

# KANYASHREE UNIVERSITY

M.A. 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester Examination-2023

Subject: History

Course- DSE

Western Political Thought

Full Marks-40

Time-2.00 Hours

## GROUP - A

(Answer **any four** of the following)

(5×4=20)

1. Write a short note on the relationship between Renaissance and Humanism.
2. Explain the influence of John Calvin's doctrine in Europe.
3. Evaluate Grotius' view of international law.
4. What was Thomas Hobbes's 'social contract theory' in relation to the origin of the state?
5. Discuss the greatest happiness principle of classic utilitarianism.
6. Elucidate Rousseau's political philosophy.
7. Explain the theory of Marxian socialism.

## GROUP – B

(Answer **any two** of the following)

(10×2=20)

1. Discuss the main features of Machiavelli's political thought.
2. How Hegel relates history with his philosophy of state?
3. Discuss the context of religious conflict in France in the sixteenth century.
4. Write an essay on political philosophy of Montesquieu.

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