MODEL QUESTION PAPER  
M.A., Degree Examination  
Third Semester  
Women's Studies  
(Effective from the admitted batch of 2014-15)  
Paper – I: Gender and Environment  
Code: AUWS 301 (Compulsory)  

Time: 3 hours       Maximum: 80 Marks  

Answer All Questions  
All Questions carry equal marks  
5 X 14 = 70 Marks  

1. a) Define sustainable development. What are the factors that maintain sustainability.  
   (or)  
   b) Briefly explain the fundamental components of sustainable development.  

2. a) Discuss the Rio-declaration on environment and development.  
   (or)  
   b) What are the types of Bio-diversity? Discuss the convention of biological diversity.  

3. a) What is global warming? How it impacts on humans and climate.  
   (or)  
   b) Discuss Green House effect.  

4. a) Describe Chipko Movement and discuss the role of women.  
   (or)  
   b) Discuss Narmada Movement.  

5. a) Briefly explain the impact of environmental effects on women.  
   (or)  
   b) Explain the role of women in natural resource management  

6. Write short notes on any Two:  
   2 X 5 = 10 Marks  
   a. Economy and Environment  
   b. Eco system diversity  
   c. Air pollution  
   d. Bhopal gas tragedy  
   e. The Environment (protection) Act 1986
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Paper – II: Gender and Mass Communications
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1. a) What are the mediated images of women in Indian context?
(or)
   b) What kind of place modern women has in the film and music industry?

2. a) Explain structuralist paradigm with examples.
(or)
   b) Discuss post structuralism and feminist communication theories.

3. a) Explain the role of communication in women empowerment
(or)
   b) Analyze the participation of NGO’s in development of women.

4. a) Discuss the effectiveness of Indecent Representation of Women (Prohibition) Act.
(or)
   b) Evaluate the portrayal of women in Indian Soap Opera.

5. a) Elaborate the Feminist Communication Methodology.
(or)
   b) Explain Post Structuralism discourse analysis with examples?

6. Write short notes on any two
   a. Women in advertisements.
   b. Stand point theory
   c. Pornography
   d. Feminist Writings
   e. Conversation analysis

2 X 5 = 10 Marks
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Paper – III: Women: Legal Rights and Human Rights
Code: AUWS 303 (Compulsory)

Time: 3 hours       Maximum: 80 Marks

Answer All Questions
All Questions carry equal marks 5 X 14 = 70 Marks

1. a) Briefly explain the constitutional provisions for women relating to fundamental rights.
   (Or)
   b) Write a brief note on fundamental duties towards women.

2. a) Critically examine the Hindu Marriage Act of 1955.
   (Or)
   b) Briefly explain domestic violence (Prohibition) Act 2005.

3. a) Write a brief note on immoral traffic prevention (Amendment) Act 1956.
   (Or)

   (Or)
   b) Discuss the factories Act 1948 and write some of the provisions made under the factories act.

5. a) Define human rights and briefly explain the evolution of the principles of human rights in India.
   (Or)
   b) Discuss the contemporary feminist responses to the human rights.

6. Answer any two 2 X 5 = 10 Marks
   b. Family Courts Act 1984
   c. Dowry Prohibition (Amendment) Act 1986
   d. Maternity Benefit Act 1961
   e. Women’ rights vs human rights
1. a) Give an account of significance of National Family Health Survey in providing authentic data.
   (or)
   b) Explain various methods involved in collecting primary data.

2. a) Differentiate Probability and Non-Probability Sampling methods involved in Social Science research.
   (or)
   b) Write an essay on cluster sampling and quota sampling methods of research.

3. a) Describe the role of measures of Central tendency in a Social Science Research.
   (or)
   b) Explain the role of scaling techniques in data processing of a research project.

4. a) Give an account of survey method.
   (or)
   b) What is Action Research Method - Explain

5. a) Give an account of Feminist Epistemology.
   (or)
   b) Explain Gender Empowerment Measure (GEM) and the Status of India in GEM.

6. Write short notes on any two
   a. Give an account of RCH
   b. Explain about stratified random sampling
   c. Role of Graphic presentation in a research
   d. Hypothesis - Explain
   e. Gender in Social Science Research
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Paper – V: D.T.P. & Web Designing
Code: AUWS 305 (Compulsory)

Time: 2 hours       Maximum: 50 Marks

Answer All Questions
All Questions carry equal marks       5 X 7 = 35 Marks

1. a) How to create Visiting Cards?
     (or)
     b) Explain about Control pallet.

2. a) Use of Coral Draw. Explain advanced tools.
     (or)
     b) Explain Multi Colour, Photo Effect & 2d drawing?

3. a) Explain Photoshop tool bar.
     (or)
     b) Explain about Filters.

4. a) What is Flash? Explain 2d Animation & Webpage Animation.
     (or)
     b) Explain Basic Animation Script, Animates Text, Animates logos?

5. a) Use of Dream weaver. Explain Page Setup?
     (or)
     b) What is Web hosting & links?

6. Write short notes on any three:       3 X 5 = 15 Marks
   a. Explain Page maker toolbar.
   b. Explain rubber Stamp Designing in Coral Draw?
   c. Uses of Feather.
   d. Use of Blending Properties.
   e. How to create webpage designing?