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SECOND SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2023

(CBCSS - UG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

CC19U DCHIS2 B02 - TRENDS IN INDIAN HISTORIOGRAPHY

(English & History Double Main - Core Course)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : 2.5 Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Credit : 4

Part A (Short answer questions)

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

1. The idea of Cosmological Time.
2. The concept of Chitta in Buddhism.
3. Dynastic History.
4. Didactic historiography.
5. Tabaqat-i-Akabari.
6. The theory of Aryan race.
7. Great Men Theory.
8. KAN Sastri.
9. Elamkulam Kunjan Pillai.
10. Oriental Despotism.
11. How does a tradition is constituted?
12. Define subaltern historiography.
13. Anil Seal.
14. Joan Scott.
15. Define Environmental history.

(Ceiling: 25 Marks)

Part B (Paragraph questions)

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

16. Bring out the Jain traditions for the reconstruction of Indian history.
17. Sketch briefly about the Ithihasa- Purana traditions.

18. Discuss briefly about K P Jayaswal as a Nationalist historian.
19. Asses the contributions of R C Dutt to Indian historiography.
20. Elucidate the concept of hydraulic society visualised by Karl Wittfogel.
21. Examine the notion of Golden age in ancient India.
22. Review the contributions of D D Kosambi study of Indian history.
23. Asses the concept of Fuedalism developed by R S Sharma.

(Ceiling: 35 Marks)

Part C (Essay questions)

Answer any *two* questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

24. Discuss briefly about the contributions of Al-Biruni.
25. Elucidate the Great Men theory of Vincent Smith.
26. Evaluate the significance of the Asiatic Mode of Production.
27. Discuss briefly about the contributions of Irfan Habib.

(2 × 10 = 20 Marks)
