

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN HIGHER
EDUCATION MANAGEMENT (PGDHEM)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2013

**MES-074 : GOVERNANCE AND LEADERSHIP IN
HIGHER EDUCATION**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Weightage : 70%

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- Note :** (i) *All the questions are compulsory.*
(ii) *All questions carry equal weightage.*
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1. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Critically examine the role of regulatory bodies in governance of higher education.

OR

Citing suitable examples discuss the need to balance autonomy and accountability in universities for bringing sustainable improvement in the quality of education and research.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Discuss the issues of governance in your college or university and provide suggestions to resolve them.

OR

Discuss the common barriers faced by higher education institutions in successfully implementing e-governance and prepare a plan to overcome them.

3. Answer **any four** of the following in about **150** words each :
- (a) Discuss the importance of accountability in higher education.
 - (b) Suggest the strategies that may be used to combat research challenges in Indian universities.
 - (c) Discuss the characteristics of institutional planning in the higher education.
 - (d) Examine the role of a vice chancellor in the university governance.
 - (e) Discuss the objectives of autonomy of colleges with examples.
 - (f) Explain the recommendations of UGC for university governance.

4. Answer the following question in about **600** words :
- As a head of a higher education institution describe the process that you would adopt for development and implementation of an institutional plan clearly indicating your vision for the institution.
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