Central University of Jammu Department of English End-Semester Examination (2017)

SET II

Semester IV

Course Title: Comparative Literature	(World)	Max. marks: 100
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Course Code: PGECL4C002T

Time: 3 hours

SECTION: B

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Short Answers

Answer the following questions in about 150- 200 words (Attempt five questions one from each unit)

8x5=40

1. Give a brief account of the development of modern world comparative literature.

Or

What is interdependence in the context of world literature?

2. Comment on why Lefevere calls translation a kind of rewriting?

Or

Write a short note on Goethe's 'idea of Europe' as reflected in Weltliteratur.

3. Summarise Bulleh Shah's poem "Be Silent Now".

Or

Write a short note on the central idea of Emily Dickinson's "Because I could not stop for Death."

4. Jimmy Porter in *Look Back in Anger* " is symbolically a more dangerous 'Ape' than Yank." Is the comparison rational?

Or

If Yank is mixture of Ape and Angel, then Jimmy Porter is equally a perverted version of the civilized "Ape" in sophisticated British society. Discuss the truth or otherwise of the statement.

5. Comment on Bridget's New Year Resolutions in Bridget Jones's Diary..

Or

Write a short note on Arti's attitude towards life as reflected in Girl Alone.

SECTION: C

Long Answers

Answer the following questions in about 150- 200 words (Attempt three questions one from each unit)

15x3=45

- 1. Discuss in details any two major issues in world comparative literature.
- 2. Discuss in details Goethe's concept of world literature as reflected in Weltliteratur.
- Attempt a comparative analysis of Emily Dickenson and Gauri Deshpande's concept of death on the basis of the poems you have read.
- 4. Discuss Jimmy Porter's portraiture as "Angry Young Man" with in the family context. Where does he stand in comparison to Eugene O' Neill's hero Yank in *The Hairy Ape*.
- 5. Discuss Rupa Gulab's *Girl Alone* and Henry Fielding's *Bridget Jones's Diary* as Chick Literature.