# BA / BSc / BCOM DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - NOVEMBER 2024 UGP (HONS.) SEMESTER - 1: DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC COURSE (HISTORY) COURSE: 24UHISDSC101: INTRODUCING HISTORY

Name.....

(For Regular 2024 Admission)

Time: 2 Hours

Max. Marks: 70

 $(2 \times 4 = 8)$ 

## PART A

# Answer any four of the following questions

- 1. Define the term History.
- 2. Fernand Braudel.
- 3. Herodotus.
- 4. Social Scientific Thinking.
- 5. Digital History.
- 6. Historical Re-enactment.

#### PART B

# Answer any four of the following questions (Short Essay)

- 7. What does Objectivity means in the context of Historical studies.
- 8. Explain how does Marc Bloch's definition of history challenges the traditional approaches to historical research.
- 9. Summarize the central themes and arguments presented by K. N. Panikkar in *Kalushithamaya Kalam*.
- 10. Explain the key reasons why studying history is considered important in understanding the present and shaping the future.
- 11. Discuss the roles of imagination and critical thinking in historical analysis. How do these cognitive processes help historians in interpreting sources and constructing historical narratives?
- 12. Develop a comprehensive study on a historical event on your choice. (8 x 4 = 32)

## PART C

## Answer any two of the following questions (Long Essay)

- 13. Analyse how interdisciplinary approaches can be applied in Historical studies.
- 14. Evaluate the impact of technological advancements on the study and understanding of history.
- 15. 'Thapar's analysis challenges conventional historical interpretations of ancient India.' Justify on the basis of your reading of *Past and Prejudice*.
- 16. Analyse the significance of Memory museum how it helps to understand the importance of preserving personal or collective memories. (15 x 2 = 30)