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M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION — DECEMBER, 2018.

Second Year

MODERN TRENDS IN TRANSLATION

Time : 3 hours

Maximum marks : 75

PART A — $(3 \times 5 = 15 \text{ marks})$

Answer any THREE of the following in about 50 words.

- 1. Is movie dubbing a type of translation?
- 2. What is computer assisted translation?
- 3. What is public service advertising?
- 4. Name some of the international publishing organizations
- 5. Which are the different fields where audio-visual translation is used?

PART B — $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ marks})$

Answer any THREE of the following in about 150 words each.

- 6. Write a note on the different types of publishing organizations.
- 7. Name some of the online tools for computer assisted translation.
- 8. What are the advantages and disadvantages of spot dubbing?
- 9. Write short notes on any five types of advertising.
- 10. How does dubbing help to improve the quality of a movie?

PART C — $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ marks})$

Answer any TWO of the following in about 300 words each.

- 11. Explain the new trends in the field of advertising.
- 12. Write an essay on the modern trends in translation.

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13. Trace the origin of advertising and explain.

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Second Year

TRANSLATION OF CREATIVE LITERATURE

Time : 3 hours

Maximum marks : 75

PART A — $(3 \times 5 = 15 \text{ marks})$

Answer any THREE of the following in about 50 words.

- 1. What is word to word translation?
- 2. Mention any two strategies in the translation of poetry.
- 3. Write a note on creative transposition.
- 4. What do you mean by transliteration?
- 5. Consider Translator as a cultural interpreter.

PART B — $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ marks})$

Answer any THREE of the following in about 150 words.

- 6. Explain the role of originality in translation.
- 7. Discuss the qualities of a successful interpreter.
- 8. Briefly discuss how Nida's translation views are different from Homi Bhaba's?
- 9. How does the psychology of a translator interfere with the general paradox of translation in narrative literature?
- 10. What are the main components of translating a screenplay?

PART C — $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ marks})$

Answer any TWO of the following in about 300 words.

11. "Every text is unique, at the same time, it is the translation of a different text"- where do you draw the line between 'translation of a literary prose' and 'literary creativity'?

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- 12. Write an essay on the problems of 'playability' in translation of theatre texts.
- 13. Write an essay on Andre Lefevere's seven different strategies to overcome the limitations of translating poetry.

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EVALUATION OF TRANSLATION

Time : 3 hours

Maximum marks : 75

PART A — $(3 \times 5 = 15 \text{ marks})$

Answer any THREE of the following in about 50 words.

- 1. How does translation influence culture?
- 2. What is intimate style?
- 3. Mention the aims of an argumentative text
- 4. What is the role of a reader in evaluation of translation?
- 5. Who is a good translator?

PART B — $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ marks})$

Answer any THREE of the following in about 150 words.

- 6. Write a note on Computer aided machine translation.
- 7. Evaluate the respective merits and demerits of literal and figurative translation.
- 8. How do the purpose and readership of translation influence the method of translation?
- 9. Explain 'ambiguity' in accordance to 'untranslatability'.
- 10. Explain how the different types of formal style develop into an intimate style?

PART C — $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ marks})$

Answer any TWO of the following in about 300 words.

- 11. Trace the history of translation.
- 12. Give an example of inter-semiotic translation and analyze the cultural politics of this process.
- 13. Evaluate the contribution made by Eugene Nida to the field of Translation Studies.

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PROBLEM OF TRANSLATION

Time : 3 hours

Maximum marks : 75

SECTION A — $(3 \times 5 = 15 \text{ marks})$

Answer any THREE of the following in about 50 words.

- 1. What do you understand by the term untranslability?
- 2. What are the challenges faced by any translator in the process of translation?
- 3. What do you understand by the semantic problems of translation?
- 4. What are the structural problems associated to translation?
- 5. What do you understand by the syntactic problems of translation?

SECTION B — $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ marks})$

Answer any THREE of the following in about 150 words each.

- 6. What are some of the threats imposed by culture upon translation?
- 7. What are some of the hindrances to the process of translation?
- 8. What are some of the challenges imposed by prose translation?
- 9. How does the efficiency of the translator impact the process of translation?
- 10. Distinguish between the phonetic and semantic problems of translation.

SECTION C — $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ marks})$

Answer any TWO of the following in about 300 words each.

- 11. Mention some of the problems associated to translating drama.
- 12. What are the hindrances to the process of translation and how can they be tackled?
- 13. Mention the problems associated to the spoken modes of communication.