(For candidates admitted from 2016-2017 onwards)

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022.

History

HISTORIOGRAPHY

Time: Three hours

Maximum: 75 marks

SECTION A —  $(10 \times 2 = 20)$ 

Answer ALL questions.

- 1. What is the meaning of history?
- 2. Who is the father of scientific history?
- 3. Who is the author of the idea of history?
- 4. Who founded the Rationalist School?
- 5. Name the famous work of James Mill.
- 6. Write any two works of V.A. Smith.
- 7. Who is the author of "the making of the English Working Class"?
- 8. Who was Robert William Fogel?

- 9. What is Hueristics?
- 10. Write two sentences on external criticism.

SECTION B — 
$$(5 \times 5 = 25)$$

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b)

11. (a) Write a short note on the nature of the history.

Or

- (b) Give an account of the uses of history.
- 12. (a) Identify the characteristics of Greek historiography.

Or

- (b) Write a note on theological interpretation to historiography.
- 13. (a) Estimate the contributions of James Mill to historiography.

Or

- (b) Give an account of K.K.Pillai.
- 14. (a) Write a short note on E.P. Thomson.

Or

(b) Point out the contributions of Ranajit Guha to historiography.

15. (a) Give an account of the selection of Topic.

Or

(b) Write a note on Bibliography.

SECTION C — 
$$(3 \times 10 = 30)$$

Answer any THREE questions.

- 16. Describe about the history and allied disciplines.
- 17. Write an essay about the scientific interpretation to historiography.
- 18. Elucidate the contributions of K.A. Nilakanta Sastri to historiography.
- 19. Assess the contributions of D.D. Kosambi to the Indian historiography.
- 20. Explain the different stages in writing a thesis.