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FIFTH SEMESTER BA DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022

(Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)

MASS COMMUNICATION GBCJ5B11T: PHOTO JOURNALISM

Time: 2 1/2 Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

SECTION A: Answer the following questions. Each carries 2 marks. (Ceiling 25 Marks)

- 1. Spot news
- 2. Photo story
- 3. Personality photography
- 4. Kevin Carter
- 5. Prime lens
- 6. Pan shot
- 7. Shutter speed
- 8. Macro
- 9. Marquee
- 10. Hyperfocal distance
- 11. CMOS
- 12. Distortion
- 13. DPI
- 14. Victor George
- 15. Hizbollywood

SECTION B: Answer the following questions. Each carries 5 marks. (Ceiling 35 Marks)

- 16. Studying other photographers and their works helps in developing your own style and photographic vision. Discuss.
- 17. 'A photojournalist must have patience, perseverance and the ability to predict events'. Explain.
- 18. Critically examine the importance of lighting in portrait photography.

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- 19. Critically analyse the difference between photo editing and photo manipulation.
- 20. What are filters? Explain any three types filters and their application in digital photography.
- 21. Higher ISO and shutter speed and faster lenses are essential to capture action photographs. Explain in detail.
- 22. Explain three-point lighting setting and its relevance in product photography.
- 23. Critically examine the professional role and humanity role of a photojournalist while covering grief, tragedy and gruesome incidents.

SECTION C: Answer any 2 questions. Each carries 10 marks.

- 24. Critically evaluate the role played by Louis Daguerre in popularising photography.
- 25. As a news photographer what all details would you require from the field to write an effective cutline for a news photograph? Explain.
- 26. Examine the importance of wildlife photography in the present-day world.
- 27. Briefly explain Raghu Rai's photo documentary project on the 1984 Bhopal Industrial tragedy.

 $(2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ Marks})$