

M.A. (DISTANCE EDUCATION)

Term-End Examination

December, 2015

**MDE-418 : EDUCATIONAL COMMUNICATION
TECHNOLOGIES**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Weightage : 75%

Note : (i) *Attempt all the three questions.*

(ii) *All questions carry equal weightage.*

1. Answer **any two** of the following questions in about **600** words each :
 - (a) Express your views on the statement "Pedagogical design as a create process". Discuss any two pedagogical designs suitable for distance education.
 - (b) Explain the process of teleconferencing session. Write any two advantages of teleconferencing.
 - (c) What are the factors to be considered to evaluate educational websites ? Explain.

2. Answer **any four** of the following questions in about **300** words each :
 - (a) Write a short note on e-portfolio.
 - (b) Discuss briefly about 'Video on Web'. Give examples.
 - (c) Explain the main features of instant messengers.

- (d) Write a short note on virtual laboratories.
- (e) Discuss how blogging can be used in teaching and learning.
- (f) Explain 'Pod Costing' and its uses in ODL.

3. Answer **any two** of the following questions in about **600** words each :

- (a) List out the characteristics of interactive multimedia. Explain with examples.
 - (b) Describe functions of social networking in education with examples.
 - (c) Write the role of Radio in distance education. Explain emerging trends in Radio.
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