

**M.Sc. IN HOSPITALITY ADMINISTRATION  
(MHA)**

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2017**

**MHA-004 : INFORMATION MANAGEMENT  
SYSTEMS AND HOSPITALITY**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

*Note : (i) Answer any five questions.*

*(ii) All questions carry equal marks.*

1. Define Information. Discuss the properties and characteristics of information. 20
2. Explain with the help of suitable examples the advantages of computerization in hospitality industry. 20
3. What do you understand by computer hardware ? What comprises computer hardware ? 20
4. Define Local Area Network (LAN). Explain the characteristics and structures of LAN. 20
5. Write short notes on any two of the following :  $2 \times 10 = 20$ 
  - (a) Scope of Data
  - (b) System Life Cycle
  - (c) Operating Elements of Information System
6. Write a detailed note on Information Economics. 20

7. What do you understand by Perverse Software ? 20  
How can one protect computers from perverse softwares ?
8. Define Network typology. What are its various types ? How can these be used in Hospitality Industry ? 20
9. Write a detailed note on the legal aspects of use of computers. 20
10. Write short notes on **any two** of the following :  $2 \times 10 = 20$   
(a) Evolution of computers  
(b) Management Information Systems  
(c) Hacking
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