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M.A. (DISTANCE EDUCATION)

Term-End Examination

December, 2013

**MDE-416 : CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT FOR
DISTANCE EDUCATION**

Time : 3 hours

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.
 - (a) Explain subject-centred, Learner-centred and problem-centred designs in curriculum. Analyse which design would be appropriate to distance education.
 - (b) Explain the basic criteria for selecting content in the development of curriculum.

2. Answer **any four** of the following in about **300** words each.
 - (a) Curriculum is a plan of action. Discuss this statement with suitable examples in the context of distance education.
 - (b) Explain formative and summative evaluation in distance education.

- (c) Elaborate on the observation technique for evaluation of a course.
 - (d) Describe the basic instructional systems design in distance education.
 - (e) Discuss the philosophical foundations in curriculum development.
 - (f) Discuss any three functions of curriculum evaluation.
3. Answer **any one** of the following in about **1200** words.
- (a) Design an appropriate delivery strategy in your discipline through distance mode and explain the issues involved in its successful implementation.
 - (b) What are the problems in Learner's evaluation in distance education ? Provide your views and suggestions as a student of distance education.
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