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**M. Sc. Geography 2<sup>nd</sup> Year 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester Examination 2022**  
**Geography of Leisure and Tourism**  
**Course Code: SC/GEOG/PG/CORE/220T**

**Time: 2 Hours**

**Full Marks: 50**

*Answer any four questions selecting one from each unit*

**Unit - I Basic Concepts of Tourism Geography**

1. Discuss the concept and importance of Leisure in human life. Give a classification of Leisure activities with examples 6+4
2. Explain the nature and scope of tourism geography. Specify its interdisciplinary nature. 7+3

**Unit –II Tourism and Development**

3. Give an account of the changing spatial pattern of International Tourism. How has the pandemic Covid 19 affected international tourism? 6+4
4. What do you mean by mass tourism? Discuss the environmental consequences of mass tourism in developing countries like India. 3+7

**Unit- III Sustainable Tourism Planning**

5. State the basic principles of eco-tourism. Critically opine whether eco-tourism is a threat or opportunity for sustainable tourism. 5+5
6. Give an outline of different levels of tourism planning. Highlight the importance of ethics in modern tourism with appropriate examples. 4+6

**Unit IV Leisure and Recreation in Cities**

7. 'Leisure is a state of mind'- Elucidate. Explain with examples the relationship between outdoor recreation and nature tourism in urban settings. 4+6
8. Discuss the common spaces that influence the quality of life in urban areas. Classify sports tourism. 6+4

***Internal Assessment***

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