

PHT2/10
Philosophy Tripos Part II

Wednesday, 5 June 2024

13.30 to 16.30

Paper 10

POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY

Answer **three** questions only.

Write the number of the question at the beginning of each answer. If you are answering an either/or question, indicate the letter as well.

*Write your candidate number, **not** your name, on the cover sheet of **each** answer booklet.*

STATIONERY REQUIREMENTS

20-Page Answer Book
x 1 Rough Work Pad

You may not start to read the questions printed on the subsequent pages of this question paper until instructed to do so.

1. Are there any features of Marxism that are relevant to contemporary political problems?
2. **EITHER:** (a) To what extent should politics be grounded in moral commitments?
OR (b) 'Political philosophers should be non-ideal theorists, because ideal theory cannot tell us how to resolve actual injustices.' Discuss.
3. **EITHER:** (a) 'A critique of pornography is to feminism what its defence is to male supremacy.' **Discuss.**
OR: (b) 'There is no significant difference between sex for free and sex for a fee.' Discuss.
4. Is misogyny hatred of women?
5. 'Body and culture affect each other, but they are importantly distinct.' Discuss.
6. **EITHER:** (a) Is racism dependent on race?
OR: (b) Is sexism dependent on sex?
7. What is political about identity?
8. To whom are reparations owed? Who should pay for them?
9. **EITHER:** (a) 'Borders—however arbitrarily constructed—mark out something of great moral significance.' Discuss
OR: (b) What, if anything, is the relationship between territorial rights and the right to exclude?
10. Must cosmopolitanism be rootless?

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