

M.A. PHILOSOPHY (MAPY)

Term-End Examination

June, 2022

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) *Answers to questions no. 1 and 2 should be in about 500 words each.*
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1. Explain divisions and basic trends in general anthropology in detail. 20

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Explain three types of beings in detail. Are humans unique ? Elaborate. 20

2. Elaborate love as humanizing and self-actualizing. 20

OR

Is reality inherently rational and connected ? Illustrate in light of some contemporary scientific theories. 20

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

- (a) Illustrate oppressive and liberative understanding of human person. 10
- (b) How can we arrive at authentic existence ? Elaborate. 10
- (c) If Takers want to conquer the world, what is the task given to the Leavers ? Discuss. 10
- (d) Do you agree with John Locke's idea that personal identity is based on consciousness ? 10

4. Answer any **four** of the following questions in about 150 words each :

- (a) What are the four Purusharthas ? 5
- (b) How does Marx view the Human Being ? 5
- (c) Differentiate between Philosophical Anthropology and Cultural Anthropology. 5
- (d) How would you understand the human search for Meaning ? 5
- (e) What is Courageous despair ? 5
- (f) Explain Aristotle's concept of Soul. 5

5. Write short notes on any *five* of the following in about 100 words each :

- (a) Dasein 4
 - (b) Necrosis 4
 - (c) Animal Symbolicum 4
 - (d) Psychological Determinism 4
 - (e) Dependent Origination (Pratityasamutpada) 4
 - (f) Love as Relationality 4
 - (g) Total Reflection 4
 - (h) Ends in Themselves 4
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