



MBV-001-018303

Seat No. _____

M. A. (English) (Sem. III) (CBCS) Examination

December – 2016

CCT-09 Comparative Literature

Faculty Code : 001

Subject Code : 018303

Time : $2\frac{1}{2}$ Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

- Instructions :** (1) Read the questions and the options carefully and attempt by clearly indicating the option of your choice.
- (2) Numerals against each question indicate marks.

1 Attempt any **one** of the following in about 1000 words : **14**

- (a) 'Comparative Literature is an overall view of literature, a humanistic ecology, a vision of cultural universe, inclusive and comprehensive'. Explicate this view of Francois Jost and write an essay on the nature of Comparative Literature.
- (b) Write an essay on the development of the American School of Comparative Literature and its contribution to the study.

2 Attempt any **one** of the following in about 1000 words : **14**

- (a) 'Literary History is a great genre, which draws together data, perspectives, interpretations, and findings of various separate studies and transforms them into a coherent narrative synthesis'. Write an essay on the 'Period Study' in Comparative Literature in the light of the given statement.
- (b) Write an essay on 'Influence Study' in Comparative Literature with an elaborate example.

- 3** Attempt any **one** of the following in about 1000 words : **14**
- (a) What is thematological study? Explain with example.
 - (b) Discuss what is 'Descriptive Study' under the discipline of the 'Translation Study'.
- 4** Attempt any **one** of the following in about 1000 words : **14**
- (a) We spend far too much of our energy talking about Comparative Literature and not enough of it comparing the literature. Critically examine this view of Harry Levin and discuss the future of Comparative Literature.
 - (b) Discuss with one example how an interface between literature and painting can be brought into Comparative Literature.
- 5** Write short notes on an **two** in about 500 words : **14**
- (a) National Literature
 - (b) Stoff
 - (c) Literary Translation
 - (d) 'Process'
-