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Programme – B.Sc.(MSJ)-Hons-2023

Course Name – Security, Defense Issues and Media

Course Code - BMJ40112

( Semester IV )

Full Marks : 60

Time : 2:30 Hours

[The figure in the margin indicates full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.]

### Group-A

(Multiple Choice Type Question)

1 x 15=15

1. Choose the correct alternative from the following :

- (i) Choose the changing pattern of war in international politics.
  - a) Conventional warfare
  - b) Cyber warfare
  - c) Economic sanctions
  - d) Cultural exchanges
- (ii) Recall the key concept in Strategic Studies.
  - a) Soft power
  - b) Hard power
  - c) Smart power
  - d) All of these
- (iii) Relate the role of media in reporting on environmental security.
  - a) Ignoring environmental issues
  - b) Highlighting environmental crises
  - c) Promoting industrial growth
  - d) Supporting deforestation
- (iv) Relate the impact of media on public perception of terrorism.
  - a) Promoting fear
  - b) Providing accurate information
  - c) Ignoring terrorism
  - d) Supporting terrorist propaganda
- (v) Infer the impact of media on public opinion during political scandals.
  - a) Increased awareness
  - b) Misinformation
  - c) Enhanced credibility
  - d) No impact
- (vi) Identify an approach that promotes international peace.
  - a) Economic sanctions
  - b) Diplomacy
  - c) Military aggression
  - d) Isolationism
- (vii) Identify an example of soft power in security policies.
  - a) Military intervention
  - b) Economic sanctions
  - c) Cultural diplomacy
  - d) Trade bans
- (viii) Infer why cybersecurity is a growing concern.
  - a) Declining literacy rates
  - b) Increased digital dependence
  - c) Expansion of manual jobs
  - d) Climate change
- (ix) Identify the purpose of India's strategic defense partnerships.

- a) Strengthen economic ties
- b) Enhance security cooperation
- c) Reduce technology exchange
- d) Increase border tensions
- (x) Identify a major focus of international security policies.
  - a) Economic recession
  - b) Trade liberalization
  - c) Counterterrorism
  - d) Increasing tourism
- (xi) Identify the global institution that regulates media ethics.
  - a) UNESCO
  - b) FIFA
  - c) WTO
  - d) WHO
- (xii) Identify the impact of Western media on Indian foreign policy.
  - a) Influences diplomatic decisions
  - b) Increases trade agreements
  - c) Weakens political actors
  - d) Eliminates cultural diversity
- (xiii) Choose the major ethical issue in media reporting.
  - a) Fake news
  - b) Fact-checking
  - c) Objective reporting
  - d) Balanced coverage
- (xiv) Select the institution that monitors press freedom in India.
  - a) Press Council of India
  - b) NITI Aayog
  - c) Indian Space Research Organization
  - d) Election Commission
- (xv) Select the reason why media influences international relations.
  - a) Shapes public perception
  - b) Avoids global conflicts
  - c) Reduces diplomacy
  - d) Limits cooperation

#### Group-B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

3 x 5=15

- 2. Infer the impact of media on national security. (3)
- 3. Why is media important in reporting on international conflicts? (3)
- 4. Infer how media coverage of terrorism affects public perception and policy. (3)
- 5. Construct an explanation on how Western media portrays India's foreign policy. (3)
- 6. Inspect the role of media in shaping public perception during the 1971 war. (3)

OR

Classify the impact of globalization on India's foreign policy and media narratives post-1990. (3)

#### Group-C

(Long Answer Type Questions)

5 x 6=30

- 7. Classify the different ways Indian media engages with international institutions. (5)
- 8. Show how media reporting influences public opinion on national security issues. (5)
- 9. Explain how international institutions contribute to global peace and security. (5)
- 10. Illustrate how the concept of security has evolved over time. (5)
- 11. Explain how media can act as a diplomatic tool in international relations. (5)
- 12. Explain how the media influenced public perception during the Indo-China Conflict. (5)

OR

Appraise the role of Indian media in covering the Indo-Pak Partition. (5)

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