

A MINORITY RUN COLLEGE. AFFILIATED TO UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA RECOGNISED UNDER SECTION 2(F) & 12 (B) OF THE UGC ACT, 1956

Programme Specific Outcomes (PSOs)

Journalism & Mass Communication (Honours)

Having completed graduation in Journalism and Mass Communication, the students are expected to acquire the following qualities:

- 1. The students will have the fundamental knowledge of communication theory and practice.
- 2. The students will acquire knowledge regarding theoretical foundations related to different media forms such as newspaper, television, radio etc.
- **3.** The students will be acquainted with the practical aspects of working in different media organizations such as newspaper, television, radio etc.
- 4. The students will learn the theory as well as techniques of professional communication practices such as advertising and public relations.
- 5. The students will know how to become effective and ethical communication practitioners contributing to social and national development.



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Upon having completed any graduation degree course from BESC, a student is expected to have acquired the following competencies/skills/values:

	Program Outcome	Description	
PO1	Subject Knowledge	Knowing the fundamentals of the different areas of discussion within the subject well enough	
	Method of Measurement:	Internal Assessment	
PO2	Applied Thinking	Applying the theoretical and practical concepts in actual situations in the real working environment	
	Method of Measurement:	Continuous Internal Assessment	
PO3	Research Orientation and	Gaining ability to pursue research avenues related to the subject either in	
	Aptitude	the academic or in the professional sphere that may lead to a vibrant knowledge economy	
	Method of Measurement:	Regular Teacher-Student Interactive Sessions	
PO4	Higher Education Foundation	Gaining ability to pursue higher studies in the subject and enhance their knowledge on the same	
	Method of Measurement:	Internal Assessment	
PO5	Informed Citizenry	Displaying information awareness regarding pertinent issues concerning the civic life of the society and the nation towards willingly and actively contributing to social and national development as sincere citizens	
	Method of Measurement:	Regular Teacher-Student Interactive Sessions	
PO6	Personality Development and Social Ethics	Gaining personality development skills and ethical awareness critical to balancing between individual professional needs and collective social expectations	
	Method of Measurement:	Regular Teacher-Student Interactive Sessions	
PO7	Group Activity and Team Spirit	Gaining coordination and team work spirit towards fostering and contributing to team environment rather than individual excellence at the cost of group performance efficiency	
	Method of Measurement:	Regular Teacher-Student Interactive Sessions	
PO8	Socio-Cultural and Environmental Responsibility	Becoming socio-culturally and environmentally aware and respons citizens and working accordingly towards the betterment of the soc and the nation	
	Method of Measurement:	Regular Teacher-Student Interactive Sessions	
PO9	Self-directed and Life-long	Gaining ability to set learning goals and relevant resources	
	Learning Skills	independently and in a sustained manner towards improving already acquired competencies or new ones based on individuality and performance analysis	
	Method of Measurement:	Regular Teacher-Student Interactive Sessions	



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Course Outcomes (COs)

Journalism & Mass Communication Honours (CBCS)

Semester – 1 Course Outcomes	
PAPER	COURSE OUTCOME
JORA-CC-1-1-TH: Introduction to Journalisn	1
Unit 1 News: meaning and concept, Hard news vs. Soft news, attribution, verification, balance and fairness, brevity, dateline, credit line, by line; Different forms of print-A historical Perspective, Penny press, Tabloid press	1.1.1. Elementary knowledge of fundamental news journalism concepts
Unit 2	1.1.2. Elementary knowledge
Language of news- Robert Gunning: Principles of clear writing Rudolf Flesch formula- skills to write news; Sociology of news: Factors affecting news treatment, Paid news and Yellow journalism, Agenda Setting, Trial by media, gatekeepers; Politics of news; Neutrality and bias in news	of some advanced concepts of journalism
JORA-CC-1-1-P: Introduction to Journalism-Pract	ical
Unit-3 (Practical) Basic knowledge of Computer for print journalism; Handling Page Making Software and Photo Editing Software; Writing a News Report from given points; Writing Headlines from News Stories; Writing Intro; language of news	1.1.3. Elementary knowledge of print journalism practical
Unit-4 (Practical) Rewriting and summarizing a given piece of news with headlines and suitable intro; Creating a sample page on computer with hard and soft news; Writing Anchor Story; Writing article; Assignment: Preparing a presentation on types and categories of News	1.1.4. Elementary knowledge of news assignment handling
JORA-CC-1-2-TH+TU: History of Indian Journali	sm
Unit-1 Early Indian Journalism: Contributions of James Augustus Hickey, James Silk Buckingham and Calcutta Journal, Serampore Baptist Missionary Press: Digdarshan, Samachar Darpan; Social Reform Movement and Raja Rammohan Roy	1.2.1. Overview of the origin and early history of print journalism in India
Unit-2 H.L.V. Derozio and Young Bengal Movement, Iswar Chandra Gupta and Sambad Prabhakar; History of Press Ordinances and Liberation of Press; Inception and Rise of Nationalist Journalism: Hindu Patriot and contributions of Harish Chandra Mukherjee, Somprakash; Movement against Vemacular Press Act	1.2.2. Overview of the evolution of print journalism in India
Unit-3 Extremist Press: Sandhya, Bande-Mataram and Jugantar; Contribution of Bipin Chandra Pal and Bal Gangadhar Tilak; Contribution of Mahatma Gandhi	1.2.3. Overview of journey of print journalism in pre- independent India



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in Indian Journalism; Contributions of Nationalist Press in Freedom	
Movement: National Herald, The Hindustan Times, The Indian Express	
Unit-4	1.2.4. Overview of journey
Recommendations of Indian Press Commissions; Rise of newspaper houses:	of print journalism in post-
Ananda Bazar Patrika - The Telegraph, National Herald, The Hindu, The	independent India
Times of India, The Statesman; Development of News Agencies;	
Contributions of Eminent Journalists: M. Chalapathi Rau, Vivekananda	
Mukhopadhyay, Barun Sengupta, Dilip Padgaonkar, N. Ram	
Semester – 2 Course Outcomes	
JORA-CC-2-3-TH+TU: Reporting and Editing	
Unit-1	2.3.1. Knowledge of
News: Elements, Values, Objectivity; Beat and Source: definitions, Principles	advanced concepts of news
of News (Report) Writing: Intro, Lead; Principles of Agency News; Principle	journalism
of Page Making; Interviewing: Research, planning, framing questions, writing	
the piece; Feature: Definition, Types; Advertorials	
Unit-2	2.3.2. Overview of the
Positions, qualities, duties and responsibilities of: Correspondents: Special	structure and functioning of
Correspondent, District Correspondent, Foreign Correspondent; Columnist,	a newspaper organization
Photo Journalist, News Coordinator, Executive Editor, Assistant Editor, Chief	
Reporter, Chief Sub-Editor, Sub-Editor, News Editor, Chief of News Bureau;	
Headline: types, importance, writing headline for newspaper; Principle of	
writing an Editorial, Post Editorial; Principles of Sub-Editing	
Unit-3	2.3.3. Knowledge of various
Specialization in Journalism: Interpretative and Investigative Journalism,	specialized fields of
Political Journalism, Crime and Legal Journalism, Public Affairs Reporting,	Journalism
Human Interest Stories and Human Rights Reporting, Corporate, Economic,	
Financial and Business Journalism	
Unit-4	2.3.4. Knowledge of various
Agriculture Journalism, Science Journalism, Sports Journalism, Film	specialized fields and genres
Journalism, Environment Journalism, Fashion and Entertainment Journalism,	of journalism
Page-3 Reporting, Column Writing, Writing for Magazine, Special and	
supplementary Pages	
JORA-CC-2-4-TH: Media and Communication	
Unit-1	2.4.1. Elementary knowledge
Communication: Definition, Processes and Semiotic school; Forms of	of communication forms,
Communication (verbal, non-verbal, paralanguage, iconic, semiotic etc.),	levels and functions
Levels of Communication (intrapersonal, interpersonal, group, public, mass	
communication), Functions of communication and mass communication	
(surveillance, correlation, transmission, entertainment, validation,	
mobilization)	
Unit-2	2.4.2. Elementary knowledge



Role of Media in a Democracy: Responsibility to Society, Contemporary debates and issues relating to media; Online journalism, Citizen Journalism; Covering news: Covering Speeches, Meetings and Press Conferences; Covering of beats-crime, courts, city reporting, local reporting, hospitals, health; education, sports; Understanding new media: e-mail, social media; Ethics in journalism	of media-society relations and practical news-gathering and reporting
JORA-CC-2-4-P: Introduction to Media and Commu	nication
Unit-3 (Practical) Writing a News Feature; Writing feature on other topics of interest; Principles of Editing a given piece of News Report and Agency Copy including a suitable lead and headline; Writing Column; Book Review, Film Review, Review of Television Programmes, Writing Editorial, writing post- editorial, Writing Anchor Story	2.4.3. Practical knowledge of journalistic writings
Unit-4: (Practical)	2.4.4. Practical knowledge of
Assignments : Publishing a Tabloid Journal using Page making software and photo editing software; Elements of page design including slug, info-graphics, blurbs, shoulder, reverse etc.	news presentation in print media
Semester – 3 Course Outcomes	
JORA-CC-3-5-TH+TU: Communication, Media, Societ	y
Unit-1 Classical Rhetoric form of Communication; Shannon-Weaver's Mathematical model of communication and criticism; Schramm-Osgood's Interactive model of communication; Newcomb's Systemic model and Westley-McLean's Mass Communication model; David Berlo's Linear model; Roman Jakobson's communication model; Basic concepts of Semiology: Sign, Code, Text Unit-2 Normative theories of press; Four Models of communication: Transmission Model, Ritual or Expressive, Publicity model, Reception model; McQuail's four theories of mass communication: Social scientific theory, Normative theory, Operational theory, Everyday or Common sense theory	3.5.1. Elementary knowledge of some communication models3.5.2. Elementary knowledge of some communication theories
Unit-3 Phases of media society relations: Mass Society, Functionalism, Critical Political Economy, Technological Determinism, Information Society; Dominant media paradigm and Hypodermic series of models, One-step flow theory, Development paradigm of media: Two-step flow theory, Diffusion of Innovation and Media Dependency theory; Active Audience proposition: Uses and Gratifications model	3.5.3. Advanced knowledge of media-society relations
Unit-4 Cultivation Theory; Agenda Setting series of models (Priming-Framing-Gatekeeping-Agenda Setting); Spiral of Silence; Information Imbalance: McBride Commission; Globalization of media and Propaganda model;	3.5.4. Further understanding of media-society relations in relation to recent communication theories and



Understanding Media Conglomeration; Corporate (organizational)	global trends
Communication models: Conduit Model, Grapevine model	
JORA-CC-3-6-TH+TU: Media and Cultural Stud	lies
Unit-1	3.6.1. Elementary knowledge
Frankfurt Critical School: Culture Industry; Semiotic School: Ferdinand De	of communication schools
Saussure, C.S. Peirce, Roland Barthes: Meaning of text message, Signification,	and their key thinkers
Myth; Birmingham School: Centre for Contemporary Cultural Studies;	
Marshall McLuhan: Medium is the Message	
Unit-2	3.6.2. Introduction to
Understanding Culture; Definitions of Culture: Mass Culture, Popular Culture,	communication and culture
Folk Culture; Elite culture, Commercial culture; Media as Texts; Signs and	studies
Codes in Media, Discourse Analysis; Understanding Media Culture: Media	
Culture and Power; Assignments: understanding media Codes, Texts	
Unit-3	3.6.3. Introduction to
Ev. Rogers' Development communication school, Dominant Paradigm of	development communication
Development Model; Communication and development of third world media:	
Indian experience; Public Sphere and Public Media: Jurgen Habermas;	
Corporatization and Globalization of Mass Media	
Unit-4	3.6.4. Elementary knowledge
Political Economy of media, Ideology and Hegemony; Ideas of Cultural	of some advanced concepts
Studies: Colonialism, Postcolonialism, Nationalism, Internationalism, Hybrid	of media-society relations
Culture, Poststructuralism and Postmodernism; Representation of nation, class,	
caste and gender issues in Media (assignment based)	
JORA-CC-3-7-TH: Introduction to Radio	
Unit-1	3.7.1. Overview of the
History of AIR; Inception and Growth of Radio News in India; Educational	history, evolution and recent
Radio in Developing countries (Neurath Project); Development of	trends of radio as a mass
entertainment programmes in AIR: reach and access; From Amateur or Ham to	medium in India
FM and Digitalization of Radio in India; Radio in democratic periphery:	
participatory, community driven, special need like disaster; Audience segment	
Unit-2	3.7.2. Knowledge of AIR
Autonomy of AIR: Prasar Bharati; Radio formats: Community Radio, Campus	functioning and radio
Radio; National Programme in AIR; Radio Jockey: Role and Responsibilities	formats
Unit-3	3.7.3. Theoretical knowledge
Radio Magazine, Interview, Talk Show, Discussion, Feature, Documentary	of radio program production
Studio interviews, Panel discussions, Phone-in programmes; Pre-Production	
for Radio Script: Writing radio commercials, teasers and promos	
JORA-CC-3-7-P: Introduction to Radio	
Unit-4 (Practical)	3.7.4. Elementary knowledge
Radio Personnel; Radio Script: Pre-Production, Production skills;	of radio news production
Copywriting; Field recording skills, live studio broadcast with multiple	



sources, Cuesheet and recording, news production; Editing, Creative use of			
Sound Editing (Computer based), special sound effects, Phone-in programme			
JORA-SEC-A-3-1-TH: Radio Writings & Presenta	ation		
Unit-1	SEC-A		
Radio writing techniques: Writing for radio idioms and spoken word, elements	3.1.1. Knowledge of radio		
of radio news; Radio feature, News reel, Radio Talk, Interview; Pre-	news writing, forms and		
production idea and research, radio script, storyboarding, proposal writing,	production		
budget, floor plan, pilot; Production: Use of sound, listening, recording, using			
archived sound; Editing: creative aspects of editing; Ethical issues			
Unit-2	SEC-A		
Working in Radio news room; functions of recording room; Sound for Radio:	3.1.2. Advanced knowledge		
different types- Sync/non-sync/natural and ambience sound; Frequency and	of radio program production		
Wavelength; Analogue to Digital Sound; Special effects, menu and synthesis			
JORA-SEC-A-3-2-TH: Photo Journalism			
Unit 1	SEC-A		
Introduction to Photo Journalism: basic needs of photography, Importance of	3.2.1. Elementary		
photographs in print media; Evaluating Photo Journalist's job; Photo caption in	knowledge of Photo		
print media, Analysis of a Photo Text, Handling Photography Equipments;	Journalism		
Digital Photography; Ethics of Photo Journalism; Case Studies in Photo			
Journalism			
Unit 2	SEC-A		
Understanding the mechanisms of Photography: Types of photographic	3.2.2. Advanced knowledge		
cameras and their structure (Pin-hole, SLR, TLR, D-SLR); Lenses (types and	of photo journalism		
their perspective/angle of view); Aperture (f-stop & T-stop); Shutters (Focal			
plane & Lens shutter); Light meters (Incident, reflected & through Lens:			
Average, Centre weighted, Spot & Metrics) and Focus and Depth of Field;			
Assignment: Outdoor photo-shoot on 10 news-based issues with suitable			
captions/analyses; editing of photographs with photo editing software			
Semester – 4 Course Outcomes			
JORA-CC-4-8-TH: Introduction to Television			
Unit-1	4.8.1. Overview of the		
Public Service Broadcasting: Doordarshan: early days, introduction of news,	history, evolution and recent		
commercials and entertainment; Satellite TV to Private TV; 24X7 news and	trends of television as a mass		
news channels; narrowcasting and outside coverage; audience segment;	medium in India		
Agenda Setting techniques used by TV channels; Ethical issues and recent			
sting operations			
Unit-2	4.8.2. Elementary knowledge		
Television programme format: Visual text: basics of visual, reporting skills	of television news production		
and editing, graphics and special effects, camera positioning; TV news			
techniques: finding the story, packaging: use of clippings, PTC, VO, AVO;			
Viewership rating: TAM, TRP			



Unit-3	4.8.3. Elementary knowledge
Presenting real lives in Television: constructing reality in reality shows; TV	of television non-news
Talk Shows: Hosting, Legal pitfalls; Soap, News Magazine, Interview;	program production
Television Documentaries: understanding, writing a concept, script writing and	
shooting	
JORA-CC-4-8-P: Introduction to Television	Γ
Unit-4 (Practical)	4.8.4. Advanced knowledge
Editing: Introduction to Video Editing, Camera and Shooting techniques,	of television program
Editing Techniques, TV Script Writing	production
Practical Exercise:	
(a) Producing a Documentary Film (Duration: 8-15 Minutes) with Viva-Voce;	
OR	
(b) Producing a Feature Film (Duration: 5 Minutes) with Viva-Voce	
JORA-CC-4-9-TH+TU: Film Theories and Produce	ction
Unit-1	4.9.1. Overview of film as a
Film and Cinema; Film as a medium of mass communication; History of	mass medium and world
Indian Motion Pictures; French New Wave Cinema: Left Bank and Cahier du	cinema
cinema group; Italian Neo-Realist Movement; Auteur theory; An Overview of	
Iranian New Wave Cinema: Abbas Kiarostami, Mohsen Makmalbaf, Jafar	
Panahi; Imperfect Cinema of Latin America	
Unit-2	4.9.2. Overview of Indian
Overview of Indian New Wave: Satyajit Ray, Ritwik Ghatak, Mrinal Sen,	New Wave and other film
Shyam Benegal, Rituparno Ghosh, Aparna Sen, Mira Nair, Adoor	genres in India
Gopalkrishnan; Exploring contemporary Bombay cinema narratives: Satire,	
Action, Family melodrama, Masala films, Gangster films, Nationalist,	
Underworld drama, NRI narratives; History of Documentary Films; Animation	
cinema	
Unit-3	4.9.3. Elementary knowledge
Film production: Pre-production, production and post-production; Basic	of film production
camera shots and sequence; Direction; Editing, Dubbing, Lights, Sound	
Effects and Music; Language of cinema: Montage, Mise-en-scene	
Unit-4	4.9.4. Overview of
History of Documentary Films (Global and Indian Perspectives); Documentary	documentary film-making in
movements in India; Role of NFDC and Films Division; Role of CBFC in	India and some international
India; Contributions of Filmmakers: Akira Kurosawa, Ingmar Bergman, Sergei	filmmakers
Eisenstein, Federico Felini, Charles Chaplin	
JORA-CC-4-10-TH+TU Media Management, Press	Laws
Unit-1	4.10.1. Elementary
Media Ownership: types of various media ownership patterns; Changing	knowledge of media
patterns of Media management; Corporatization of mass media after	management in the Indian
globalization; FDI in Indian media; Managerial departments of newspaper and	context



functions	
Unit-2	4.10.2. Elementary
Dual Economy: Circulation versus Advertisement; Media Autonomy: Prasar	knowledge of media
Bharati experience; Digital Development of media and legal frameworks;	management concepts and
DTH, TRP; Apex Regulatory and Publicity Bodies: ABC, NRS, DAVP, PIB,	organisations
Publication Division, Films Division	
Unit-3	4.10.3. Knowledge of press
Freedom of Information and freedom of press: Indian experience; From Press	freedom in the Indian context
Commission to Press Council of India: before and after globalization; Right to	
Information Act, Right to privacy	
Unit-4	4.10.4. Knowledge of media
Freedom of speech and expression; Media Laws: Defamation, Contempt of	laws in the Indian context
Court, Sedition, Official Secrets Act, Copyright Act, Press Registrations of	laws in the indian context
Books Act, Obscenity Act, Working Journalists Act, Parliamentary	
Proceedings Act, Code of Ethics	
JORA-SEC-B-4-1: Documentary Film Producti	 0n
Unit 1	SEC-B
Understanding the Documentary film, Introduction to Realism, Debate;	4.1.1 Theoretical knowledge
Observational and Verite documentary; Introduction to Shooting styles;	of documentary filmmaking
Introduction to Editing styles; Structure and scripting the documentary	of documentary minimaking
Unit 2	SEC-B
Documentary Production, Pre-Production, Researching the Documentary,	4.1.2 Introduction to
Research: Library, Archives, location, life stories, ethnography; Writing a	
concept: telling a story; Treatment; Writing a proposal and budgeting	documentary film production
JORA-SEC-B-4-2: Feature Film Production	
Unit-1	SEC-B.
Basic production concepts and elements of screenwriting for a low budget;	4.2.1 Theoretical knowledge
Basic principles of camera composition and lighting for a "film look";	of feature filmmaking
Developing story ideas from contemporary events, personal experiences,	of reature minimaking
favorite movie genres; Making an outline of basic plot development (setup,	
confrontation, payoff); filling it in with descriptions of the action, and finally	
the dialogue	
Unit-2	SEC-B
Effective and efficient methods of shooting scenes for editing, and working	4.2.2 Introduction to feature
with actors; Actual production of the class script(s); Evaluating raw footage	film production
and possible post-production fixes for faults; Editing the footage for maximum	This production
impact; Adding sound effects, ADR, and music scoring; fine cut	
Semester – 5 Course Outcomes JORA-CC-5-11-TH: Introduction to New Media	
Semester – 5 Course Outcomes	5.11.1. Knowledge of key



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meanings - Digital media, new media, online, media; Overview of Online	
Journalism: Why newspapers and broadcast outlets are on the Web;	
Understanding Virtual Cultures and Digital Journalism; Information society	
and new media, Technological Determinism, Computer Mediated	
Communication (CMC), Networked Society	
Unit-2	5.11.2. Knowledge of some
Internet and its Beginnings, Remediation and New Media technologies, Online	advanced new media
Communities, User Generated Content and Web 2.0, Networked Journalism,	concepts
Alternative Journalism; Social, Media in Context, Activism and New Media;	
Citizen and Participatory Journalism: Hyperlocal Journalism; Security and	
Ethical Challenges in Online Journalism: Security challenges, Ethics of online	
journalism	
JORA-CC-5-11-P: Introduction to New Media	l
Unit-3 (Practical)	5.11.3. Practical knowledge
Tools of Online Journalism: Multimedia, Interactivity, Hyperlinks, Weblogs	of key new media concepts
and Content Management Systems (CMS); New Media and Social Networks:	
New Media, Social Networking and media activities; websites	
Unit-4 (Practical)	5.11.4. Practical knowledge
Linear and Non-linear writing, Contextualized Journalism, Writing	of some advanced new media
Techniques, Linking, Multimedia, Storytelling structures, Visual and Content	concepts
Design, Website planning and visual design, Content strategy and Audience	
Analysis, Brief history of Blogging, Creating and Promoting a Blog	
JORA-CC-5-12-TH+TU: Development Communic	ation
Unit-1	5.12.1. Overview of the
Development: Concept, concerns, paradigms; Concept of development,	history and evolution of the
Measurement of development, Development versus growth, Human	concept of development
development, Development as freedom, Models of development, Basic needs	
model: Nehruvian model, Gandhian model, Panchayati raj, Developing	
countries versus developed countries, UN millennium dev goals	
Unit-2	5.12.2. Overview of the
Development communication: Concept and approaches, Paradigms of	history and evolution of the
development: Dominant paradigm, dependency, alternative paradigm, Dev	concept of development
comm. models - diffusion of innovation, empathy, magic multiplier,	communication
Alternative Dev comm. approaches: Sustainable Development, Participatory	
Development, Inclusive Development, Gender and development, Development	
support comm. – definition, genesis, area woods triangle	
Unit-3	5.12.3. Understanding media
Role of media in development, Mass Media as a tool for development,	as a tool of development
Creativity, role and performance of each media-comparative study of pre- and	L. L
post-liberalization eras, Role, performance record of each medium- print,	
radio, TV, video, traditional media, Role of development agencies and NGOs	
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in development communication			
Unit-4	5.12.4. Knowledge of history		
Critical appraisal of dev comm. programmes and govt. schemes: SITE, Krishi	of development		
Darshan, Kheda, Jhabua, MNREGA; Cyber media and dev –e-governance,	communication in the Indian		
national knowledge network, ICT for dev, narrow casting Development	context		
support communication in India in the areas of: agriculture, health& family	context		
welfare, population, women empowerment, poverty, unemployment, energy			
and environment, literacy, consumer awareness			
JORA-DSE-A-5-1-TH+TU: Global Media & Poli	tics		
Unit-1	DSE-A		
Imbalances in Global Information Flow: Rise of International News Agencies;	5.1.1. Introduction to global		
Toward an alternative World Communication Order and McBride	communication studies		
Commission; International Media Regulations	communication statics		
Unit-2	DSE-A		
Gulf War and the rise of Global Media; Introduction to Global Media: NY	5.1.2. Knowledge of global		
Times, Wall Street Journal, Aljazeera. Major international television channels:	media organisations		
BBC, CNN, FOX, CBC; Globalization of Media: Media Conglomeration			
Time-Warner, Viacom, Walt Disney Corporation, News Corporation,			
Bartelsmann, Vivendi International, GE, Sony			
Unit-3	DSE-A		
Cross Culture Communication- Problems among nations, Press System of	5.1.3. Introduction to cross		
Neighbouring countries of Indian subcontinent before and after Globalization,	cultural communication and		
Herbert Schiller: Concept of Media Imperialism; Media and Present Indian	media imperialism studies		
Market: Information War, Fake Information; Global Satellite System-Cable &			
Satellite TV (C&S), Direct to Home (DTH), Internet Protocol TV (IPTV)			
JORA-DSE-A-5-2-TH+TU: Media, Human Rights, Gender, Environment Studies			
Unit-1	DSE-A		
Rights: inherent, inalienable, universal, indivisible; Values: Dignity, liberty,	5.2.1. Introduction to human		
equality, justice, unity in diversity; Balance between Rights and Duties;			
Problems: Poverty, underdevelopment and illiteracy; Women, children and the	C		
disadvantaged groups			
Unit-2	DSE-A		
Freedom and Responsibility, Freedom of Speech and Expression, Universal	5.2.2. Introduction to human		
Declaration of Human Rights, National Human Rights Commission, State	rights in the global and		
Human Rights Commissions, RTI, Right to Privacy	Indian context		
Unit-3	DSE-A		
Media exposure and Gender Construction, Media stereotypes in newspaper,	5.2.3. Introduction to media		
Gender & Advertising, Indecent representation of women in media (Act),	and gender studies		
Masculinity and Femininity: Cultural Studies, Feminist movement and Media			
Studies			
Unit-4	DSE-A		



Human Rights Institutions: Amnesty International; NGOs; Major Human Rights Issues in India; Presentation: Human Rights issues and violations in international scenario and media operations5.2.4. Knowledge of hum rights' institutions and so pertinent case studiesJORA-DSE-B-5-1-TH+TU: Multimedia JournalismDSE-BUnit 1DSE-BIntroduction to Multimedia; Multimedia and interactivity, Basics of multimedia reporting, importance of audio, photo and video production skills in the newsroom in contemporary times, brainstorming about story, ideas, legal and ethical issues and diversity in the media - media law, ethics, multicultural sensitivity5.1.1. Introduction to multimedia, ethics,	key
international scenario and media operationspertinent case studiesJORA-DSE-B-5-1-TH+TU: Multimedia JournalismUnit 1DSE-BIntroduction to Multimedia; Multimedia and interactivity, Basics of multimedia reporting, importance of audio, photo and video production skills in the newsroom in contemporary times, brainstorming about story, ideas, legal and ethical issues and diversity in the media - media law, ethics,DSE-B5.1.1concepts	key
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Unit-2 DSE-B	
Print: Multi-platform Communications; Leads and Nut Graphs, News Writing for Web, Content Development, Sources and Online Research, Story Organization, Strategies for effective interviewing and note taking, Interviewing Techniques5.1.2. Introduction multimedia news products	to on
Unit-3 DSE-B	
Audio & Video Content: Focus on audio recording, telling stories with sources5.1.3.Introductionand natural sound, bytes, editing & Placement of sound, Storytelling with video, broadcasting/ webcasting: Collecting content, Structuring story and writing5.1.3.Introduction	to sual
Unit-4 DSE-B	
Mobile journalism: Screen sizes & responsive web, Information multimedia and web architecture, corporate websites, web feature stories, key points for web interactive narrative, interactive users vs. linear narratives, Interactive writer	oile
JORA-DSE-B-5-2-TH+TU: Communication Research	
Unit-1 DSE-B	
Introduction to Research: Definition, Role, Function, Basic and Applied Research, Scientific Approach, Role of theory, in research, Steps of Research (Research question, Hypothesis, Review of Literature) 5.2.1. Introduction to gen research concepts	eral
Unit-2 DSE-B	
Methods of Media Research: Qualitative-quantitative components, Content Analysis, Exploratory research: Qual-Quan (Mixed) method, Narrative Analysis, Historical Research, Semiotic Research Methods; Chi-Square Test, T-Test, Likert Scale5.2.2. Introduction to communication research concepts	•
Unit-3 DSE-B	
Sampling: Need for Sampling, Sampling Methods, Representativeness of the Samples, Sampling Error, Tools of data collection: Primary and Secondary data-Questionnaire, Focus Groups, Telephone, Surveys, Online Polls,	to .on
Published work DSE-B	



Data Analysis Techniques; Coding and Tabulation, Non-Statistical Methods	5.2.4. Introduction to
(Descriptive and Historical), Bibliography Writing the research report,	quantitative research
Ethnographies and other Methods, Readership and Audience Surveys;	techniques and research
Ethnographies, textual analysis, discourse analysis; Ethical perspectives of	ethics
mass media research	eunes
Semester – 6 Course Outcomes	
JORA-CC-6-13-TH: Advertising	
Unit-1	6.13.1. Introduction to key
Advertisement as a medium of communication: Contemporary experiences;	advertising concepts and
historical overview of advertising, socio-economic and cultural impact;	models
Advertising theories: AIDA model, DAGMAR, Maslow's hierarchy model;	
advertising in mass media: media positioning, planning and scheduling	
Unit-2	6.13.2. Introduction to
Advertising research; advertising campaigning strategy (CPT analysis); Sales	advertising research and
and marketing: SWOT(C) analysis, marketing and sales promotion, Unique	ethics
Selling Proposition, consumer behaviour; Target Audience; brand positioning;	culles
Surrogate Advertising: Surrogacy vs. Sabotage; Ethics and Law: Advertising	
ethics and Laws, Cultural codes; Online Advertising	
Unit-3	6.13.3. Introduction to
Ad Agency: research and planning including media planning, work procedure,	advertisement production
agency-client relationship; Regulatory Boards, Case studies	ud vertisement production
JORA-CC-6-13-P: Advertising	
Unit-4 (Practical)	6.13.4. Advanced knowledge
Types of advertisement: Classified-display, Local-regional-national-	of advertisement production
international Ad, consumer- corporate ad, industrial-trade-retail Ad,	
government-private, outdoor, surrogate, radio-TV- internet-mobile;	
Advertisement copy and lay-out: Headline, Illustration, Subhead-Text, Slogan,	
Logo, Storyboard making; Thumbnail-Rough-Final lay-out, Television	
Commercials	
JORA-CC-6-14-TH+TU: Public Relations	
Unit-1	6.14.1. Introduction to public
PR-Definitions, historical overview of the discipline, PR as Management	relations
function, Image Management; Public Relations versus Advertisement; Non-PR	
issues: Publicity, Propaganda, Public Opinion and Marketing; Publics:	
Definition, types; Integrated Marketing Communication	
Unit-2	6.14.2. Introduction to PR
PR Theories and principles: Research, planning, implementation and	Theories, principles and
evaluation; James Grunig's Four PR models: Publicity model, Public	models
Information model, Two-way asymmetrical model, Two-way symmetrical	
mormation model, two-way asymmetrical model, two-way symmetrical	
model; Strategic Communication; PRO: Role, Qualities and Functions	



Tools of PR: Press Release, Annual Report, House Journal, Press Conference	tools and stakeholders
and Press Tour, Corporate Film; Relationship Management: Media Relations,	
Community Relations and CSR, Internal or Employee Relations	
Unit-4	6.14.4. Introduction to PR
Financial PR; Crisis PR: Issue-emergency-crisis, Crisis PR strategies; PR	and crisis management
Agency: New Trends, In-house PR vs Agency, Client Agency relationship	
JORA-DSE-A-6-3-TH+TU: Dissertation with Preser	itation
1. Students will do a micro research project (7000 to 8000 words) on any	DSE-A
topic of social, political, cultural interest. The dissertation must include	6.3.1. Knowledge of research
proper reference, bibliography.	activity and presentation
2. Students getting the project accomplished have to prepare a suitable	
presentation (of 10 minutes) strictly on the topic for Viva-Voce.	
JORA-DSE-A-6-4-TH+TU: Political Communica	tion
Unit-1	DSE-A
Political Communication- Definition; Relationship of politics with mediated	6.4.1. Introduction to
communication; Theoretical approaches: Jurgen Habermas on Political	political communication
Communication; Role of media in politics: Power or Democratic Participation;	
Media bias, political participation and media choice	
Unit-2	DSE-A
Mass persuasion and propaganda: Priming and Agenda Setting;	6.4.2. Introduction to media,
Responsibilities of media in framing public opinion: Walter Lippmann, public	politics and policy-making
policy, Noam Chomsky: Media Control; Channels of political communication;	
Mediation, facilitation and dialogue; Leadership, politics and social advocacy;	
Fundamentals of political engagement	
Unit-3	DSE-A
Identity politics in India: Role of mass media; The modern discourse of	6.4.3. Elementary knowledge
identity; Rhetoric of Social Movements, local assertions and its links to global	of political communication in
assertions, Human Development Index, Development and Environmental	the Indian context
Concerns - conflict of interests between economic and environmental concerns	
Unit-4	DSE-A
Symbolic and cultural forms of communication between politicians and their	6.4.4. Elementary knowledge
publics; Election campaign strategies; Coverage of election campaigns in	of media usage in political
Indian media; Opinion and Exit Polls: Political Framing. Political	communication in the Indian
Advertisements; Digital Media and Political communication; Digital Political	context
campaigning; Fundamentals of Digital political advertising; Social media	
strategies in political communication: Use of Facebook, WhatsApp and	
Twitter	
JORA-DSE-B-6-3-TH+TU: Folk and Community M	Iedia
Unit-1	DSE-B
Culture and Tradition-Meaning of Culture, Tradition, Oral tradition; Dominant	6.3.1. Introduction to culture
Culture versus Subaltern Culture	and oral tradition



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Unit-2	DSE-B		
Impact of Five Year Plans in fulfillment of rural development; NGO	6.3.2. Introduction to		
communication: Extension of rural objectives; Role of Rural Newspapers and	community media and rural		
Periodicals in contrast to District Pages of corporate newspaper houses	development		
Unit-3	DSE-B		
Community and Folk Media in West Bengal; Definition and characteristics of	6.3.3. Introduction to		
community; Traditional Folk Media (TFM) - Concept and Forms - meaning,	community and folk media in		
characteristics; Difference from Mass Media	West Bengal		
Unit-4	DSE-B		
Various forms of Folk Media in India: Tamasha, Keertana, Yakshagana,	6.3.4. Introduction to various		
Nautanki, Jatra, Bhavai, Ramlila and Raslila; Important Folk forms of Bengal:	folk media forms in India		
Gambhira, Kabigaan, Chhou, Raibenshe, Alkap, Kabigaan, Yatra, Leto, Baul			
JORA-DSE-B-6-4-TH+TU: Health & Science Commu	nication		
Unit-1	DSE-B		
Characteristics of Health Communication; Barriers to Effective Health	6.4.1. Introduction to health		
Communication; Strategies to improve health communication; Understanding	communication concepts		
culture to promote health communication; Health and Media: Changing health			
behaviour			
Unit-2	DSE-B		
Health care system in India; Introduction to Epidemiology for Health	6.4.2. Introduction to health		
Communicators; Effective interpersonal communication between health care	communication skills		
provider and client; Impediment to a Sound Provider-Patient Relationship;			
Community Involvement in Health communication; Engaging patients in			
healthcare; Health literacy			
Unit-3	DSE-B		
Contemporary Health Care Marketing; Interactive Marketing	6.4.3. Introduction to health		
Communications; Advanced Writing for Health Communicators; Research	communication and media		
Methods for Health Communicators; Social Media Strategies and Tactics for	strategies		
Health Communicators; Writing about medicine; mobile health design	suategies		
Unit-4	DSE-B		
Media and science journalism; Science as an essential element in political,	6.4.4. Introduction to science		
corporate and community news; major issues in science journalism; essential	journalism concepts		
features of science reporters; role of a science page editor; popular science	Journansin concepts		
magazines - scope of science journalism on radio & television in developing			
countries; science based serials on radio and television; science journalism for			
the digital media			



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