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### M. A. (Sem. IV) (CBCS) (WEF-2016) Examination

April - 2022

# English

## **Literary Theory**

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

**Instruction :** All questions carry equal marks.

1 Enlist and explain the characteristics of the art of storytelling according to Walter Benjamin.

#### OR

- 1 Explain in detail the term "Author Function' with reference to Michel Foucault's essay "What is an Author".
- 2 State the Origin and History of Orientatlism with reference to 14 Edward Said's essay "Crisis (in Orientalism)".

### **OR**

- 2 Elaborately discuss Fredric Jameson's four general positions on 14 post-modernism.
- 3 How does Terry Eagleton contrast Modernism and Postmodernism? 14 Discuss in detail.

### **OR**

What does Stephen Greenblatt say about the Circulation of Social Energy during the Renaissance? Explain elaborately.

4 Describe the process of Reading in detail under the Phenomenological Approach.

### OR

- 4 Critically appreciate Stanley Fish's essay "Interpreting the Variorum". 14
- 5 Write short notes on the following: (any two) 14
  - (1) Concept of the Term 'Author' according to Michel Foucault
  - (2) Occidentalism
  - (3) Post-modern Aesthetics
  - (4) Phenomenology.

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