2016

M.Sc.

2nd Semester Examination

ANTHROPOLOGY

PAPER-ANT-201

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 Q. No. 1 and three questions from the rest.

1. Answer any five questions:

- 5×2
- (a) Distinguish between 'Concept' and 'Proposition'.
- (b) Give a definition of the term 'Methodology'.
- (c) Define treatment and control groups.
- (d) Who coined the terms 'emic' and 'etic' and in which year?
- (e) State two features of genealogical method.
- (f) Give a definition of Thick Description'.

- (g) State two merits of cross-cultural comparison.
- (h) What is a focus group discussion?
- 2. Discuss briefly the role of an anthropologist in participant observation. Mention the merits of this method. 8+2
- 3. State the salient features of comparative method in Anthropology with suitable examples.
- 4. Discuss the basic characteristics of fieldwork in Anthropology.
- 5. Define research design and briefly describe the essential steps of a research design.
- Discuss briefly about the Malinowskian style of ethnography.

(Internal Assessment - 10 Marks)