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MPYE-002

M. A. (PHILOSOPHY) (MAPY)

Term-End Examination

June, 2024

MPYE-002 : ETHICS

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

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

(ii) *All questions carry equal marks.*

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

1. Elaborate the sources of moral ideals in Indian Ethics. 20

Or

Critically examine A. J. Ayer's Emotivism.

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2. Critically evaluate the conception of Human Rights. Analyse the right to life as a fundamental right. 20

Or

Write an essay on the distinction between values and norms with reference to Prima Facie Duties suggested by W. D. Ross.

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

- (a) Elaborate key features of Buddhist ethical doctrine. 10
- (b) Examine Moore's view on Non-Naturalism. 10
- (c) What is the relevance of Nishkama Karma according to Bhagvadgita ? 10
- (d) Examine the philosophy of International Ethics. 10

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

(a) Examine the ethical relevance of Purushartha. 5

(b) Elaborate on the multi-dimensional aspects of Justice. 5

(c) Discuss MacIntyre's view on Relativity of Virtues. 5

(d) Analyse Natural Rights and Positive Rights. 5

(e) Explain ideal speech situation according to Habermas. 5

(f) Elaborate Kant's conception of 'Goodwill'. 5

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

(a) Durkheim on Religion 4

(b) Moral of Objectivism	4
(c) Utilitarianism	4
(d) Ecological Morality	4
(e) Rights	4
(f) Freedom of Speech	4
(g) Virtue	4