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## SECOND YEAR ADVANCED DIPLOMA IN ARCHAEOLOGY AND MUSEOLOGY EXAMINATION, JULY 2025

Paper IV—PROTOHISTORY TO EARLY HISTORY IN INDIA

(2023 Admissions–Regular/2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022 Admissions–Supplementary/2016, 2017 and 2018 Admissions–Mercy Chance)

Time: Three Hours Maximum Weight: 25

## Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any **nine** out of twelve questions. Each question carries 1 weight.

- 1. Lower Paleolithic period.
- 2. Dravidian race.
- 3. Mesolithic Age.
- 4. Indus seals.
- 5. Dholavira settlement.
- 6. Banawali site.
- 7. Savalda culture.
- 8. Kayatha culture.
- 9. Edakkal shelters.
- 10. Vidarbha megaliths.
- 11. Northern Black Polished Ware culture.
- 12. Pallavaram settlement.

 $(9 \times 1 = 9)$ 

## Part B (Short Essay Questions)

Answer any **four** out of six questions. Each question carries 2 weight.

- 13. What was the Bronze period in India?
- 14. What were the archaeological relics to study the urban life in Harappa?
- 15. What are the latest findings on Harappan culture?
- 16. How did the Chalcolithic Age differ from the rest?

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- 17. Describe the typology of the Megalithic culture.
- 18. Review the Sangam accounts on the early history of India.

 $(4 \times 2 = 8)$ 

## Part C (Essay Questions)

Answer any **two** out of three questions. Each question carries 4 weight.

- 19. Examine the statement that "Chronology and Geography are the right and left eyes of history" in the context of early India.
- 20. Describe the nature of polity and society in the Harappan Civilization.
- 21. Trace the early historical archaeology and its phases in India.

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