

2018

M. Phil.

1st Semester Examination

PHILOSOPHY

PAPER—PHI-111

Full Marks : 40

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 any *two* questions from each unit. 2×10

Unit-I

1. (a) Distinguish between method and methodology.
- (b) Give the definition of research. 6+4

2. (a) What is a review of literature ?
- (b) Explain, in this connection, the process of conducting literature review. 6+4

(Turn Over)

- 3 Explain with example the MLA and APA style of writing bibliography at the time of preparing a dissertation.

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Unit-II

4. Explain the main features of positivism. 10
5. What is feminist research methodology ? How the method of Standpoint Epistemology can help a researcher in exposing the patriarchal bias in our cognitive endeavours ? 4+6
6. Present and critically examine some of the feminist critiques of the social sciences and natural sciences. 10
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