

University of Colombo
Faculty of Arts
Second Year Degree Examination in Arts
Second Semester – 2017/2018
BST 2224 - Buddhist Social Philosophy
(Two Hours)

Answer any **three (03)** questions.

1. Introduce social philosophy and explain the authenticity of the Buddhist social philosophy.
2. Discuss whether Buddhism provides satisfactory position for women with reference to the early Buddhist discourses.
3. Examine how the Buddha categorizes the mankind while he is in expressing the human oneness.
4. “Na te kāmā yāni citrāni loke - saṃkapparāgo purisassa kāmo” discuss this statement paying attention to the Buddhist concept of aesthetic.
5. Examine the Buddhist teachings on the process of economic production with special reference to the Pali Sutta Pitaka.
6. Evaluate the Buddhist teachings on the physical, mental and social wellbeing.
