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Sixth Semester B.A. Degree Examination, March 2021

First Degree Programme under CBCSS

English Language and Literature

Core Course - XIII

EN 1643: ENGLISH FOR THE MEDIA

(2015 - 2017 Admission)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

SECTION - A

- Answer all questions, each in a word or sentence.
- 1 The objective of advertising.
- The pillars that A.G. Krishnamurthy identify to be holding any brand.
- 3 Interactivity, ————— and —————— are the bywords of the digital media.
- 4. What are 'nut graphs' in a news story?
- How does the script writer indicate that a piece of NEWS for the radio does not fit on a single A4 size paper?
- 6 Give the technical term that refers to the opinions from the man on the street on a topic of interest to the public.
- 7 What do you call a one sentence statement about a film?

- Define Podcasting.
- 9. What is a blog?
- 10. Journalese.

 $(10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ Marks})$

SECTION - B

- II. Answer any eight, each in a short paragraph not exceeding 50 words.
- 11. What makes writing for advertisements challenging?
- 12. Puffery
- 13. What is a brief in the context of preparing an advertisement?
- 14. 'Microcontent' of an online article.
- 15. How do web users read?
- 16. What are the key characteristics of an E-journal?
- 17. Inverted Pyramid.
- 18. Teaser leads.
- Key Elements in Radio Jockeying.
- 20. Stages in filmmaking.
- 21. Docudrama.
- 22. The function of a Proust Questionnaire.

 $(8 \times 2 = 16 \text{ Marks})$

SECTION - C

- III. Answer any six each in a paragraph not exceeding 100 words.
- 23. The Layout of a Print Advertisement.
- 24. How can one participate meaningfully in the social media revolution?
- 25. What are the responsibilities of the Editor in the Digital Media?
- 26. How can one prepare a good online Profile?
- 27. Types of Biases in journalism.
- 28. Differentiate Op-ed and editorials.
- 29. Radio reviews.
- 30. Prepare a note on the various forms of interview employed in Radio.
- 31. Why is it said that the documentary is essentially an editor's creation?

 $(6 \times 4 = 24 \text{ Marks})$

SECTION - D

- V. Answer any two each in about 300 words.
- 32. Discuss the various types of blogs, their form and functions.
- 33. Discuss important language devices and techniques used in advertising.
- 34. Critically compare the features and the conduct of interviews for the print, visual and auditory media.
- 35. Write a script for a scene from a TV drama based on the following theme:
 'Two college boys launching a campaign to promote waste management'.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ Marks})$