

KANYASHREE UNIVERSITY

M.A. 1st SEMESTER EXAMINATION 2022

Subject- History

Course- CC-1

Indian Historiography: Ideas & Approaches

Full Marks- 40

Time- 2.00 Hours

Group- A

[Answer **any four** questions]

(4x5=20 marks)

1. Write a short note about the different stages of historical writing.
2. Why is local and oral history so important in writing history?
3. How do you describe early medieval Indian historiography?
4. How do you compare local history to national history?
5. What are the limitations of subaltern historiography?
6. What is the main contribution of DD Kosambi to Indian historiography?
7. What is the historical significance of Kalhana's "*Rajatarangini*"?

Group- B

[Answer **any two** questions]

(2x10=20 marks)

8. Explain the relationship between history and other social sciences.
 9. Was there feudalism in Indian history? Please explain your viewpoint.
 10. How did nationalist historians react to the colonialist interpretation of ancient Indian history?
 11. Was the partition of India in 1947 inevitable? Please explain your viewpoints.
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