Ex/CBCS/UG/GE/4.5/2019

BACHELOR OF ARTS EXAMINATION, 2019

(2nd Year, 4th Semester)

COMPARATIVE LITERATURE

Course - CL/GE/4.5

(Translation Studies)

Full Marks: 30 Time: Two Hours

All questions carry equal marks.

Answer *all* questions *either* in English *or* in Bangla, but all *three* in the same language.

1. (a) Critically discuss the transition of Western Translation Studies from the 'equivalence oriented approach' to the 'functionalist model'.

Or;

(b) Do you think that the perennial debate between 'free' translation and 'literal' translation has ever stopped? Discuss with reference to the translation theories of Dryden and Schleiermacher.

[Turn over]

2. (a) Do you think that postcolonial contexts necessitated changes in translation trends in India? Substantiate your view with examples.

Or,

- (b) 'Translation in India has always been about re-writing or re-creating'. Do you agree with this statement? Give reasons to substantiate your answer.
- 3. (a) Do you agree that most of the translation activity in India is from Indian languages into English? Give suitable reasons to support your answer.

Or;

(b) Discuss various methods adopted by translators to address problems pertaining to transference of translated texts across cultures.

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