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Entrance Test for M.Phil./Ph.D. (International Relations), 2014

[PROGRAMME CODE : PIR]

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CANDIDATES

Candidates must carefully read the following instructions before attempting the Question Paper :

- (i) Write your Name, Roll Number and Centre Name in the space provided for the purpose on the top of this Question Paper and in the OMR/Answer Sheet.
- (ii) This Question Paper has Three Parts : Part—A, Part—B and Part—C.
- (iii) Part—A has 25 questions (Objective-type) of **1** mark each. All questions are compulsory.
- (iv) Part—B has 25 questions (Objective-type) of **1** mark each. All questions are compulsory.
- (v) Part—C has 8 questions (Essay-type) out of which, only **two** should be answered. Each question carries **25** marks.
- (vi) **Please darken the appropriate Circle of 'Question Paper Series Code' and 'Programme Code' on the OMR/Answer Sheet in the space provided.**
- (vii) Part—A and Part—B (Multiple-choice) questions should be answered on OMR/Answer Sheet, and 'Essay-type' answers for Part—C should be written in the Answer Book.
- (viii) Answers written by the candidates inside the Question Paper will **NOT** be evaluated.
- (ix) Calculators and Log Tables may be used. Mobile Phones are **NOT** allowed.
- (x) Pages at the end have been provided for Rough Work.
- (xi) **Return the Question Paper and the OMR/Answer Sheet** to the Invigilator at the end of the Entrance Test.
- (xii) **DO NOT FOLD THE OMR/ANSWER SHEET.**

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Example :

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Write Question Paper Series Code A or B and darken appropriate circle.

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- Use only Blue/Black Ballpoint Pen to darken the Circle. Do not use Pencil to darken the Circle for Final Answer.
- Please darken the whole Circle. ●
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- Once marked, no change in the answer is allowed.
- Please do not make any stray marks on the OMR Sheet.
- Please do not do any rough work on the OMR Sheet.
- Mark your answer only in the appropriate circle against the number corresponding to the question.
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Example :

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PART—A

1. Who is the author of *How to Get Filthy Rich in Rising Asia*?
 - (a) Mohsin Hamid
 - (b) Karen Roberts
 - (c) Anita Desai
 - (d) Fareed Zakaria

2. Who among the following has recently published a book titled, *1971 : A Global History of the Creation of Bangladesh*?
 - (a) Srinath Raghavan
 - (b) Rohan Gunaratna
 - (c) Ahmed Rashid
 - (d) Gary J. Bass

3. In which city did Sheikh Mujibur Rahman outline his Six Points?
 - (a) Dhaka
 - (b) Karachi
 - (c) Lahore
 - (d) Chittagong

4. Which one of the following is not correctly matched?
 - (a) Daily Cheragh : Afghanistan
 - (b) Daily Mirror : Sri Lanka
 - (c) Dawn : Pakistan
 - (d) Nagarik Daily : Bangladesh

5. The chairmanship/presidency of the UN Security Council rotates among the council members
 - (a) every 6 months
 - (b) every 3 months
 - (c) every year
 - (d) every month

6. The permanent secretariat to coordinate the implementation of SAARC programme is located at
- (a) Dhaka
 - (b) New Delhi
 - (c) Colombo
 - (d) Kathmandu
7. The international township built near Puducherry in India in collaboration with UNESCO is called
- (a) Elbaville
 - (b) Auroville
 - (c) Gayaville
 - (d) Broadway
8. When was SAARC founded?
- (a) 1982
 - (b) 1984
 - (c) 1985
 - (d) 1983
9. India was elected as a President of General Assembly of the United Nations in 1953. Who occupied this office on behalf of India?
- (a) S. Radhakrishnan
 - (b) Gopalswamy Iyyengar
 - (c) V. K. Krishna Menon
 - (d) Vijaya Lakshmi Pandit
10. Kazi Nazrul Islam, a Bengali poet and national poet of Bangladesh is associated with which music tradition?
- (a) Nazrul Geeti
 - (b) Baul
 - (c) Adhunik Geeti
 - (d) Bhandari

11. In which of the following South Asian countries would I not use a Rupee or Rufiyaa as currency?
- (a) India
 - (b) Sri Lanka
 - (c) Bangladesh
 - (d) Nepal
12. Which one of the following countries is landlocked and one of the most sparsely populated in South Asia?
- (a) Bhutan
 - (b) Nepal
 - (c) Sri Lanka
 - (d) Maldives
13. Which one of the following South Asian countries is the smallest in size?
- (a) Maldives
 - (b) Nepal
 - (c) Sri Lanka
 - (d) Bangladesh
14. Where is the SAARC Coastal Zone Management Centre (SCZMC) located?
- (a) Bangladesh
 - (b) Maldives
 - (c) Sri Lanka
 - (d) India
15. Which South Asian leader of the 20th Century is also referred to as Fakhr-e-Afghan and Frontier Gandhi?
- (a) Abul Kalam
 - (b) Khan Abdul Ghaffar Khan
 - (c) Liaquat Ali Khan
 - (d) Khan Abdul Ali Khan

16. Which UNESCO world heritage site is the focus of Amitav Ghosh's *The Hungry Tide*?
- (a) Western Ghats
 - (b) Sinharaja
 - (c) Sunderbans
 - (d) Chitwan
17. Which of the following countries is not a part of the Kailash Sacred Landscape Conservation Initiative?
- (a) China
 - (b) India
 - (c) Nepal
 - (d) Bhutan
18. Who is the founder of the well-known Pakistani band 'Junoon'?
- (a) Ali Zafar
 - (b) Shafqat Amanat Ali
 - (c) Salman Ahmad
 - (d) Bilal Maqsood
19. Which of the current SAARC countries was one of the founding members of the United Nations?
- (a) Afghanistan
 - (b) India
 - (c) Pakistan
 - (d) Sri Lanka
20. Which South Asian feminist scholar is the author of *Feminism and Nationalism in the Third World*?
- (a) Kumari Jayawardena
 - (b) Naila Kabeer
 - (c) Nivedita Menon
 - (d) Rubina Saigol

21. In which month is the SAARC Charter Day celebrated?
- (a) November
 - (b) December
 - (c) January
 - (d) February
22. Who was elected the first President of Nepal following the Constituent Assembly elections held in 2008?
- (a) Baburam Bhattarai
 - (b) Girija Prasad Koirala
 - (c) Pushpa Kamal Dahal
 - (d) Ram Baran Yadav
23. What is the national language of Bhutan?
- (a) Dzongkha
 - (b) Khengka
 - (c) Lhotshamka
 - (d) Tshanglakha
24. The Naghlu dam and proposed hydropower project are located in which of the following countries?
- (a) Bhutan
 - (b) Afghanistan
 - (c) Pakistan
 - (d) Sri Lanka
25. The book *Muslim Zion : Pakistan as a Political Idea* is written by
- (a) Mohammed Hanif
 - (b) Pervez Hoodbhoy
 - (c) Zia Mian
 - (d) Faisal Devji

PART—B

- 26.** Who was the architect of the 'New Deal'?
- (a) Clement Attlee
 - (b) Ernest Bevin
 - (c) Franklin Delano Roosevelt
 - (d) Mao Tse Tung
- 27.** The invasion of which country by Germany in 1939 led Britain and France to declare war on it?
- (a) Czechoslovakia
 - (b) Poland
 - (c) Finland
 - (d) Serbia
- 28.** The 1973 War between Israel on one side and Syria and Egypt on the other is referred to as the
- (a) Six-day War
 - (b) Ramadan War
 - (c) Phantom War
 - (d) Football War
- 29.** Classical realism is also referred to as
- (a) traditional realism
 - (b) human nature realism
 - (c) pragmatism
 - (d) structural realism

30. The Risorgimento resulted in
- (a) the unification of Italy
 - (b) the establishment of Benito Mussolini's rule in Italy
 - (c) the German-Italian security agreement during the inter-War period
 - (d) the Crimean War
31. Which two countries are technically still at war as they have not signed a peace treaty?
- (a) North Korea and South Korea
 - (b) Finland and Russia
 - (c) Vietnam and Cambodia
 - (d) India and Pakistan
32. The term 'vertical proliferation' refers to
- (a) the phenomenon where states already possess nuclear weapons but are increasing their stockpiles of such weapons
 - (b) the phenomenon where states that do not have nuclear weapons but are acquiring nuclear weapons
 - (c) the voluntary surrender of nuclear weapons by states
 - (d) None of the above
33. The phenomenon where a country launches an attack based on what it considers clear evidence that an enemy attack is imminent, is termed as
- (a) diversionary war
 - (b) pre-emptive war
 - (c) preventive war
 - (d) scapegoat war

34. The 1955 Asian-African Conference was held in
- (a) Ceylon
 - (b) Indonesia
 - (c) Burma
 - (d) India
35. Who is the author of *The Logic of Scientific Discovery*?
- (a) Karl Popper
 - (b) Imre Lakatos
 - (c) Paul Feyerabend
 - (d) David Hume
36. Erstwhile Indo-China was constituted by present-day
- (a) Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos
 - (b) Vietnam, Thailand, Laos
 - (c) Thailand, Cambodia, Vietnam
 - (d) Thailand, Philippines, Vietnam
37. Which of the following countries was formerly known as 'Formosa'?
- (a) Philippines
 - (b) Taiwan
 - (c) Lebanon
 - (d) Liberia

38. The Rome Statute led to
- (a) the creation of the International Criminal Court
 - (b) the establishment of Landmine Treaty
 - (c) the participation of Italy in international peacekeeping missions
 - (d) the practice of humanitarian interventions
39. Which among the following countries does not have a standing military?
- (a) Fiji
 - (b) Costa Rica
 - (c) Switzerland
 - (d) Sweden
40. Who is the author of *A Case of Exploding Mangoes*?
- (a) Mohammed Hanif
 - (b) Samantha Power
 - (c) Steve Coll
 - (d) Fareed Zakaria
41. The present round of negotiations of the WTO is referred to as the
- (a) Doha Round
 - (b) Uruguay Round
 - (c) Post-Washington Round
 - (d) None of the above

42. Robert Cox, a prominent scholar of international relations, started his career working at
- (a) the International Labour Organization (ILO)
 - (b) the UN Secretariat
 - (c) the Nuremberg Trials
 - (d) the Hague
43. The formulation 'I think, therefore I am' is associated with which thinker?
- (a) Rene Descartes
 - (b) Plato
 - (c) J. S. Mill
 - (d) Friedrich Nietzsche
44. The 'Uniting for Peace' Resolution was introduced in the UN in the context of the
- (a) Congo Crisis
 - (b) Korean War
 - (c) Cuban Missile Crisis
 - (d) Vietnam War
45. Aime Cesaire was a prominent member
- (a) of the Negritude Movement
 - (b) in the fight against apartheid
 - (c) of the Civil Rights Movement in the USA
 - (d) None of the above
46. Which prominent international relations scholar argued in 2012 that 'Iran should get the (nuclear) bomb'?
- (a) Vali Nasr
 - (b) Mahmood Mamdani
 - (c) Kenneth Waltz
 - (d) Stefano Guzzini

47. The idea of 'embedded liberalism' can be traced to
- (a) Adam Smith
 - (b) Friedrich Hayek
 - (c) Karl Polanyi
 - (d) David Mitrany
48. The headquarter of the African Union is located in
- (a) Cape Town
 - (b) Kampala
 - (c) Addis Ababa
 - (d) Johannesburg
49. Which scholar has argued that sovereignty is nothing but 'organized hypocrisy'?
- (a) Noam Chomsky
 - (b) Stephen Krasner
 - (c) Ashis Nandy
 - (d) Hans Morgenthau
50. The notion of 'incommensurability' is linked to the thinking of
- (a) Thomas Kuhn
 - (b) Richard Cobden
 - (c) Adam Smith
 - (d) Robert Jervis

PART—C

Answer any 2 (two) questions. Each question carries 25 marks

1. Which theoretical approach do you think best explains the international relations of the South Asian region? Clearly specify the tenets of the approach and instances that justify your argument. Please ensure that you comprehensively justify your choice.
2. Do you think that the end of the Cold War has changed the nature and dynamics of international relations? Provide a well-argued answer that engages with important ideas and concepts in international relations or social science in general.
3. The state is increasingly losing its salience and standing in international relations. Do you agree with this proposition? Provide a comprehensive answer that goes beyond empirical claims.
4. The relationship between war and morality has been an area of interest to many international relations scholars. What is your view on this relationship? Write an answer that comprehensively examines the relationship.
5. What are the varied meanings of the term 'theory' in the context of international relations as a discipline? What, according to you, ought to be the role of theory?
6. In the context of international relations, do you believe that history has a tendency to repeat itself? Write an answer that takes a clear stand on this issue.
7. How has international relations as a discipline been influenced by insights from other disciplines? Write an answer that clearly points out such influences and how they have added to our understanding of concepts and processes in the discipline.
8. Which level of analysis would best capture the international relations of South Asia? Why? Elaborate.

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