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MASTER OF ARTS (EDUCATION)

Term-End Examination

June, 2011

**MES-114 : MANAGEMENT OF DISTANCE
EDUCATION**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Weightage : 70%

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

Discuss the mechanisms that should be in place within the distance education institution to manage change.

OR

A university performing the multiple roles of an educational provider and an apex body for promotion and coordination of an education system is justified. Discuss for or against the statement.

2. Answer the following question in about **600** words.

Discuss the critical areas of management of an educational Institution.

OR

Discuss the major issues and concerns involved in the management of a distance education institution.

3. Answer *any four* of the following questions in about **150** words each.

- (a) Write a note on 'planning' as a management process.
- (b) Explain any two philosophical foundations on which educational process are based.
- (c) Discuss in brief the instructional system of an Open University.
- (d) Analyse briefly major reforms in Indian higher education.
- (e) Discuss in brief the role of UGC in the Indian higher education system.
- (f) Write a note on factors responsible for the success of change in an organisation.

4. Answer the following question in about **600** words.

As the head of a distance education institution, plan delivery mechanisms to implement computer education programmes and B.Sc. (Nursing) Programmes.
