

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN
LIBRARY AUTOMATION AND
NETWORKING (PGDLAN)**

00450 **Term-End Examination**

December, 2015

MLI-003 : INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 50

(Weightage : 40%)

Note : *Answer all questions. All questions carry equal marks. Illustrate your answers with suitable examples and diagrams, wherever necessary. Write relevant question number before answering.*

1.1 What do you understand by the term 'systems approach' ? Discuss the main components of a system.

OR

1.2 Discuss the principles and process of system design.

2.1 Distinguish between file organisation and access methods. Describe different file access methods.

OR

2.2 What is Database Management System (DBMS) ? Discuss the functions and components of a DBMS.

3.1 Explain E-R diagram and its role in data modelling.

OR

3.2 Define a Decision Support System (DSS). Illustrate its structure and discuss the components.

4.1 What is artificial intelligence ? Discuss its areas of application.

OR

4.2 Explain the use of Boolean operators in searching, using Venn diagrams.

5.0 Write short notes on any *two* of the following in about 250 words each :

- (a) Normalization of Relations
- (b) Memory Hierarchy
- (c) Structured Query Language
- (d) Inverted Lists
