

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN
DISTANCE EDUCATION**

Term-End Examination

December, 2011

**ES-314 : MANAGEMENT OF DISTANCE
EDUCATION**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Weightage : 75%

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

(ii) All the *three* questions carry *equal weightage*.

1. Answer *any one* of the following questions in about **1200** words :
 - (a) Describe the organizational framework within which conventional Universities in your country are organized and structured.
 - (b) Analyse the significance of strategic planning in the development of IGNOU or any institution of your country.
2. Answer *any four* of the following in about **300** words each :
 - (a) Describe how Globalization has affected higher education in your country ?
 - (b) "Finances of higher education come from various sources". State the sources of finances in your country.

- (c) Write a short note on Autonomous colleges.
 - (d) "Organizing is a major management function". Explain the statement with examples.
 - (e) Differentiate between self initiated and externally initiated models of change.
 - (f) Explain the course development process in any distance education institution.
3. Answer *any one* of the following in about 1200 words :
- (a) State the areas in which core competencies need to be developed for the staff in any educational institution.
 - (b) Describe the structure of the educational system of your country.
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