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# ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 2012

M.Phil./Ph.D.

CANADIAN, US AND LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES

[ Field of Study Code: CANP (101)/USSP (102)/LAMP (103) ]

Time Allowed: 3 hours

Maximum Marks: 70

# CANADIAN STUDIES

[ Field of Study Code : CANP (101) ]

Attempt any two questions from each Section

In all, attempt only four questions

All questions carry equal marks

#### SECTION-A

- 1. Write an essay on Canada's role in the reconstruction of Afghanistan.
- 2. Discuss the powers and functions of the Governor-General in Canada.
- Make an analysis of Parliamentary Elections, 2011 in Canada.
- 4. Examine Canada's immigration policy with respect to India.
- 5. Describe and discuss the role of Canada in the United Nations peace-keeping missions.
- 6. Write short notes on any two of the following:
  - (a) Canadian Arctic
  - (b) Ottowa Process
  - (c) Prime Minister Stephen Harper
  - (d) Meech Lake Accord
  - (e) Quebec's role in foreign policy-making

### SECTION-B

- 7. Evaluate the working of Indian federalism.
- 8. Discuss the promise and prospects of 'Arab Spring'.
- 9. Describe and discuss the politicization of the caste system in India.
- Highlight the importance and place of the Quit India Movement in India's Freedom Movement.
- 11. Write short notes on any two of the following:
  - (a) Concept of Human Security
  - (b) Unique Identification Authority of India
  - (c) Coalition Politics in India
  - (d) Concept of Gender Equality
  - (e) Nuclear Non-proliferation

# US STUDIES

[ Field of Study Code : USSP (102) ]

Attempt Question No. 1 which is compulsory and four other questions, taking at least one from each Section

In all, attempt a total number of five questions

Question No. 1 carries 10 marks and the rest carry 15 marks each

- 1. Write short notes on any two of the following:
  - (a) Af-Pak Strategy
  - (b) Cooperative Federalism
  - (c) US Perspectives on Kashmir Issue
  - (d) US Military Assistance of Pakistan
  - (e) Filibustering

#### SECTION-A

- 2. Examine the basic features of the US Constitution.
- 3. Analyze the role of public opinion in the US domestic politics.
- **4.** Describe the powers and influence of the US President in the conduct of the country's foreign relations.
- 5. How is an American President elected? Discuss.

#### SECTION—B

- 6. Critically discuss the external sources of the US foreign policy.
- 7. Discuss the areas of convergences and divergences in the US-China relations.
- 8. Analyze Obama's administration's approach towards India.
- 9. Discuss the US policy towards Iranian nuclear programme.
- 10. Analyze the growing mistrust between the US and Pakistan.

# LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES

[ Field of Study Code : LAMP (103) ]

Attempt Question No. 1 which is compulsory and three other questions, taking at least one from each Section

In all, attempt only four questions

Question No. 1 carries 25 marks. All other questions carry 15 marks each

Attach the map along with your answer-script

- 1. (a) Locate the following in the accompanying Outline Map of Latin America:

  (5 marks)
  - (i) Straits of Magellan
  - (ii) Amazon River
  - (iii) Rio de la Plata
  - (iv) Montevideo
  - (v) Belize

- (b) Identify and briefly describe the following in about 50 words each:
  (10 marks)
  - (i) Kamla Persad Bissessar
  - (ii) Gabriel Garcia Marquez
  - (iii) Lionel Messi
  - (iv) Octavio Paz
  - (υ) 'Lula'
- (c) Write a short commentary of about 300 words on a book or a research article that you have read about Latin America or the Caribbean. (Identify the author and the title of the book/research article and the journal). (10 marks)

#### SECTION-A

- 2. Discuss the economic growth in Latin America and its prospects for Latin America-Asia relations.
- 3. Identify and analyze the major environmental issues and assets in Latin America.
- 4. Explain how Latin America's resource endowments have impacted on its economy.
- **5.** What are the major factors (external and internal) that have influenced foreign policies of major Latin American countries?
- **6.** Write short notes on any two of the following:
  - (a) Rio 2016
  - (b) Simon Bolivar
  - (c) Panama Canal
  - (d) Chilean Earthquake, 2010
  - (e) Mercosur

#### SECTION—B

- 7. The United Nations system needs to be reformed. Elaborate.
- 8. Describe the concept of secularism and discuss the challenges facing secular polity of India.
- **9.** Discuss the importance of planning in India's economic development and briefly describe the achievements of the Eleventh Five-Year Plan.
- 10. Highlight the importance and place of the Quit India Movement in India's Freedom Movement.
- 11. Write short notes on any two of the following:
  - (a) Sachar Committee Report
  - (b) Unique Identification Authority of India
  - (c) Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina Wajid of Bangladesh
  - (d) Concept of Gender Equality

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