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SECOND SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2024

(Supplementary - 2018 Admission)

MASS COMMUNICATION

ABCJ2B02T: FUNDAMENTALS OF MASS COMMUNICATION

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 80

PART A: Answer any five questions not exceeding 50 words. Each carries three marks.

Write notes on

- 1. Communication.
- 2. Proxemics.
- 3. ARPANET.
- 4. Vlog.
- Feedback.
- 6. Encoder.
- 7. Grapevine.

 $(5 \times 3 = 15 \text{ Marks})$

PART B: Answer any seven questions not exceeding 100 words. Each carries five marks.

- 8. Explain in detail Lasswell's model of communication.
- 9. What are the different types of noise? Explain.
- 10. Briefly explain the advantages and disadvantages of new media.
- 11. 'Augmented Reality has changed the media scenario globally, altering the user's perception'.

 Explain.
- 12. Explain Aristotle's Rhetoric model of communication.
 - 13. What is delayed feedback? How does it affect the efficacy of communication?
 - 14. What is the significance of Shannon and Weaver's model of communication?
 - 15. Explain the functions of media.
 - 16. Do you think media has a role in sustaining the democracy of a nation? Explain its status in the governance with special reference to the Indian media scenario.

 $(7 \times 5 = 35 \text{ Marks})$

PART C: Answer any two questions not exceeding 400 words. Each carries fifteen marks.

- 17. Explain the various types of mass media.
- 18. Trace the evolution of mass communication.
- 19. Elaborate the characteristics of mass media with examples.
- 20. "Societies have always been shaped more by the nature of the media by which people communicate than by the content of the communication." Elucidate.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ Marks})$