

**LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034**

**B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – ECONOMICS**

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FIFTH SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2007

**EC 5400 - SOCIAL ECONOMICS**

Date : 06/11/2007  
Time : 9:00 - 12:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

**PART - A**

**Answer any FIVE questions in about 75 words each. (5 x 4 = 20 marks)**

1. Distinguish between absolute and relative poverty.
2. What is frictional unemployment?
3. What is merchant bank?
4. Distinguish between explicit and implicit cost.
5. What is economics of energy?
6. Define social economics.
7. What is human capital?

**PART – B**

**Answer any FOUR questions in about 300 words each. (4 x 10 = 40 marks)**

8. Discuss the types of beggars.
9. Bring out the characteristics of social economics.
10. Explain the various poverty alleviation programme.
11. Explain the views of the Pope John Paul II.
12. Explain the special characteristics of health services.
13. Explain the problem of higher education in India.
14. Distinguish between rural and urban poverty.

**PART – C**

**Answer any TWO questions in about 900 words each. (2 x 20 = 40 marks)**

15. Critically analyse causes and remedial measures of crimes in India.
16. Elucidate subsidy system in India.
17. Describe the social doctrine of Mahatma Gandhi.
18. Discuss the Marxian doctrine of Social economics.

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