

2018

M.Phil.

1st Semester Examination

HISTORY

PAPER—HIS-112

Full Marks : 50

Time : 2 Hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.

Answer all questions.

Unit-I

1. How did Barthold Neibuhr raise history from a subordinate position to the dignity of an independent science ? 10

Or

Discuss the major historical works of Henry Thomas Buckle with special mention of his contribution on writing history. 10

(Turn Over)

2. How 'caste' in Bengal has been treated by modern historians ? 10

Or

How has women's issue been introduced in the arena of modern historical writings ? 10

[Internal Assessment : 5 Marks]

Unit-II

3. What are the broad categories of tribal historiography in India. Discuss with examples. 10

Or

How has the notion of identity among the Santhals shifted from the nineteenth to the twentieth centuries in India ? 10

4. How would you analyse tribal livelihood and resistance movements in India ? 10

Or

How far state intervention helped to improve tribal health condition from the colonial to post colonial times. 10

[Internal Assessment : 5 Marks]