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Name of the Paper : Social Media and

Communication

Name of the Course : B.A. (H) Journalism : DSE

Semester

: VI

Duration: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 75

Instructions for Candidates

Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt 1. of this question paper.

- This question paper contains 2 parts. Both parts are 2. compulsory.
- 3. Candidates have to answer Any Three questions in Part A and ANY THREE questions in Part B.
- Questions in Part A carry 10 marks each and 4. questions in Part B carry 15 marks each.

PART A

Answer any THREE questions.

 $(3 \times 10 = 30)$

- 1. Define social media and discuss its fundamental characteristics, highlighting its nature in contemporary society.
- 2. Explain the principles and strategies of social media marketing, using a relevant case study to illustrate its effectiveness in achieving business objectives.
- 3. Write shorts notes on any TWO:
 - (a) Crowd sourcing
 - (b) Micro blogging
 - (c) Hash-tag activism
- 4. What do you understand by Social media ethics?
- 5. What are the emerging trends and potential developments shaping the future of social media?

PART B

Answer any THREE questions.

 $(3 \times 15 = 45)$

- 6. Examine the foundation concepts and prominent theories in social media studies, illustrating how they contribute to our comprehension of virtual engagements, user conduct, and cultural shifts within online environments.
 - 7. How does social media serve as a platform for providing social support? Discuss its applications and effectiveness giving suitable examples.
- 8. How does social media function as a news aggregator?

 Analyse its impact on the traditional news ecosystem.
- 9. Discuss the methods and metrics used for assessing audience interaction and the effectiveness of social media campaigns.

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