## MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMME IN ENGLISH

### **Term-End Examination**

### December, 2010

# MEG-12: A SURVEY COURSE IN 20<sup>th</sup> CENTURY CANADIAN LITERATURE

Time: 3 hours Maximum Marks: 100

Note: Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

- What concerns dominate Canadian Literature 20 during the 20th century? Discuss.
- 2. Attempt a critical analysis of any one of the following:
  - (a) "The Green Rain".

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- (b) "The Bear on the Delhi Road".
- 3. Bring out anti-Americanism in Surfacing. 20
- The Tin Flute renders an emotional account of the existence of ordinary people of Montreal during the great Depression. Discuss.

- The English Patient aptly describes the fragmented psyche of the protagonist. Discuss.
- 6. Do you agree with the statement that Sara 20 Jeannette Duncan's 'A Mother in India' depicts the feminist perspective? Give reasons for your answer.
- 7. The major social concern in *The Ectasy of Rita Joe* is to depict the plight of the Native Indian who struggles in a society that incites her to rebellion. Discuss.
- Bring out the main features of Smaro Kamboureli's 20
  literary criticism.