

School of Liberal Education

**Master of Arts in Political Science
Semester End Examination - Jun 2024**

**Duration : 180 Minutes
Max Marks : 100**

Sem II - K1PP205T - Western Political Thought*General Instructions*

Answer to the specific question asked

Draw neat, labelled diagrams wherever necessary

Approved data hand books are allowed subject to verification by the Invigilator

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| 1) | Define the broader and narrower view of public administration. | K1(2) |
| 2) | Explain Lenin's 'Weakest link of the chain' argument. | K2(4) |
| 3) | Explain how Mao elaborated upon the idea of Contradictions. | K2(6) |
| 4) | Identify Mao's views on the importance of a United front. | K3(9) |
| 5) | Identify Mao's analysis of classes in Chinese society. | K3(9) |
| 6) | Assess the main thesis of Mill's work 'Representative Government.' | K5(10) |
| 7) | Analyze Lenin's concept of vanguard party in the context of revolutionary change. | K4(12) |
| 8) | Assess how Hegel's dialectical approach shapes his understanding of political change and evolution of societies. | K5(15) |
| 9) | Assess Hegel's concept of dialectical process in the context of historical development. | K5(15) |
| 10) | Discuss the relevance of J.S. Mill's political thought to the present. | K6(18) |