B. A. JOURNALISM AND DIGITAL MEDIA (BAJDM/BAFJDM)

Term-End Examination

June, 2025

BNM-028: DIGITAL MEDIA LITERACY

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 100

Note: Answer any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. Explain how verbal and visual elements shape the meaning of media texts. Give relevant examples.
- 2. Define media codes and conventions and explain their significance in news presentation.
- 3. Explain the concept of media convergence and discuss its impact on journalism and media consumption.

- 4. What are the three pillars of new media literacy and why are they essential for digital citizenship?
- 5. What are the key metrics used to evaluate advertising effectiveness? Explain with examples.
- 6. Define cyberspace and explain its key characteristics. Why is regulation of cyberspace essential? Discuss with examples.
- 7. Differentiate between misinformation, disinformation and malinformation with appropriate examples.
- 8. Answer any *four* of the following:
 - (a) What are common rhetorical devices in media texts?
 - (b) How does news framing influence audience perception?
 - (c) What role does semiotics play in media analysis?

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- (d) How does hypertextuality impact digital story-telling?
- (e) What is algorithmic bias and how does it affect digital media?
- (f) Why is user-generated content significant in digital media?

