P. G. Diploma/M. A. IN WOMEN'S AND GENDER STUDIES (PGDWGS/MAWGS)

Term-End Examination

December, 2024

MWG-102: GENDER AND POWER

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 100

Note: Answer any four questions. All questions carry equal marks.

- Explain what is understood by public and private dichotomy. Analyse this dichotomy in relation to women by giving suitable examples from different spheres of life.
- Explain the types of masculinities with the help of examples. Also describe the emerging debates on masculinity.
- Discuss patriarchy in a historical context. Also, locate 'patriarchy' and women in the Indian context by giving suitable examples.

- 4. Define citizenship. Write a feminist critique of citizenship.
- Explain the reasons for exclusion of women's work in mainstream definitions of work.
 Describe the recent developments with respect to women's work in India.
- 6. Explain the notion of power as discussed in your study material. Critically analyse the position of women and people of other marginalised genders in the power dynamics of a patriarchal society.
- 7. Write short notes on any *five* of the following:

 $5 \times 5 = 25$

- (a) Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005
- (b) Feminist law in pedagogy
- (c) Politics of personal laws
- (d) Dual system theory
- (e) Nationalism
- (f) Mary Wollstonecraft