**ST. JOSEPH’S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), BENGALURU -27**

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**B.A Sociology–V SEMESTER**

**SEMESTER EXAMINATION: OCTOBER 2023**

**(Examination conducted in November /December 2023)**

**SO5123 – Modern Sociological Theories**

**(For current batch students only)**

**Time: 2 Hours Max Marks: 60**

**This paper contains one printed page and three parts**

**PART-A**

1. **Answer any two of the following in one page each 5X2=10**
2. What is Modernity and Modernisation?
3. What are Giddens’ views on Modernity?
4. What is Ethnomethodology?

 OR

Mention the consequences of Modernity.

 **PART-B**

1. **Answer any two of the following in two pages each 10X2=20**

1. What is Post – Modern theory? Explain its characteristics
2. What is Social Action? Explain different types of social action.
3. Explain E Husserl’s and F Nietzsche’s ideas on crises of modernity with examples.

 **PART-C**

1. **Answer any two of the following in three pages each 15X2=30**
2. Explain Jurgen Habermas’s ideas on Communicative Action and Lifeworld.
3. Explain Erving Goffman’s front stage and back stage and impression management with suitable examples.
4. Discuss Alfred Schutz’s contributions to the phenomenological approach in sociology.