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First Semester MCJ Degree Examination, November 2016 MCJ1C01 – Introduction to mass communication

(2016 Admission onwards)

Max. Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightatge: 36

Part A

Write short notes on any six of the following questions:

- 1. Magic Bullet theory
- 2. Uses and Gratifications
- 3. Band wagon effect
- 4. Intra personal communication
- Agenda Setting
- 6. Media Convergence
- 7. Many voices One world
- 8. Laggards

 $(6 \times 2 = 12 \text{ Weightage})$

Part B

Answer any four questions. Each question carries 6 weightage

- 9. What is gatekeeping? Does it hold good in the digital era of media?
- 10. Discuss in detail Shannon and Weaver's Communication Model.
- 11. Name the dysfunctions of media? Explain with examples.
- 12. Media and culture influence each other. Comment.
- 13. Explain about the Multi step flow of communication.
- 14. Explain the significance of feedback in all forms of Communication.
- 15. Elucidate on the contemporary issues of communication at the National level.
- 16. Critically examine the normative theories of Press

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First Semester MCJ Degree Examination, November 2016 MCJ1C02 – Mass Media History

(2016 Admission onwards)

Max. Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightatge: 36

Part A

Write short notes on any six of the following questions:

- Young India
- 2. SITE
- 3. Yuva Vani
- 4. INS
- 5. Press Council
- 6. Bengal Gazette
- 7. IFWJ
- 8. The Hindu

(6 x 2=12 Weightage)

Part B

Answer any four questions Each question carries 6 weightage

- 9. Discuss the contributions made by Mahatma Gandhi towards journalism
- 10. Explain the recent trends in Malayalam journalism
- 11. Narrate the role of Serampore missionaries
- 12. Describe the role of Christian missionaries in the development of journalism in India
- 13. What was the impact of Emergency on the Indian Press
- 14. Explain about the various professional media organisations
- 15. Briefly mention about the evolution of broadcasting in India
- 16. Write about the state of Indian Press after the revolt of 1857

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First Semester MCJ Degree Examination, November 2016 MCJ1C03 – News Editing

(2016 Admission onwards)

Max. Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightatge: 36

Part A

Answer any six questions from the following

- 1. Captions and cutlines
- 2. Jump line
- 3. Middle piece
- 4. Attribution
- Drop Head
- 6. Circus layout
- Typography
- Sharpening the lead

(6 x 2=12 Weightage)

Part B

Answer any four questions from the following

- 9. Justify the use of stylebook in a newspaper office?
- 10. 'Even seemingly small errors feed public scepticism about a newspaper's credibility'. Do you agree? Explain.
- 11. Discuss the trends in headline writing with examples.
- 12. "Good Typography is the essence of good newspaper production'- Discuss?
- 13. Detail the process of layout and explain the contemporary design and layout trends among the Malayalam dailies?
- 14. Analyse the need for using effective photographs in newspapers. How are they selected?
- 15. Analyse the role and functions of the editor of a daily. .
- 16. What do you mean by readability? Why is it important from the point of view of a copy editor? How is it measured?

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First Semester MCJ Degree Examination, November 2016 MCJ1C04 – News Reporting

(2016 Admission onwards)

Max. Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightatge: 36

Part A

Answer any six questions from the following

- Paid News Syndrome
- 2. Accuracy
- 3. Soft News
- 4. What Lead
- 5. Inverted pyramid
- 6. Precision Journalism
- Beat reporting
- 8. Advertorial
- 9. A.B.C.

(6 x 2=12 Weightage)

Part B

Answer any four questions from the following

- 10. Explain the importance of practice in moulding a good reporter.
- 11 Observe the relevance of news elements.
- 12. How important is an editorial page of a national daily?
- 13. Certain ethical codes in journalism is quintessential, Comment.
- 14. Write your opinion regarding the advertisers sponsoring news bulletins.
- 15. Identify and explain various types of lead.
- 16. Enumerate the representation of socio- cultural issues in present day newspapers.
- Analyse the contributions of any one journalist specialised in development news reporting.

(4 x 6=24 Weightage)