2019

B. A. 1st Semester Examination

LIBRARY AND INFORMATION STUDIES (Honours)

Paper: C 1-T

Philosophy of Librarianship

Full Marks: 60 Time: 3 Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

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

Group-A

1. Answer any ten questions.

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

- (a) What is the difference between 'data' and 'information'?
- (b) Write short notes on 'PMEST'.
- (c) What do you mean by 'librametry'?

- (d) What is universal bibliography?
- (e) Distinguish between Primary and Secondary documents.
- (f) What do you mean by 'meta-documents' as mentioned by Ranganathan?
- (g) Name national libraries in India.
- (h) What are the main objectives of 'Librarianship training'?
- (i) Name two important libraries of medieval period in India with year of establishment.
- (j) What is the purpose of library catalogue?
- (k) Name two important libraries of ancient period outside India with year of establishment.
- (l) In which year the Bodleian library was established?
- (m) What is the name of Librarian king of earlier period.
- (n) In which year the first edition of Dewey Decimal Classification (DDC) was published?
- (o) Who was Sayajirao Gaekward?

2. Answer any four questions.

- $5 \times 4 = 20$
- (a) Briefly describe the Drury's principles of book selection.
- (b) Describe Ranganathan's view about fundamental categories in the subject.
- (c) Give light on the Leibniz's contribution towards

 LIS domain.
- (d) What are the basic differences between traditional library and digital library ?
- (e) Write short note on 'Dewey Decimal Classification'.
- (f) Give an account of Munindra Deb's ideas about library system.
- 3. Answer *any two* questions. $10 \times 2 = 20$
- (a) Enumerate contributions of Harinath Dey and SirThomas Bodley towards development of library system.
- (b) Describe Tagore's conception and perception about library system and service.10

(c) Describe the library system in medieval India.

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(d) Describe the contribution of Dr. S. R. Ranganathan towards the development of LIbrary Science in India.