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FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

PHIL 951: ADVANCED RESEARCH METHODS IN PHILOSOPHY

STREAMS: PhD.

TIME: 3 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 06/04/2021

8.30 A.M. – 11.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer any FOUR questions

1. Discuss the nexus between analyze the applicability of dialectical research approach and rational approach to philosophical research.
 2. Highlight and demonstrate the empirical and critical approaches in a philosophical research.
 3. Demonstrate the extent to which phenomenology as an approach to philosophical problem may be applied. Highlight how the Husserl's triad is relevant in phenomenology.
 4. Discuss the relevance of language and show how this is relevant when applying analytical philosophical research method.
 5. Discuss the nexus between hermeneutical and deconstructive methods.
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