

M.A./M.Sc. Part - II Annual Examination - 2020

Subject: Tourism & Hospitality Management
Paper: I / THM-401 (Room Division Management)

Roll No.

Time: 3 Hrs. Marks: 100

NOTE: Attempt any FIVE questions. All questions carry equal marks.

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Question #1

- a) What is a "green hotel? Why are hotels interested in being green?
- b) What are some distinctions between resorts hotel and commercial hotels?

Question #2

- a) What is the purpose of hotels' mission statement? What are the three groups of people whose interests should be addressed in a hotel mission statement?
- b) What are the three tradition front office work shifts? What variations on the traditional workweek might a hotel adopt?

Question #3

- a) What are the four most common front office software modules? How do they streamline front office record keeping?
- What is upselling? When is it appropriate? What are some things a hotel can do to upsell a guest?

Question #4

- What are four major types of guest complaints? Which is most common? What are some general approaches to handling guest complaints?
- b) What is the purpose of an account? How are transactions recorded in an account? How are guest accounts and non-guest accounts different?

Question #5

- a) What are four methods of guest account settlement at check-out? How are they different from each other? What effect does each have on the guest ledger and city ledger?
- b) What are the uses of guest histories? How can the front office construct a guest history file?

Question #6

- a) What are the two basic purpose of front office audit? Why it is generally performed at night? What is the definition of the term End of Day?
- b) What are the three kinds of maintenance activities? Briefly explain.

Question #7

- a) What is world-class service? What personnel are employed in a world-class hotel? What is an executive floor?
- b) What is a unique advantage of an independent hotel? How might independent hotels be at a disadvantages?

Question #8

Explain the following:

- i. Performance standards
- ii. Transaction file
- iii. Housekeeping status report
- iv. Compensatory damage



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Subject: Tourism & Hospitality Management
Paper: I/ THM-403 (Marketing and Advertising)

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Time: 3 Hrs. Marks: 100

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Question #1

- a) What are some trends shaping the future of Hospitality Marketing and sales?
- b) What are the five management functions typically inherent in the position of director of marketing?

Question # 2

- a) What are the five steps involved in developing a marketing plan?
- b) What three analyses make up a marketing audit, and what are the objectives of each?

Question #3

- a) What are nine characteristics common to successful salespeople, and what training tools are used to develop salespeople to their full potential?
- b) What is corporation? Discuss different types of corporate meetings & their characteristics of each?

Question #4

- a) What are the five basic steps of a presentation sales call?
- b) What are the elements of a sales call opening? Briefly explain

Question #5

- a) What are types of outgoing calls? Briefly explain
- b) What are the five steps of a telephone appointment call?

Question #6

- a) What is "internal merchandising"? how and where can internal merchandising be used to build sales?
- b) What types of media are available for print advertising, and what are the advantages and disadvantages of each?

Question #7

- a) How does leisure travel differ from business travel? What are its benefits to hospitality properties?
- b) What are some types of individual leisure travelers? Discuss in detail

Question #8

Explain the following:

- Neighborhood marketing
- 2. Foreign independent travel
- 3. Property fact book
- 4. Channel management



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Patier: III / THM-405 (Research Method and Techniques)

Roll No.

Marks: 100 Time: 3 Hrs.

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Question #1

Social exchange theory is by far one of the most used in Hospitality and Tourism a) Research Why?

Compare and contrast any two research instruments commonly used by Tourism b) Researchers.

Question # 2

- Explain briefly structured and unstructured approaches used in research also identify to which type of research these belong to?
- Write down the steps in conducting research study? b)

Question #3

- What is research problem? Write in detail the steps in formulation of a research problem?
- Briefly explain the information included in the contents of research proposal? b)

Question #4

- Write down the advantage & disadvantage of a questionnaire.
- Write down some considerations in formulating questions, 67

Question # 5

- What is research design and functions of research design?
- What are the two major approaches of data collection and how data is collected using b) these approaches?

Question #6

- What are the problems associated with observation when used as data collection
- What is validity? Explain with suitable Example b)

Question #7

- What are close ended questions? Explain in detail.
- What are Dichotomous variables? Explain. b)

Question #8

- Define hypothesis and types of hypothesis. a)
- Define research and explain characteristics of research. b)



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Paper: IV / THM-408 (Eco Tourism)

Roll No.

Time: 3 Hrs. Marks: 100

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Question #1

- a) How can the relationship between mass tourism, alternative tourism and sustainable tourism be conceptualized in one framework?
- b) What are the basic differences between mass tourism & alternative tourism?

Question # 2

- Trace the roots of Ecotourism from when it first appeared in research literature and reality till recent times.
- b) Establish the link between ecotourism & nature based tourism.

Question #3

- a) Discuss ways in which the tourism industry can have a transforming and dislocating impact on the social fabric of host communities.
- b) How is tourism leaving a footprint through ecological impacts on a destination?

Question #4

- a) How do alternative forms of tourism, like ecotourism, act as better options in helping to diminish leakage in an economy?
- b) What do the travel cost method and contingent valuation method allow economists to do? And why are these important?

Question #5

- a) What is a natural resource, and why are natural resources so important to the ecotourism industry?
- b) Discuss the differences which exist between conservation perspectives based on efficient use, spirituality and harmony.

Question #6

- a) What is community development, and how is it that such a focus allows for a stronger element of control in the development of ecotourism?
- b) List five different governance models that may be used to better understand how ecotourism is planned and managed?

Question #7

- State some of the professional responsibilities that eco tour guides have in the development of ethical ecotourism practices.
- b) How do eco lodges differ from traditional tourism lodges (or hotels)?

Question #8

Explain the Following:

- 1. Civil society.
- Contextual control & self-regulation
- 3. Planning ecotourism program
- 4. Satisfaction & profit



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Subject: Tourism & Hospitality Management Paper: V / THM-409 (Event Management)

Roll No.

Time: 3 Hrs. Marks: 100

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Question #1:

- a) Explain events. What are the unique characteristics of an event?
- b) What are the main classifications of events according to their size?

Question #2:

- a) How to prepare the purpose statement of an event?
- b) What are the important features for an event proposal?

Question #3:

- a) Explain the feasibility of an event concept?
- b) What are ways in which risk can be minimized during an event?

Question #4:

- what are the basic principles of major acts and regulations relevant to an event management?
- b) Define Emergency Response Plan of an event.

Question #5:

- a) Name the main bodies from whom the approval is required to stage a public event?
- b) Explain the processes of event marketing?

Question #6:

- a) In an event of a conference, how you explain the tangibility and intangibility of event marketing?
- b) What are the basic elements in a promotional strategy of an event?

Question #7:

- a) Discus the important considerations for financial management of an event.
- b) What are the main elements of events? Explain various themes of events with suitable examples?

Question #8:

- a) Define Break-Even Point. How to calculate this for an event company?
- b) Explain the importance of selection of venue for an event? What are the main considerations for choosing a suitable venue?



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Paper: VI / THM-411 (Hotel Management Accounting)

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Question# 1

- a) What are the two major methods of recording invoices and treating cash discounts?
- b) Define preopening expenses, organizational cost and what do you mean by Covenant not to compete?

Question# 2

- a) Which revenue book keeping account is used to record complimentary room provided to a guest?
- b) What is the concept of Responsibility Accounting?

Question#3

- a) What is the importance of Financial Reports in accounting?
- b) What are the financial components of a hotel income statement?

Question# 4

- a) What does liquidity ratio show about the financial position of a hotel?
- 5) What is the concept of Management Accounts and Cost Accounts?

Question#5

- a) What are three common time-factor depreciation methods?
- b) What is the purpose and scope of an audit?

Question#6

- a) Compute the regular pay, overtime pay and the gross pay for an employee who worked 98 hours this week. The employee hourly rate is \$16.30. The state overtime provisions apply to any hours worked over 40 in a week.
- b) What are the two methods of computing overtime pay? Describe how each method calculates overtime pay?

Question#7

- a) What are the advantages and limitations of ratio analysis?
- b) What kind of transactions would be recorded in the financing activities section of the SCF?

Question#8

Explain Key Terms

- a) Earned revenue
- b) Business Segmentation
- c) Absolute Liquidity Ratio
- d) Lockbox system