II Semester B.A./B.Sc./B.Com./B.B.M./B.H.M./B.C.A./B.Sc.(FAD) Examination April/May 2015 (Prior to 2009-10) (Repeaters) ADDITIONAL ENGLISH – II

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 90

Instruction: Answer **all** the questions.

- Answer any seven of the following in one or two sentences each choosing atleast
 one from prose, one from poetry and one from drama. (7×2=14)
 - 1) What was the reason for Anna to quit the circus?
 - 2) How was Anna found by Mrs. Bates?
 - 3) What dream did Aksyonof's wife have?
 - 4) Whom did Aksyonof meet half-way through the journey?
 - 5) What was responsible for the raven's freedom?
 - 6) Why can a poet write anything in Canada, according to Atwood?
 - 7) What does Dr. Rank send to Nora to inform about his death?
 - 8) Did Mrs. Linde inherit any property from her husband? Why?
 - 9) Who did Nora borrow money from?
- II. Answer **any six** of the following choosing atleast **one** from prose, **one** from poetry and **one** from drama. (6x6=36)
 - 1) Why were the children scared when Anna was around?
 - 2) Give an account of Anna's life before marriage.
 - 3) What evidences were produced by the police against Aksyonof?
 - 4) Briefly describe Aksyonof's life in the prison.
 - 5) Write a note on 'Anger's Freeing Power'.
 - 6) Write briefly on Atwood's poem 'Notes Towards'....
 - 7) Why does Helmer feel that Krogstad is a bad influence on his children?
 - 8) What is Dr. Rank's attitude towards Nora? How does she react?
 - 9) Write briefly on Mrs. Linde.



- III. Answer any four of the following choosing atleast one from prose, one from poetry and one from drama. (4×10=40)
 - 1) How does the story 'Circus Cat and Alley Cat' portray the courage of Anna?
 - 2) Whom does Makar meet in the prison? What events lead to his transformation?
 - 3) Give an account of Aksyonof's life before and after he is sent to prison in Siberia.
 - 4) 'Anger can have a positive influence' How does this statement become true in the case of the raven?
 - 5) How does 'Notes Towards a poem' transform a predicament into an achievement?
 - 6) Nora realized that she was a 'doll wife' to her husband and a 'doll child' to her father comment.
 - 7) Why did Krogstad write a letter to Helmer? How did it impact the life of Nora?
 - 8) Mrs. Linde was responsible for Nora to realize her true self substantiate.
 - 9) Helmer is dominating and egoistic Discuss.