPECTIVES IN SOCIAL
ANTHROPOLOGY**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : *Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks. The word limit for 20 marks question is 500 words, for 10 marks question is 250 words and for 5 marks question it is 125 words. Attempt atleast two questions from each section.*

SECTION - A

1. Briefly describe the philosophical principles of Age of Enlightenment and its influence on anthropology. 20
2. Discuss family in relation to kinship and marriage taking into account the changing dynamics in them. 20
3. Critically assess the thesis of Functionalism. 20
4. Is fieldwork necessary for social anthropological research. Critically examine. 20
5. Write short notes on any four of the following : 4x5
 - (a) Ethnicity
 - (b) Animism
 - (c) Margaret Mead
 - (d) Enculturation
 - (e) Domestic Domain

SECTION - B

6. What is the comparative method in anthropology ? 20
How valid is it in present anthropological setting ?
Discuss.
7. Discuss analytically any two prominent tribal 20
movements in India.
8. Provide a detailed anthropological reading of the 20
concept of minority.
9. Discuss in detail about the growth of Medical 20
anthropology in India.

OR

Describe and differentiate between any two of the following : 2x10=20

- (a) Caste and Class
 - (b) Patrilineal and Matrilineal Societies
 - (c) Structuralism and Post-structuralism
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