COMMONWEALTH EXECUTIVE MBA/MPA PROGRAMME

Term-End Examination December, 2010

C-1: MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Time: 3 hours Maximum Marks: 100

(Weightage 70%)

Note: Answer any four questions. All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. (a) What is meant by the terms Information Economy, Digital Economy and Internet Economy? What are the characteristics of these economies? Discuss the impact of these on business strategies.
 - (b) What do you understand by Market place and Market space? Identify the differences between them.
- 2. (a) Explain the basic concept of Value Chain. How it can be applied for E-Business?
 - (b) Explain how Porter's Five force model can be applied for any business through Internet?

- 3. (a) Elaborate your understanding about e-Business strategy.
 - (b) Discuss the strategies adopted for channel enhancement.
- **4.** (a) Discuss the strategic information planning model for the networked organisation.
 - (b) What is Supply Chain Management (SCM)? Explain the impact of SCM on E-Business Value and Chain.
- 5. (a) What do you understand by Organisational readiness for change? Explain the components that should be incorporated in an action plan for change.
 - (b) Explain the important economic issues of E-Business.
- 6. (a) Elaborate your understanding about customer relationship management in the context of Global E-Business.
 - (b) What are the various forms of outsourcing?
 Explain its linkages with strategy.