

**2025**  
**SRMUJ**  
**4<sup>th</sup> Semester Examination**  
**M.Sc.**  
**Geography**  
**GEO-402**  
**Political Geography and Geopolitics**

**Full Marks: 40**

**Time: 2 Hours**

**The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.**

**Group-A**

**1. Answer any four of the following questions**

**2×4**

- a) What do mean Geo-Political strategy?
- b) What is 'Organic State'?
- c) What is the application of Political Boundary?
- d) What is Inner Crescent?
- e) What is the aim of 'One belt one road' policy?
- f) What is NATO?

**Group-B**

**2. Answer any four of the following questions**

**8×4**

- a) Illustrate with examples how Hartshorne's Functional Approach can explain the integration and disintegration process with in a state.
- b) Explain the Global Strategic Model of Rimland Theory during the 2<sup>nd</sup> World War.
- c) Discuss the adopted global policies and strategies on the petroleum based energy power after 1960.
- d) Examine the role of historical and cultural factors in shaping political landscapes, with reference to Whittlesey's Law- Landscape Approach
- e) Elaborate the functional activities of different World Organizations to Initiate the restoration of peace around the world with suitable example.
- f) Explain the Geo-political importance of Heartland for ruling the East Europe during the early 20<sup>th</sup> Century.