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MASTER'S DEGREE (C.S.S) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024 2020, 2021, 2022 ADMISSIONS SUPPLEMENTARY SEMESTER III - CORE COURSE SOCIOLOGY SO3C11TM20 - Post Structural and Postmodern Theories

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Weight: 30

Part A

I. Answer any Eight questions. Each question carries 1 weight

(8x1=8)

- 1. Define Integrated approach.
- 2. Define discourses.
- 3. Define Deconstruction.
- 4. Briefly mention Foucault's views on surveillance.
- 5. Define Disembedding.
- 6. According to Giddens, what is the role of agency in social life?
- 7. What does Bourdieu mean by symbolic violence? Explain with an example.
- 8. How does Bourdieu understand the concept of 'practise'?
- 9. Explain the concept of liquid modernity.
- 10. Define consumer society.

Part B

II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 2 weight

(6x2=12)

- 11. Why integrated approach is necessary in sociology? Explain.
- 12. Diffrentiate between the objective aspects and the subjective aspects in integrated sociology.
- 13. Trace the intellectual roots of structuralism in sociology.
- 14. Evaluate discourses related with sexuality.
- 15. Critically analyze the contributions of Anthony Giddens on Modernity.
- 16. Explain the concept reflexive modernity.
- 17. Explain how Ulrich Beck connects modernity with risk.
- 18. Contributions of Ulrich Beck on modernity.

Part C

III. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 5 weight

(2x5=10)

- 19. Discuss the significance of multi-dimensional sociology.
- 20. Evaluate the contributions of Michel Foucault to social theory.
- 21. Examine the concept 'capital' from the perspective of gender in Kerala society.
- 22. Explain the major contributions of Ulrich Beck on modernity.

