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A reference is invited to the syllabi relating to the Bachelor of Mass Media (B.M.M.) Programme <u>vide</u> this office Circular No.UG/94 of 2015, dated 5<sup>th</sup> October, 2015 and the Principals of the affiliated Colleges in Arts and the Professor-cum-Director, Institute of Distance and Open Learning (IDOL) are hereby informed that the recommendation made by the Board of Studies in Mass Media at its meeting held on 8<sup>th</sup> December, 2016 has been accepted by the Academic Council at its meeting held on 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2017 <u>vide</u> item No.4.3 and that in accordance therewith, the revised syllabus as per the (CBCS) for the Bachelor of Mass Media ( Broadcast Journalism) (Sem. VI), which is available on the University's web site (<u>www.mu.ac.in</u>) and that the same has been brought into force with effect from the academic year 2016-17.

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The Principals of the affiliated Colleges in Arts and the Professor-cum-Director, Institute of Distance and Open Learning (IDOL).

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# **Syllabus for Approval**

| Sr.<br>No. | Heading                               | Particulars  |
|------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| 1          | Title of the<br>Course                | TY BMM (Journalism) Semester: VI -Paper: II Subject: Broadcast Journalism: CGSBS |
| 2          | Eligibility for<br>Admission          | 12th pass.   |
| 3          | Passing Marks                         | 40%  |
| 4          | Ordinances /<br>Regulations ( if any) |  |
| 5          | No. of Years /<br>Semesters           | 03 years & 06 semesters  |
| 6          | Level                                 | P.G. / V.G./ Diploma / Certificate<br>(Strike out which is not applicable)       |
| 7          | Pattern                               | Yearly / Semester (Strike out which is not applicable)                           |
| 8          | Status                                | New / Revised (Strike out which is not applicable)                               |
| 9          | To be implemented from Academic Year  | From Academic Year2016-17.   |

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Date: 20/2/2017

# TY BMM (Journalism) Semester: VI -Paper: II

# **Subject: Broadcast Journalism: CGSBS**

[75MarksTheory 25: Internals (Class Test; Projects; Assignments & Practicals)]

# **Objectives:**

- 1. To understand the development of Broadcast Journalism.
- 2. To understand the importance of Regional Journalism in Broadcast Media
- 3. To learn to write in Broadcast Format conforming to the ethical and practical principles that guide it.
- 4. To introduce briefly the concepts of Convergence, Social Media & Online Journalism.

Module I [06-sessions]

# **\( \text{History & Development of Broadcast Journalism.} \)**

- (i) Brief History, Evolution & development of Radio journalism- Globally & in India.
- (ii) Brief History of the development of TV journalism- Globally & in India.
- (iii) Emerging Trends.

## **&** Evolution & Development of Radio:

The International Scenario- Marconi (Inventor of radio) till date- Timeline.

# Indian Scenario: All India Radio—

- Organizational structure.
- News Service Division of AIR;
- Objectives of broadcast—Information, Education &Entertainment;
- Commercial Broadcasting Service- Vividh Bharati, External Broadcast Service, National Service.
- Three tiers of Radio Broadcast—Local, Regional and National & FM service of AIR.
- Prasar Bharati Code of ethics for Public Service Broadcast.

#### **❖** Private FM Channels, Digital broadcast & Satellite radio

- Autonomy of Expansion of Private FM Radio channels.
- Digital Broadcast.
- Satellite Radio The Evolution & Growth; Satellite Radio with Digital broadcast.
- Developmental & Educational Role of AIR & Community Radio- Evolution & Growth.
- Internet Radio & Private FM Channels broadcast on Internet.

## **\*** Evolution & Development of TV:

- The International Scenario- John Baird (Inventor of TV) till date- Timeline.
- ❖ Indian scenario Doordarshan News; Entertainment, Culture, Sports & Films.

#### **Private & Satellite channels:**

- Growth of Private International, National & Regional TV Networks & fierce. competition for ratings.
  - Satellite television broadcast-Television channels for niche audiences entertainment, news, sports, science, health & life style.; HDTV telecast Proliferation of DTH services.

#### **\*** The Case Studies :

- **1. BBC:** : Evolution ,Organization, Policies& Programming- News Service- News on the hour & news updates, Radio Features, Catering to Transnational audiences, Advertising & promotion. Social Responsibility to audiences.
- **2. CNN**: Evolution ,Organization, Policies& Programming- News Service, Features, Concept of 24x7 news Catering to Transnational audiences, Advertising & promotion.

Module –II [06 sessions]

#### **Regional Journalism:**

[Introduction&Importance of Regional Channels in India & Globally]

- 1. News Channels- Star Majha, IBN Lokmat , Zee 24 Taas, Aamchi Mumbai, Sun News Network, Aaj Tak.
- 2. Radio Channels-Akashvani Marathi (SW/AM), Akashvani Mumbai GOLD (100.7 FM) Akashvani Mumbai Rainbow (107.1 FM), Sun Radio.

Module – III [06 sessions]

# **Broadcast Formats**:

#### **❖** News:

- Main characteristics of News as against news in other media.
- Spot news, News Bulletins & News analysis/ News Magazines/ Features.
- Announcements.

# **Features on Radio & TV**

- Talk Shows
- Reviews
- Talks
- Interviews

- Discussions.
- Documentaries.
- Docudramas.
- Plays/ Skits.
- Commentaries.

# **Other Programs**

- Music
- Sports

# Module – IV [10 sessions]

- **❖** Writing for Broadcast Media-( Radio& Television)
- Research in Broadcast.
- Broadcast News Vocabulary.
- Genres: Sports, Current Affairs, Lifestyle etc.
- Preparation of Audio and Video briefs- Idea generation, Scripting, Story board.
- Scripting for Interviews/Documentary/Feature/Drama/Skits on Radio & TV.

### Module - V:

# **Current & Emerging Trends in Broadcast Journalism : [08 sessions]**

- ❖ '24/7 news broadcast : Features, Audience effectiveness, advertisements & Dumbing down of News.
- **Ethics**: (including Censorship) in presentation of News.
- ❖ Convergence: Need, nature and future of convergence.

  Convergence and Multi-media: Use of Facebook & Twitter handles by Radio& TV channels, Internet TV/ Radio and MobileTV/Radio.
- **❖ Emerging Trends**: Mobile Technology, Social Media & Web eg.Hotstar, Voot, SonyLiv.
- ❖ **Digital storytelling /Features**: `Story idea, development and Presentation- Web series.
- Students' Internal assessment: Class Test/ Projects/Assignments: (25 marks)
  Suggested assignments:
- Scripting, Shooting, Editing & Presenting a News Event /Feature for TV (field event).
- Scripting a Radio show & presenting the same.
- ❖ (The assignments should make students aware of & understand the practical use of Radio & TV -Hardware & Software (Eg.) Microphones, Cameras, Lighting, Special effects, Sound effects, Consoles- Recording, Editing& Dubbing).

# **Suggested Readings:**

- 1. MacGregor, Brent; Live, Direct and Biased: Making TV news in the Satellite Age.
- 2. Parthasarthy, Ramaswamy; Here is the news; (1994) Sterling.
- 3. Herbert, John; Journalism in the Digital Age; 2000, Focal Press.
- 4. Hillard; Writing for TV, Radio and New Media; 7th Edition; Wadsworth.
- 5. Television Production by Phillip Harris.
- 6. Broadcast Journalism by David Keith Cohler (Prentice Hall).
- 7. De Maeseneer, Paul. Here's The News: A Radio News Manual. Asian Books.
- 8. Awasthi, G. C. Broadcasting in India. Allied Publications.
- 9. Chakravarthy, Jagdish. Net, Media and the Mass Communication. Authors press, New Delhi, 2004.
- 10. Bhargava, Gopal. Mass Media and Information Revolution. Isha Books, New Delhi, 2004.
- 11. Pavlik J.V. Media in the Digital Age. Columbia University Press.
- 12. Robert McLiesh Radio Production, Focal Press.
- 13. Janet Trewin Presenting on TV and Radio, Focal Press, New Delhi.
- 14. Andrew Boyd Techniques of Radio and Television News Publisher: Focal Press, India.

**15.** John Vernon Pavlik New Media Technology Allyn& Bacon ISBN 020527093X.

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