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

Term-End Examination

June, 2015

MES-047 : OPEN AND DISTANCE EDUCATION

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Weightage : 70%

Note : (i) All the questions are compulsory.

(ii) All the questions carry equal weightage.

1. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Discuss any two models of distance education pedagogy.

OR

Describe the steps involved in programme development in distance education.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Discuss, with examples, the implications of behaviouristic theory of learning for development of self-learning materials.

OR

Discuss the organisational structure and functions of Open University Srilanka.

3. Answer **any four** of the following questions in about **150** words each :
- (a) Discuss the techniques of managing computer-based online assessment.
 - (b) State the major aspects comprising the process of educational management.
 - (c) Mention the characteristics of self-learning materials.
 - (d) Explain the importance of audio programmes in distance education.
 - (e) Describe the activities performed by the Regional Centres of IGNOU.
 - (f) Discuss the need and relevance of open and distance learning system.

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

Compare the features and functions of IGNOU and YCMOU (Nasik).
