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Q2(b)

Discuss Yogendra singh's thesis on Modernization of Indian Tradition. And evaluate its applicability in the present day context

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2017 · Sociology GS 2 · 20 marks · Impact of colonial rule on Indian society

Impact of colonial rule on Indian society: Social background of Indian nationalism; Modernization of Indian tradition; Protests and movements during the colonial period; Social reforms.

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Modernization of Indian Tradition

Singh's book that frames cultural change as recombination of old and new.

Orthogenetic / heterogenetic

Change from within the civilisation versus change through Islam, the West, and the state.

Little and great traditions

Village and textual cultures interact rather than one killing the other.

Sanskritization

Srinivas's process that Singh can read as orthogenetic mobility inside caste.

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