

NBW-001-018405 Seat No. _____

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

April / May - 2017

ECT - 05 : Literary Theory (Post - Structuralism Onwards)

Faculty Code : 001 Subject Code : 018405

Time: $2\frac{1}{2}$ Hours] [Total Marks: 70]

Instructions: (1) All five questions below are to be attempted reading instructions against each carefully.

- (2) Numerals on the right indicate marks.
- Write an essay on any **one** of the following in about 14 1000 words:
 - (a) Derrida's and Paul de Man's central concerns
 - (b) Eco-criticism
- 2 Attempt an essay in about 1000 words on any **one** of the 14 following:
 - (a) Feminism as theorised by Showalter
 - (b) The connection Lacan draws between the unconscious and language
- 3 Attempt an essay in about 1000 words on any **one** of the 14 following:
 - (a) Orientalism as a counter-discourse to Occidentalism
 - (b) The salient features of Readers' Response Theory
- Write an essay on any **one** of the following in about 1000 words:
 - (a) Social energy and its circulation as elaborated by Greenblatt
 - (b) Foucault's thesis on sexuality as a discourse

- 5 Write an answer on any two of the following in about 14 500 words:
 - (a) Phenomenological criticism
 - (b) Cultural Studies
 - (c) Any two theoretical terms made famous by Homi Bhabha
 - (d) Racial significance of 'Talking Black'