MASTER OF ARTS (EDUCATION)

Term-End Examination

June, 2010

MES-114 : MANAGEMENT OF DISTANCE EDUCATION

Time: 3 hours

Maximum Weightage: 70%

Note:

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- (i) All four questions are compulsory.
- (ii) Attempt all questions.
- (iii) All questions carry equal weightage.
- 1. Answer the following question in about 600 words:

Explain the planning processes in the management of an organisation.

OR

Discuss various components involved in Academic Management in an educational institution.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words:

Explain the future developments in Indian Higher Education.

OR

Explain the objectives and typology of academic programmes of IGNOU.

- 3. Answer *any four* of the following in about 150 words each:
 - (a) Write a brief note on self-initiated models of change.
 - (b) Identify the characteristics of "change agent".
 - (c) Briefly write about Team-Building in light of an organisational renewal.
 - (d) Explain briefly main problems and needs of distance learners.
 - (e) Write about main features of a single mode Institution.
 - (f) Explain the steps involved in course development in Distance Education.
- 4. You have been entrusted to maintain quality and ensure effective management of a distance education institution. Develop an effective "monitoring and evaluation system" to accomplish the task given to you.