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M.Phil. DEGREE EXAMINATION-JUNE 2006.

First Year

History

HISTORIOGRAPHY AND RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

Time: 3 hours

Maximum marks: 75

PART A — $(3 \times 5 = 15 \text{ marks})$

Answer any THREE of the following in not exceeding 1 page each.

- 1. J.B. Bury.
- 2. Livy.
- 3. Jacques Derrida.
- 4. Dialectic Materialism.
- 5. Bibliography.

PART B —
$$(4 \times 15 = 60 \text{ marks})$$

Answer any FOUR of the following in essay form.

- 6. "History is a Science, no less no more" Discuss.
- 7. Trace the development of history-writing in ancient Greece.

- 8. Assess the role of theology in medieval European Historiography.
- 9. Trace the impact of Cartesianism on historical research.
- 10. Describe the meaning, Scope and Nature of Subaltern Studies.
- 11. Explain the Marxian approach to Indian History with reference to D.D. Kosambi.
- 12. Mention the various stages in the process of History writing.