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**MASTER OF ARTS IN DISTANCE EDUCATION
(MADE)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2011

**ES-316 : CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT FOR
DISTANCE EDUCATION**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Weightage : 75%

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- Note :** (i) *Attempt all the **three** questions.*
(ii) *All the **three** questions carry **equal weightage**.*
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1. Answer *any one* of the following in about **1200** words :

Describe the influence of Society in designing the curriculum of any open and distance learning Institute.

OR

Explain how the various theories of learning influence in the development of curriculum in a Open University ?

2. Answer *any four* of the following in about **300** words each :

- (a) Differentiate between the top down model and bottom up model of curriculum development.
- (b) Explain the relevance based issues for developing curriculum in open learning system.
- (c) Describe the points which you will keep in mind while formulating educational objectives.
- (d) Differentiate between continuous evaluation and terminal evaluation.
- (e) Explain the teacher centered approach to learning.
- (f) Explain the role of any two types of academic staff members employed in a distance education institute.

3. Answer *any one* of the following in about **1200** words :

Assume that your University has to launch a new programme. Describe the issues you will keep in mind while planning the curriculum of the programme.

OR

Describe any two tools of evaluation with examples.