M. Sc. (GEOGRAPHY) (MSCGG)

Term-End Examination June, 2024

MGG-006: ECONOMIC GEOGRAPHY

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 100

Note: (i) Attempt all questions.

(ii) Marks are indicated against each question.

Section—A

- 1. Answer any *five* of the following questions in about **150** words each: $5\times4=20$
 - (i) Write a short note on financial circuits.
 - (ii) Explain any four key aspects of the 'flat world'.
 - (iii) Briefly discuss the concept of 'informal economy' with few examples.

[2] MGG-006

- (iv) Explain the concept of 'global to local' in the context of India.
- (v) Write a short note on global cities.
- (vi) Briefly explain the concept of sustainable development.
- (vii) Briefly write about any *four* key features of global village.

Section—B

- 2. Answer any *five* of the following questions in about **250** words each: $5\times6=30$
 - (i) What is "new economic geography"?
 Discuss in brief any two classes of models in the "new economic geography."
 - (ii) Discuss the empirical applications of Von Thunen's theory.
 - (iii) Explain "agglomeration economies" and any *two* of its major categories.

- (iv) Write a short note on "FIRE Economy and ICE Economy."
- (v) Discuss the *three* relationships between environment and economy.
- (vi) Discuss the benefits and drawbacks of economic integration.
- (vii) Write a note on the exchange of scientific knowledge.

Section-C

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

- 3. Discuss the scope and any *four* recent approaches of Economic Geography. 10
- 4. What is "Mystery of Economic Growth"?

 Discuss any *four* factors contributing to economic growth with examples.
- 5. What are the "Stages of Growth" given by KarlMarx? Explain any four stages in brief.10

- Define "Rural Tourism". Discuss the significance and challenges of rural tourism in India.
- 7. What is "three sector hypothesis"? Write in detail the three sectors of economic activities.10
- 8. Explain the economic groupings by UNO in detail.
- Discuss "Creative industries" and "Cultural economies" in detail. Explain how they are interrelated.