#### STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI 600 086 (For candidates admitted during the academic year 2009 – 10 & thereafter)

## SUBJECT CODE: PR/PC/CS34

#### M. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2011 PUBLIC RELATIONS THIRD SEMESTER

# COURSE: COREPAPER: PUBLIC RELATIONS PRACTICE: COMMUNICATION SKILLS - IIITIME: 3 HOURSMAX. MARKS: 100

#### SECTION – A

#### ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN NOT LESS THAN 50 WORDS: $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

- 1. Define Mass Communication.
- 2. Distinguish between primary and secondary groups.
- 3. Mention the three consequences of Media dependency.
- 4. Mention two key advantages of receiving news through Mobile phones.
- 5. Explain TRP. Which organization is involved in estimating TRP?
- 6. What are the advantages of press release through Online Media?
- 7. Give one indicator of the impact of Media relations on Newspaper coverage.
- 8. Define Social Media with a suitable example.
- 9. Mention the popular forms of Folk Media in Tamil Nadu.
- 10. What is GPS?

## **SECTION – B**

## ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS IN NOT LESS THAN 250 WORDS: (5 X 8 = 40)

- 11. What are the characteristic of opinion leaders?
- 12. How can social media be used as a PR tool/
- 13. Discuss the development of cable T.V in India.
- 14. Explain the concepts of interactivity in relations to Online Media.
- 15. Describe the market for English language newspapers in Chennai.
- 16. Outline the different stages of radio programme production.
- 17. What is the role of Mobile phones for rural development?

# **SECTION – C**

## ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS IN NOT LESS THAN 1000 WORDS: (2 x 20 = 40)

18. To what extent do you think violent T.V programmes affect children?

- 19. Discuss in detail the various techniques and technologies in printing.
- 20. What does it mean when Marshall Mc Luhen says 'Medium is the message'?
- 21. Briefly outline the role of Mass media in socio-economic development.

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