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**FIRST SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2017**  
(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)  
(CUCSS-PG)

**CC15PHIS1 C03 – SELECTED THEMES IN INDIAN HISTORIOGRAPHY**  
(History)  
(2015 Admission Onwards)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 36 Weightage

**PART – A**

(Short Answer Type)

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 2 weightage.

1. *Tripitakas*.
2. Alberuni.
3. Asiatic Society of Bengal.
4. D D Kosambi.

**(4x2=8 Weightage)**

**PART – B**

(Short Essay Type)

Answer any *five* questions. Each question carries 4 weightage.

5. Make a note on the concept of time in ancient India.
6. Briefly explain the communalist interpretation of Indian history.
7. Explain the concept of Asiatic Mode of Production.
8. Delienate the major ideas created by colonial writers on India's past.
9. Critically examine the Mughal historiography.
10. Discuss the major historical works on Vijayanagara dynasty.
11. Asses the works of nationalist historians.

**(5x4=20 Weightage)**

**PART – C**

(Essay Type)

Answer any *one* question. Each question carries 8 weightage.

12. "D D Kosambi made a paradigm shift in Indian historical studies." Critically foreground the characteristic features Marxist historiography in India.
13. Elucidate the debate on Indian feudalism.

**(1x8=8 Weightage)**

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