M.Phil. IN DISTANCE EDUCATION (MPHILDE)

Term-End Examination

December, 2014

RDE-003 : WEB-BASED EDUCATION

Time : 3 hours *Maximum Weightage : 75%*

Note : *(i) Answer **all** the questions.*

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

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

   (a) Define 'virtual education', 'online learning' and 'e-learning' with an example for each. Do all the three connote the same thing or are they different from each other ? Justify your view.

   OR

   (b) Analyse the steps involved in the design, development and delivery of any online course or programme.

2. Answer **any three** of the following in about **400** words each.

   (a) Write a short note on Open Educational Resources (OER).

   (b) What do you mean by instructional design for web-based education ?

(c) Describe 'community of enquiry' as given by Terry Anderson in his theory of online learning.

(d) What different types of 'interaction' are possible in online learning ?

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

(a) Taking an example of an online course, explain how the programme is managed when it is delivered or implemented.

OR

(b) Define 'blended learning'. Describe in what different ways blending can take place for any academic programme of your choice either at school or higher education level.