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National Law University and Judicial Academy, Assam
B.A.,LL.B.(Hons.): II-Year, III-Semester (Academic Year: 2017-18)
Semester End Examination (December, 2017)
Subject Code: 3.1 Economics - I

Time: 2:00 Hrs.

Total Marks: 50

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Read the questions carefully and answer.
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Answer any five questions from the following. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Analyse the relationship between law and economics. What is your opinion regarding the pertinence of the knowledge of economics in your practical life? 7+3=10
2. "The demand curve represents the direction in which quantity demanded moves but not the size of the change." In this context, explain the concept of elasticity of demand in measuring the quantitative change. Also, illustrate the variety of demand curves according to their elasticity. 5+5=10
3. Compare between monopoly equilibrium and equilibrium of a perfectly competitive market. 10
4. Bring out the distinctive features of the four factors of production and mention about their respective factor incomes. 10
5. Define the concept of national income and elaborate on some of its features. Explain some of the related aggregates of national income by citing proper derivations. 5+5=10
6. (a) Explain the reasons behind the occurrence of the problem of 'double counting' while calculating national income. Mention two points of difference between domestic income (NDP_{FC}) and national income (NNP_{FC}). Given any value at market price (MP), how can you convert it to factor cost (FC). 2+2+1=5

(b) Calculate (i) GDP_{MP} (ii) GNP_{MP} (iii) NNP_{MP} (iv) NNP_{FC}
(v) NDP_{MP} (vi) NDP_{FC} from the given data: 5

<u>Particulars</u>	<u>₹ (in crores)</u>
i) GDP_{FC}	25,215
ii) NIT	1,575
iii) Depreciation	1,000
iv) NFIA	40

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Subject Code: 3.2 History - III

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Answer any five questions from the following. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Analyse the events leading up to the outbreak of the First World War in 1919, with a special emphasis on the alliance system.
2. Italy's difficulties in the post War era was exacerbated by poor leadership provided by the political class which led to the political radicalization of a previously politically illiterate mass electorate. This radicalization and aggressive impatience contributed towards the rise of the Fascists under Mussolini. Discuss.
3. Trace the history of Germany under the Weimar Government that paved the way for the type of demagogic politics exemplified by Hitler's rise to power in 1933.
4. Hitler's initial policies based on revisionism found concurrence with Britain and reluctantly with France. It began an era of conciliation and appeasement of Hitler's unilateral rejection of the peace Treaty of Versailles leading to outbreak of the war. Discuss various aspects of the foreign policy of Britain and France that contributed towards Germany's drive to *Lebensraum*.
5. (a) Discuss the reasons behind the failure of the *Kuomintang* that led to the rise of the Chinese Communist Party under *Mao Tse Tung* as an alternative.

(b) The system of racial segregation and its abolition was the result of a long arduous journey undertaken by the community of African-Americans since the end of the Civil War. Discuss.
6. Write short notes on any two of the following:
 - (a) The Canton Trade System
 - (b) The Holocaust
 - (c) The Lateran Treaties
 - (d) Boxer Rebellion

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Subject Code: 3.3 Political Science - III

Time: **2:00 Hrs.**

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Answer any five questions from the following. All questions carry equal marks.

1. While framing foreign policy, the makers of Indian foreign policy take into account various factors considering its socio, economic, political and historical complexities. Write the major determinants, both internal and external, of Indian foreign policy. Expand your answer by discussing the main principles of Indian foreign policy since independence.
5+5=10
2. Terrorism, whose origin can be traced back to the French Revolution, has become a global phenomenon today trammeling the peaceful coexistence among countries. Explain the nature and varied causes of global terrorism in the contemporary times. Substantiate your answer by analyzing the impacts of global terrorism in the global politics today.
5+5=10
3. The ideology of conservatism is zealously opposed to any violent revolution, and it underpins the primacy of continuity and stability in society. Discuss the core ideas of conservative ideology in respect of tradition, change, human imperfection, hierarchy and property. Also write a critical evaluation of conservative ideology.
5+5=10
4. Globalization as an increasing trend of interconnectedness among the people around the world has touched considerable aspects of our lives. Write the notable factors that spiral the trend of globalization in the contemporary times. Further, discuss the negative impacts of globalization, not least in the third world countries.
5+5=10
5. Anarchism as an ideology emphasizes on the intrinsic goodness of human nature and postulates to establish stateless societies. Discuss the core arguments of anarchist ideology in regard to state, human nature, private property, religion and authority. Also,

explain the main drawbacks inherent in anarchist ideology from the practical point of view.

5+5=10

6. Balance of Power as a device is essentially about maintaining a rough equilibrium of power among countries so as to preserve peace and harmony in the world. Explain the techniques of Balance of Power with suitable examples. Also, examine the relevance and redundancy of the Balance of Power in the contemporary global politics.

5+5=10

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Subject Code: 3.4 Sociology - III

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Answer any five questions from the following. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Critically analyze the Subcultural theories of Crime and Deviance with suitable illustrations. Also discuss the three types of subculture as discussed by Cloward and Ohlin.
2. The Probation Officer is the single most important entity that determines the effectiveness of the process of Probation.
In the light of the aforementioned statement, discuss the role of a Probation Officer and highlight some of the skills that should be possessed by a probation Officer.
3. Discuss Talcott Parson's and George Peter Murdock's position on the prevalent sexual division of labor in society. Highlight Ann Oakley's challenge to Murdock's Study with suitable illustrations.
4. Highlight the key propositions of Edwin Sutherland's Differential Association theory of Crime and Deviance.
5. "Labelling is a self-fulfilling prophecy." Discuss this afore-mentioned statement in the light of the appropriate theory of Sociology of Crime and deviance.
6. Write Short Notes on (any two):
 - (a) White collar crime
 - (b) Juvenile Delinquency
 - (c) Marxist Perspective of Crime and Deviance

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Subject Code: 3.5 Law of Contract - I

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Answer any five questions from the following. All questions carry equal marks.

1. "An agreement without consideration is void". Explain with illustrations the aforementioned statement and discuss exceptions; if any, to the above statement. 5+5
2. Describe principles of law relating to unilateral mistake, bilateral mistake, mistake of facts and mistake of law under Indian Contract Act. 10
3. (a) Describe impossibility of performance under Indian Contract Act. 5
(b) Rita Hazarika, a singer contracts with Pintu Baruah, the manager of theater to sing at his theater for two nights (Saturday and Sunday) every week during the month of October and November on payment of Rupees Fifty Thousand per night. On the sixth night, Rita willfully absents herself from the theater and Pintu Baruah in consequence rescinds the contract. On repeated request from Rita, Pintu permits her to perform from the seventh night. Pintu pays the remuneration of five nights and refuses to pay further. Rita claims remuneration from the sixth nights onwards. Rita files a suit in a court of law. Decide citing the principles of law and leading case on the issue. 5
4. (a) Discuss the meaning and basis of quasi-contract by referring the name leading case. 5
(b) A, a tenant of an apartment in Neelachal Housing Colony at Jalukbari, Guwahati was asked to vacate by landlord because of non-payment of house rent for three months. A vacated the apartment and owner adjusted the unpaid house rent from three months advance deposited by him. Later on B entered that apartment as tenant. Electricity Board serves a notice for disconnection of electric supply of the apartment due to failure of payment of six months of electricity dues during the tenancy of A to that apartment and demands payment of dues within three days. B pays electric dues for the last six months and notifies A to reimburse it. A replies that he is a privity to the contact between B and landlord and does not reimburse. A files a suit against B for

reimbursement of the electricity dues paid by him to Electricity Board in the court of the law. Decide the case. 5

5. "In a leading case in England, the doctrine of anticipatory breach of contract had evolved". Discuss the facts and principles of that leading case and its recognition under Indian Contract Act, 1872. 10
6. Two parties have made a contract which one of them had broken. Describe principle of damages and compensation which the other party ought to receive under Indian Contract Act. Refer to decided cases. 10

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Subject Code: 3.6 Jurisprudence - I

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Total Marks: 50

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Question No. 1 is Compulsory. Answer any five questions from the following. All questions carry equal marks.

1. "A state which savagely represses or persecutes sections of its people cannot in my view be regarded as observing the rule of law, even if the transport of the persecuted minority to the concentration camp or the compulsory exposure of female children on the mountainside is the subject of detailed laws duly enacted and scrupulously observed."

In the light of the above view of Tom Bingham, the cases as has been discussed and the arguments put forward by HLA Hart and Lon Fuller, critically examine whether there is a necessary connection between law and morality.

Examine the difference in the idea of legal obligation in the works of HLA Hart and John Austin.

8+2=10

2. Hans Kelsen, while trying to maintain the separation of the descriptive from the prescriptive, maintains that effectiveness is a condition of validity and not validity itself. By examining the ideas of legal validity and efficacy, explain in detail what Kelsen means by the above.

In the light of the various criticisms directed against Kelsen's pure theory of law and his idea of grundnorm explain whether the Supreme Court of Pakistan was right in holding the usurper, Iskandar Mirza, to be effectively in power and hence lawful.

6+4=10

3. "The existing matter will be injurious to us so long as we ignorantly submit to it; but beneficial if we oppose to it a vivid creative energy- obtain the mastery over it by a thorough grounding in history and thus appropriate to ourselves the whole intellectual wealth of preceding generations."

In the Light of the above mentioned statement, critically analyse the reasons behind Savigny's opposition to Codification of Laws of Germany.
Explain in detail the various criticisms directed against the idea of Volkgeist as has been developed by Savigny.

4+6=10

4. Critically analyse the difference between sociological Jurisprudence and Sociology of Law.

With the Help of relevant case laws and illustrations explain in detail the reasons behind the emergence, development and the basic tennets of sociological jurisprudence by contrasting with the shortcomings of the other schools of jurisprudence.

2+8=10

5. With the help of relevant examples, critically examine the difference between laws properly so called and laws improperly so called.

By analysing the definition of law as has been put forward by Austin examine in detail whether the same is capable explaining Bill of Rights or the doctrine of Separation of Power etc. used in modern legal systems for legal limitation of the state.

4+6=10

6. Write Short notes on any two out of three. Each carry five Marks
- i) Individuality of Law
 - ii) Rule of Recognition
 - iii) Jonh Finnis's idea of Common Good

5+5=10
