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**THIRD SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE (REGULAR/SUPPLEMENTARY)  
EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023**

(CBCSS)

Islamic History

ISH 3E 05—ISLAM AND ORIENTALISM

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

**Part A (Short Answer Questions)***Answer any **four** questions in not less than 50 words.**Each question carries 2 weightage.*

1. Who are called Orientalists ?
2. Impact of Orientalism on the study of Qur'an.
3. The Orientalist Venetian merchant Marco Polo's views on Islam.
4. Max Webers remarks on Islam.
5. Maxime Rodinson's concept on Prophet Muhammad.
6. Anuoar Abdel-Malek
7. What did Edward Said say about Orientalism ?

(4 × 2 = 8 weightage)

**Part B (Short Essay Questions)***Answer any **four** questions in not less than 150 words.**Each question carries 3 weightage.*

8. Trace the elements of Orientalism
9. How did Orientalism justify colonialism ?
10. Evaluate the role of Crusades in the development of Orientalism.
11. Analyze the relation between Orientalism and Religion.
12. Highlight the methodology of the early Orientalists towards Islam.

**Turn over**

- 13 Explain the theme of the 'English-Speaking Orientalists' of A. L. Tibawi.
- 14 Bring forth the strategy of Orientalists to defame Prophet Muhammad.

(4 × 3 = 12 weightage)

**Part C (Long Essay Questions)**

*Answer any **two** questions in not less than 450 words.*

*Each question carries 5 weightage .*

- 15 Discuss the causes that led to the origin of orientalism
- 16 Critically analyze the stereotypes created by the early orientalists on Islam, Muslims and the Arabs.
- 17 The Orientalists drew pictures of Eastern social cultures and recreated the history according to their version, Elucidate.
- 18 Sums up the criticism of Orientalism from the Middle East.

(2 × 5= 10 weightage)