University of Colombo - Sri Lanka

Faculty of Arts

Third Year Examinations in Arts - Semester I - 2018/2019

INR 3144 – Peace Research

Duration: Two (02) Hours

Answer three (03) questions only

1. Answer both sections

(i) What is Peace Research?

- (ii) Discuss challenges for a peace researcher by referring Johan Galtung's article on 'Twenty -five years of peace research: ten challenges and some responses'.
- 2. Discuss the gendered role in war and peace.
- 3. Either
 - i. Write an essay on the use of Written Narratives in the peace research.
 - Or
 - ii. Analyze the use of Comparative Field Research in peace research.
- 4. How does a peace researcher view the positive and negative aspects of the role of a religion?

- 5. Explain how to conduct a research using the following research methods.
 - i. Interviews
 - ii. Observations
 - iii. Focus Group Discussions
- 6. Write short notes on any three (03) of the following:
 - i. Reliability
 - ii. Validity
 - iii. Researcher's Identity
 - iv. Challenges in Field Research
 - v. Paraphrasing