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**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN EDUCATIONAL
MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION**

Term-End Examination, 2019

MES-047 : OPEN AND DISTANCE EDUCATION

Time : 3 Hours]

[Maximum Weightage : 70%

Note : All questions are compulsory. All questions carry equal weightage.

1. Answer the following question in about **600** words:

Discuss the major steps involved in developing a distance education programme.

OR

What do you mean by the 'System approach' ? Discuss, with the help of examples, the importance of linkages among sub-systems of a system.

2. Answer the following question in about **600** words:

What is meant by 'Interactive multimedia' ? Discuss the ways of developing interactive multimedia course ware.

OR

Compare the organisational structure and the functions

of Athabasca university and IGNOU.

3. Answer **any four** of the following questions in about **150** words each :

- (a) Describe the characteristics of distance education.
- (b) Discuss the educational implications of cognitive theory of learning.
- (c) Discuss the approaches to media use in ODL institutions.
- (d) Write a note on management of learner support services.
- (e) How will you manage computer-based online assessment ? Discuss.
- (f) Describe the characteristics of self-learning materials (SLMs).

4. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Examine the commonalities and differences between Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar Open University (BRAOU) and Yashwant Rao Chavan Maharashtra Open University (YCMOU). Write your answer with suitable examples.

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