

**M.A. IN WOMEN'S AND GENDER STUDIES**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2011**

**MWG-004-F2F : GENDERED BODIES AND  
SEXUALITIES**

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*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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*Note : Answer any five questions. Each question carries equal marks.*

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1. Discuss the relationship between women and work in the context of the labouring body. 20
2. Write an essay on sexualities across cultures taking into account historical changes. 20
3. Critically analyse the concept of commodified body in relation to gender. 20
4. 'Reproductive technologies are liberating for women'. Do you agree or disagree ? Discuss with the help of examples. 20
5. Discuss representations of the gendered body in bio-medicine. Critically analyse them. 20

6. Discuss the relationship between patriarchy, capitalism and the maternal body. Examine the contemporary situation in this regard. 20
  7. What is embodiment ? Discuss it in the content of the performative body. 20
  8. Critically analyse the representation of the body from the perspectives of French feminist psychoanalysis. 20
  9. Discuss the notion of the racialised body from the perspective of family planning policy in developing countries. 20
  10. Discuss the relationship between disability, sexuality and motherhood. 20
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