

BACHELOR OF ARTS EXAMINATION 2018 (old)
Second Year Third Semester
ENGLISH
The American Novel

Time: 2 hours

Full marks: 30

Answer any three questions. All questions carry equal marks

1. Discuss the character of Hawkeye in *The Last of the Mohicans* as a character who combines the qualities of the two racial communities depicted.
2. Write an essay on the role of Ishmael as the narrator in *Moby Dick*.
3. Discuss the historical importance of *Uncle Tom's Cabin*.
4. Discuss *Adventures of Huckleberry Finn* as a social satire.
5. What role do the bullfight sequences play in Hemingway's *The Sun Also Rises*?
6. Write an essay on the title *The Great Gatsby*.
7. "On the Road is a book of broken dreams and failed plans." Do you agree? Explain.
8. Discuss with specific examples, the use of nature as symbols or metaphors in *Their Eyes Were Watching God*.
9. "In *Do Androids Dream of Electric Sheep?* Dick blurs the distinction between human and non-human." Discuss.