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Programme Code: SBMMED

T.Y.B.A. (SCJ)

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Programme Outline : TYBA (SCJ) Strategic Communication (SEMESTER V)

Course Code	Unit No	Name of the Unit	Credits
SBMMEDA501		COPYWRITING	4
	1	Introduction to Copywriting	
	2	Creative Thinking	
	3	Idea Generation Techniques	
	4	Understanding Briefs:	
	5	Writing Persuasive Copy:	
	6	Writing Copy for Different Media	
	7	Writing Copy for Different Audiences	
	8	Copywriting in India	
SBMMEDA502		BRAND BUILDING	4
	1	Introduction to Brand Building	
	2	Brand Identity	
	3	Brand Positioning and Repositioning	
	4	Brand Personality	
	5	Brand Leverage	
	6	Brand Strategies	
	7	Brand Equity and Models	
	8	Brand Imperatives	
SBMMEDA503		MARKETING	4
	1	What is Marketing?	
	2	Analysing the Marketing Environment	
	3	Marketing Strategy and Marketing Mix	
	4	Consumer Markets and Buyer Behaviour	
	5	Products, Services and Brands: Building Customer Value	
	6	Pricing and Distribution Strategies	
	7	Integrated Marketing Communications / Omnichannel	-
		Communication	
SBMMEDA504		CONSUMER BEHAVIOUR	4
	1	Introduction to Consumer Behaviour	1

	2	Market Segmentation	
	3	Positioning and Targeting	
	4	Psychological Determinants and Consumer Behaviour	
	5	Relevance of Perception & Learning in Consumer Behaviour	
	6	Designing Strategic Marketing Communication	
	7	Social and Cultural Aspects of Marketing & Its Impact on	
		Consumer Behaviour	
	8	Consumer Decision Making	
SBMMEDA505		DIGITAL MARKETING	4
	1	Introduction to Digital Marketing	
	2	Introduction to Websites	
	3	Social Media Marketing	
	4	Email Marketing	
	5	Content Marketing	
SBMMEDA506		PUBLIC RELATIONS	4
	1	What are Public Relations?	
	2	Public Relations in Society	
	3	Types of Public Relations	
	4	Public Relations in Strategic Communication	
	5	Conflict Management, Dealing with Issues, Risks and Crises	
	6	Public Relations Tools and Tactics	
	7	Digital Public Relations	
	8	Communicating with Impact: The Value of Soft Skills in Public	
		Relations	
	9	Public Relations in Politics, Government and NGOs	
	10	Public Relations in Entertainment, Travel and Sports	

Programme Outline : TYBA (SCJ) Strategic Communication (SEMESTER VI)

Course Code	Unit No	Name of the Unit	Credits
SBMMEDA601		RESEARCH IN ADVERTISING	4
		MARKETING RESEARCH:	
	1	Fundamentals of Research	
	2	Research Design	
	3	Data Collection:	
	4	Sampling	
	5	Projective Techniques in Qualitative Research	
	6	Report Writing	
	7	Research in marketing	
		ADVERTISING RESEARCH	
	1	Introduction to Advertising Research	
	2	Neuroscience in Advertising Research	
	3	Physiological Rating Scale	
	4	AI in Advertising Research	
SBMMEDA602		MEDIA PLANNING AND BUYING	4
	1	Introduction to Media Planning and Selection	
	2	Sources of Media Research	
	3	Media Planning Process	
	4	Criteria for Selecting Media Vehicles	
	5	Selecting suitable Media options and Media Buying	
	6	Negotiation skills in Media Buying	
	7	Digital Media Planning	
	8	Types of Digital Media	
	9	Digital Media Buying	
SBMMEDA603		LAWS AND ETHICS OF ADVERTISING	4
	1	Regulation in Advertising	
	2	Ethical Issues in Advertising	
	3	Consumer Guidance and Concerns	

	4	Social Criticism of Advertising	
	5	Critique of Advertising	
SBMMEDA604		UNDERSTANDING A COMMUNICATIONS AGENCY	4
	1	Advertising Agencies	
	2	Agency Finance	
	3	Growing the Agency	
	4	Client Servicing	
	5	Account Planning	
	6	Marketing Plan of the Client	
	7	Advertising Campaign Management	
	8	Types of Campaigns – and the Required Management in Each	
	9	Setting up an Agency	
SBMMEDA605		ADVERTISING DESIGN	4
	1	Understanding Design: Design as a Language of Communication	
	2	Introduction to Word Expression	
	3	Designing Corporate Identity	
	4	Introduction to Layout in Communication Design	
	5	Designing for the Web	
	6	Campaign planning: Rest of the lectures in guiding the students	
		through developing	
		the campaign	
SBMMEDA606		DIGITAL MARKETING- II	4
	1	Search Engine Optimisation	
	2	Search Engine Marketing & Display Advertising	
	3	Google Business Profiles	
	4	Video Marketing and YouTube	
	5	Digital Analytics for Websites	

Preamble:

Strategic Communication and Journalism are essential disciplines that explore the dynamic realms of media, information dissemination, and societal narratives, emphasizing how communication shapes perceptions, influences decisions, and fosters societal cohesion. By studying these disciplines, individuals gain insights into the power of media, rhetoric, and storytelling, which are fundamental for navigating today's complex global landscape.

The B.A. in Strategic Communication and Journalism program aims to equip students with comprehensive knowledge and practical skills in media, journalism, and strategic communication. The curriculum covers diverse subjects, from journalistic ethics and media law to digital storytelling and public relations strategies, catering to students from diverse backgrounds. Through a hands-on learning approach that includes traditional lectures, experiential activities, guest lectures by experts, workshops, and internships, students develop critical thinking, effective communication, and media literacy skills essential for successful careers in journalism, public relations, digital media, and strategic communication. Graduates emerge as adaptable professionals prepared to contribute to the evolving field of media and communication.

PROGRAMME OBJECTIVES

PO 1	To give learners in the programme a clear introduction to mass media as an all-
	encompassing ideological and communication experience globally
PO 2	To enable learners in the programme to understand the political, economic, social, cultural
	and environmental implications of consuming media messages
PO 3	To provide learners of the programme the opportunities to acquire the necessary skills to
	produce forms of media messages and content from strategic communication (including
	advertising, branding, public relations, media planning, and digital marketing) to
	journalism across different platforms
PO 4	To train learners in the programme through contemporary theory and practical application,
	in their role as future creators of media messages in a constantly evolving and demanding
	industry

PO 5	To teach learners in the programme the need for the ethical application of the ideas taught
	in the programme to become responsible consumers and producers of media content

PROGRAMME SPECIFIC OUTCOMES

PSO 1	Examine mass media as an all-encompassing ideological and communication experience
	globally
PSO 2	Discuss and investigate the political, economic, social, cultural and environmental implications of consuming media messages
PSO 3	Design and create media messages and content, from strategic communication (including advertising, branding, public relations, media planning, and digital marketing) to journalism across different platforms
PSO 4	Evaluate, through contemporary theory and practical application, their role as future creators of media messages in a constantly evolving and demanding industry
PSO 5	Prioritize the need for the ethical application of the ideas taught in the programme to become responsible consumers and producers of media content.

NAME OF THE COURSE	COPYWRITING	
CLASS	TYBASCJ- STRATEGIC CO	OMMUNICATION
COURSE CODE	SBMMEDA501	
NUMBER OF CREDITS		4
NUMBER OF LECTURES PER WEEK		4
TOTAL NUMBER OF LECTURES PER	60	
SEMESTER		
EVALUATION METHOD	INTERNAL	SEMESTER END
	ASSESSMENT	EXAMINATION
TOTAL MARKS		50
PASSING MARKS	50	20
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COURSE OBJECTIVES

CO 1.	To familiarize students with the concept of copywriting and content
	writing as selling through writing
CO 2.	To teach the students the process of creating original, strategic, compelling copy for various media
CO 3.	To train students to generate, develop and express ideas effectively
CO 4.	To enable them to learn the rudimentary techniques of writing for strategic communication platforms with an emphasis on practical application

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES:

CLO 1.	The learner will analyze the key components of persuasive writing for
	advertising
CLO 2.	The learner will read and write marketing and creative briefs

CLO 3.	The learner will generate ideas and copy for campaigns
CLO 4.	The learner will create content for campaigns across media platform
CLO 5.	The learner will write campaign pitches targeting different audiences

UNIT 1	Introduction to Copywriting
1.1	Basics of Copywriting
1.2	The Role of Good Copy in Strategic Communication
UNIT 2	Creative Thinking
2.1	How to Inculcate a 'Creative Thinking Attitude'
UNIT 3	Idea Generation Techniques
3.1	Brainstorming, mind mapping, social listening, role playing, lateral thinking
UNIT 4	Understanding Briefs
4.1	Marketing brief
4.2	Creative brief
UNIT 5	Writing Persuasive Copy
5.1	The CAN Elements (Connectedness, Appropriateness, and Novelty)
5.2	Getting Messages to "Stick": Simplicity, Unexpectedness, Concreteness, Credibility,
	Emotionality, Storytelling
5.3	How to Inculcate Sensitivity in Copywriting Practice
UNIT 6	Writing Copy for Different Media:
	• Print: Headlines, sub headlines, captions, body copy, and slogans
	• Television: Storyboard, Storyboarding Techniques, Balance between words and
	visuals Power of silence, formats of TVCs
	• Out of Home
	• Radio
	• Direct Mailers
	• Classifieds
	Press Releases
	• Advertorials
	• Infomercials

	Digital Marketing Platforms
UNIT 7	Writing Copy for Different Audiences
	• Children
	• Youth
	• Women
	• Senior Citizens
	• Executives
UNIT 8	Copywriting in India
8.1	Writing copy in Indian languages

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ASSESSMENT DETAILS:

Note: This paper emphasizes practical application, and so the students must be taught using a more task- and exercise- based approach rather than underscoring the more conceptual or 'theoretical' elements outlined in the syllabus.

ASSESSMENT DETAILS:

Internal Assessment (50 marks) Part 1: Project Work (40 Marks) Part 2: Attendance – (10 marks) Semester End Examination – External Assessment (50 marks)

- The duration of the paper will be two hours.
- Every question will have an internal choice.

NAME OF THE COURSE	BRAND BUILDING	
CLASS	TYBASCJ- STRATEGIC CO	OMMUNICATION
COURSE CODE	SBMMEDA502	
NUMBER OF CREDITS		4
NUMBER OF LECTURES PER WEEK		4
TOTAL NUMBER OF LECTURES PER	6	0
SEMESTER		
EVALUATION METHOD	INTERNAL	SEMESTER END
	ASSESSMENT	EXAMINATION
TOTAL MARKS		50
PASSING MARKS	50	20
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COURSE OBJECTIVES

CO 1.	To study the concept of Brand and Brand Building
CO 2.	To understand the awareness and growing importance of Brand Building
CO 3.	To know how to build, sustain and grow brands
CO 4.	To know the various new way of building brands
CO 5.	To know about the global perspective of brand building
C0 6.	To study the importance of brand building and management in the context of strategic communication

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES:

CLO 1.	The learner will analyze the key concepts in branding
CLO 2.	The learner will examine the importance of cultivating a brand identity, positioning and
	repositioning, personality, and leverage

CLO 3.	The learner will investigate and design brand strategies
CLO 4.	The learner will evaluate the importance of brand equity and design a campaign along
	clear branding
	models
CLO 5.	The learner will assess the importance of branding in the 'new normal' post COVID

UNIT 1	Introduction to Brand Building
	a. What is a Brand? Definition
	b. Product v/s Brand
	c. Why brand matters?
	d. Difference between Brand and Product
	e. Process of branding
	f. Types of brand
	g. Brand building blocks
	h. Guidelines for effective branding,
	i. Brand Elements – types of brand elements
UNIT 2	Brand Identity
2.1	Core Identity
2.2	Extended Identity
2.3	Brand Identity Traps
UNIT 3	Brand Positioning and Repositioning
3.1	Definition
3.2	Importance of Brand Positioning
3.3	Product category and class
3.4	Consumer segmentation
3.5	Perceptual Mapping
3.6	Corner stones of brand positioning strategy
	i. Product characteristics or features
	ii. Price
	iii. Quality or Luxury
	iv. Product use or application
	v. Competition

3.7	Repositioning
	i. Definition
	ii. Occasion of use
UNIT 4	Brand Personality
4.1	Definition
4.1	Definition
4.2	The importance of creating Brand Personality
4.3	Attributes that affect Brand Personality
4.4	Factors that affect Brand Personality
4.5	Brand Personality Models
	i. Relationship Model
	ii. Self-Expressive Model
	iii. Functional Benefit Model
4.6	The Big Five
4.7	User Imagery
UNIT 5	Brand Leverage
	a. Line Extension
	b. Brand Extension
	c. Moving Brand up / down
	d. Co-branding
	e. Advantages and Disadvantages of Leveraging
UNIT 6	Brand Strategies
6.1	a. The three perspectives of Brand Strategies
	i. Customer analysis
	ii. Competitive analysis
	iii. Self- Analysis
6.2	Multi Product Branding
6.3	Multi Branding

6.4	Mix Branding
6.5	Brand Licensing
6.6.	Brand Product Matrix
	i. Depth of a Branding Strategy
	ii. Breadth of a Branding Strategy
6.7	Brand Architecture
6.8	Brand Hierarchy and building equity at different levels
UNIT 7	Brand Equity and Models
7.1	Definition
7.2	Steps in creating Brand Equity
7.3	Brand Assets
	i. Awareness
	ii. Perceived Quality
	iii. Brand Association
	iv. Brand Loyalty
	v. Other Brand Assets
7.4	Brand Equity Management Models
	i. Brand Equity Ten
	ii. Y & R (BAV)
UNIT 8	Brand Imperatives
	a. Importance
	b. Today's New Normal
	c. Globalization
	d. Corporate Image and CSR
	e. Branding and Product Life Cycle
	f. Ethics in Branding

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ASSESSMENT DETAILS:

Internal Assessment (50 marks)

Part 1: Project Work (40 Marks)

Part 2: Attendance – (10 marks)

- The duration of the paper will be two hours.
- Every question will have an internal choice.

NAME OF THE COURSE	MARKETING	
CLASS	TYBASCJ- STRATEGIC CO	OMMUNICATION
COURSE CODE	SBMMEDA503	
NUMBER OF CREDITS		4
NUMBER OF LECTURES PER WEEK		4
TOTAL NUMBER OF LECTURES PER	6	60
SEMESTER		
EVALUATION METHOD	INTERNAL	SEMESTER END
	ASSESSMENT	EXAMINATION
TOTAL MARKS		50
PASSING MARKS	50	20
	20	

COURSE OBJECTIVES

CO 1.	To introduce the students to basic marketing concepts like marketing
	mix, the marketing environment, market segmentation, and integrated
	marketing communication
CO 2.	To enable them to understand the importance of strategic and holistic marketing in the
	global environment
CO 3.	To enable them to explore the business and social aspects and implications of modern
	marketing practices

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES:

CLO 1.	The learner will analyze the key concepts and components of marketing
CLO 2.	The learner will examine the micro and macro environment in which
	marketing endeavors operate

CLO 3.	The learner will explain the marketing mix with concrete examples
CLO 4.	The learner will investigate consumer markets and broad consumer
	attitudes towards purchase decisions
CLO 5.	The learner will compare and contrast products, services and ideas
CLO 6.	The learner will identify pricing and distribution strategies in the
	marketing process
CLO 7.	The learner will design a hypothetical omnichannel marketing
	communication strategy for a campaign

UNIT 1	What is Marketing?
1.1	The Definition of Marketing
1.2	Core Marketing Concepts
1.3	The Changing Marketing Landscape
UNIT 2	Analysing the Marketing Environment
2.1	The Microenvironment and the Macroenvironment
	The Demographic and Economic Environments
	The Natural and Technological Environments
	The Political and Legal Environments
	The Social and Cultural Environments
UNIT 3	Marketing Strategy and Marketing Mix
3.1	Developing and Managing an Integrated Marketing Mix
3.2	The 7 Ps of Marketing: Product, Price, Place, Promotion, People, Process, Physical
	Evidence
UNIT 4	Consumer Markets and Buyer Behaviour
4.1	Characteristics Affecting Consumer Behaviour
4.2	Buyer Decision Behaviour and Process
4.3	The Buyer Decision Process for New Products
4.4	Segmentation, Targeting, Differentiation and Positioning
UNIT 5	Products, Services and Brands: Building Customer Value
5.1	The Difference between Products, Services, Ideas and Experiences
5.2	Product and Service Decisions
5.3	Branding Strategies
5.4	The New Product Development Process

5.5	Product Life-Cycle Strategies
UNIT 6	Product Life-Cycle Strategies
6.1	Pricing Strategies: New Product Pricing, Product Mix Pricing, Price Adjustment
6.2	Channels of Distribution: Behaviour and Organisation, Retailers and Wholesalers
UNIT 7	Integrated Marketing Communications / Omnichannel Communication
7.1	Steps in Developing Effective Marketing Communication
7.2	The Promotional Mix: Advertising, Public Relations, Sales Promotion, Personal
	Selling, Data Driven Communication, Digital Marketing, Packaging, Point-of-
	Purchase

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ASSESSMENT DETAILS:

Internal Assessment (50 marks) Part 1: Project Work (40 Marks)

Part 2: Attendance – (10 marks)

- The duration of the paper will be two hours.
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NAME OF THE COURSE	CONSUMER BEHAVIOUR	
CLASS	TYBASCJ- STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION	
COURSE CODE	SBMMEDA504	
NUMBER OF CREDITS	4	
NUMBER OF LECTURES PER WEEK	4	
TOTAL NUMBER OF LECTURES PER	60	
SEMESTER		
EVALUATION METHOD	INTERNAL	SEMESTER END
	ASSESSMENT	EXAMINATION
TOTAL MARKS		50
PASSING MARKS	50	20
	20	

COURSE OBJECTIVES

CO 1.	To understand role of marketing in influencing consumer behavior
CO 2.	To analyze the role of marketer and the consumer in advertising
CO 3.	To sensitize the students to the changing trends in consumer behavior

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES:

CLO 1.	The learner will analyse the key characteristics of consumer purchase	
	behaviour	
CLO 2.	The learner will segment and target potential audiences along demographic,	
	psychographic lines	
CLO 3.	The learner will examine positioning and targeting strategies for products and services	
CLO 4.	The learner will investigate the dynamics behind consumer motivation, perception,	

	earning, attitude and personality	
CLO 5.	The learner will design a persuasive communications campaign that synthesises all their	
	learnings	
CLO 6.	The learner will map out the decision-making journey of the consumer	

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UNIT 1	Introduction to Consumer Behaviour
	Basic Concepts in Consumer Behaviour
	Factors Influencing Consumer Behaviour
	Changing Trends in Consumer Behaviour
UNIT 2	Market Segmentation
	• Demographic Segmentation: Age, Gender, Family Lifecycle, Race and Ethnicity,
	Income, Education and Social Class
	Psychographic Segmentation: Values and Lifestyle
	Socio-Economic Segmentation: SEC vs. NCCI
	• Hybrid Segmentation: Geodemographics, Green Consumers, Benefit Segmentation,
	Media-based Segmentation, Usage Rate Segmentation, Usage Occasion Segmentation
	Creating User Personas
UNIT 3	Positioning and Targeting
	• Types of Positioning: Umbrella Positioning, Premier Position, Positioning against,
	Competition, Key Attribute based Segmentation, Un-owned Position, Repositioning
	• Tracking Online Navigation, Tracking Purchase Behaviour, Geographic Location and
	Mobile targeting, the Information "Arms Race"
UNIT 4	Psychological Determinants and Consumer Behaviour
	• Motivation: the Dynamics of Motivation (Needs and Goals); Maslow's Hierarchy of
	Needs; A Trio of Needs
	• Personality: The Facets of Personality; Theories of Personality; Personality Traits and
	Consumer Behaviour; the Self and Self-Image
	• Attitude: Formation of Attitudes; Tri-component Attitude Model; Changing the
	Motivational Functions of Attitudes, the Elaboration Likelihood Model, Cognitive
	Dissonance and Resolving Conflicting Attitudes
UNIT 5	Relevance of Perception & Learning in Consumer Behaviour
	• Elements of Perception; Perceptual Selection, Organisation and Interpretation
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	• Elements of Consumer Learning; Classical Conditioning, Stimulus Generalisation and	
	Product Differentiation; Instrumental Conditioning; Observational Learning,	
	Information Processing	
UNIT 6	Designing Strategic Marketing Communication	
	Components, Process of Marketing Communication	
	Persuading Consumers: Designing Persuasive Messages; Advertising Appeals	
UNIT 7	Social and Cultural Aspects of Marketing & Its Impact on Consumer Behaviour	
	• Reference Groups: Source Credibility; Credibility of Spokespersons, Endorsers; Word	
	of Mouth and Opinion Leadership; Diffusion of Innovations (Segmenting by Adopter	
	Categories)	
	• Culture: Role and Dynamics, Learning Cultural Values, Tapping Cross-Cultural	
	Markets; Global Marketing Opportunities	
	Indian Core Values and Changing Cultural Trends in Indian Urban Markets	
UNIT 8	Consumer Decision Making	
	The Decision-Making Model	
	Diffusion and Adoption of Innovations	

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ASSESSMENT DETAILS:

Internal Assessment (50 marks)

Part 1: Project Work (40 Marks)

Part 2: Attendance – (10 marks)

- The duration of the paper will be two hours.
- Every question will have an internal choice.

NAME OF THE COURSE	DIGITAL MARKETING	
CLASS	TYBASCJ- STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION	
COURSE CODE	SBMMEDA505	
NUMBER OF CREDITS		4
NUMBER OF LECTURES PER WEEK	4	
TOTAL NUMBER OF LECTURES PER	60	
SEMESTER		
EVALUATION METHOD	INTERNAL	SEMESTER END
	ASSESSMENT	EXAMINATION
TOTAL MARKS		50
PASSING MARKS	50	20
	20	

COURSE OBJECTIVES

CO 1.	To introduce the students to the scope of creating and marketing content	
	using digital platforms	
CO 2.	To enable them to explore the various aspects and implications of digital	
	and data-driven communication in the age of the Internet	

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES:

CLO 1.	The learner will identify and explore the key concepts in data driven
	communication
CLO 2.	The learner will identify and explore the key concepts in database
	management
CLO 3.	The learner will examine the design and use of websites in online

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UNIT 1	Introduction to Digital Marketing
1.1	Lev Manovich's Principles of New Media
1.2	Traditional versus Digital Communication (Characteristics of Digital Media)
1.3	Marketing 4.0: Moving from Traditional to Digital
UNIT 2	Introduction to Websites
2.1	Understanding the role of a website in the digital economy
2.2	An overview of website technologies
2.3	Introduction to the website design process
2.4	Key considerations in website design: web copy, media, UI/UX
2.5	Leveraging a website for marketing
UNIT 3	Social Media Marketing
3.1	An introduction to SMM
3.2	Differentiating between organic and paid advertising on social media
3.3	Leveraging Facebook and Instagram for organic and paid marketing
3.4	Leveraging LinkedIn for contemporary businesses and professionals
UNIT 4	Email Marketing
4.1	Understanding the role of email marketing
4.2	Email marketing
4.3	Transactional emails
UNIT 5	Content Marketing
5.1	The dual role of content in push and pull marketing
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5.2	Creating a content strategy to appeal to the contemporary user

- Ryan, Damian. Understanding Digital Marketing: Marketing Strategies for Engaging the Digital Generation. New York: Kogan Page, 2017.
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ASSESSMENT DETAILS:

Internal Assessment (50 marks)

Part 1: Project Work (40 Marks)

Part 2: Attendance – (10 marks)

- The duration of the paper will be two hours.
- Every question will have an internal choice.

NAME OF THE COURSE	PUBLIC RELATIONS	
CLASS	TYBASCJ- STRATEGIC CO	OMMUNICATION
COURSE CODE	SBMMEDA506	
NUMBER OF CREDITS		4
NUMBER OF LECTURES PER WEEK		4
TOTAL NUMBER OF LECTURES PER	60	
SEMESTER		
EVALUATION METHOD	INTERNAL	SEMESTER END
	ASSESSMENT	EXAMINATION
TOTAL MARKS		50
PASSING MARKS	50	20
	20	

COURSE OBJECTIVES

CO 1.	To prepare students for effective and ethical public communication on
	behalf of organizations
CO 2.	To help students acquire basic skills in the practical aspects of media relations and crisis management
CO 3.	To equip students with basic skills to write and develop press releases and other PR communication
CO 4.	To design a public relations campaign

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES:

CLO 1.	The learner will analyse the key characteristics, objectives, components
	and types of public relations

CLO 2.	The learner will map the evolution of public relations as an industry and	
	its role in strategic communication	
CLO 3.	The learner will examine the tools and tactics of public relations and	
	their uses	
CLO 4.	The learner will investigate the role of public relations in conflict	
	management and crises	
CLO 5.	The learner will analyse the impact of digital technology in public	
	relations	
CLO 6.	The learner will cultivate soft skills needed to be an effective public	
	relations professional	
CLO 7.	The learner will identify the function of public relations in governance,	
	the private sector, entertainment and lifestyle	

UNIT 1	What are Public Relations?
1.1	Definition and Key Concepts
1.2	Objectives and Functions
1.3	Scope and Stakeholders
1.4	Skills Needed to be a PR Professional
1.5	Public Relations, Image and Reputation
UNIT 2	Public Relations in Society
2.1	Evolution of PR
2.2	Current Trends in Public Relations
UNIT 3	Types of Public Relations
	Strategic Counselling
	Consumer Relations
	Employee Relations
	Community Relations
	Investor / Donor Relations
	Public Affairs and Government Relations
	Special Events and Promotion
	Media Relations
	Crisis Communication
UNIT 4	Public Relations in Strategic Communication
	Marketing, Branding, Advertising
	Public Opinion and Persuasion: Factors in Persuasive Communication
	Propaganda and Manipulation
UNIT 5	Conflict Management, Dealing with Issues, Risks and Crises
	The Conflict Management Lifecycle
	Issues Management
	Crisis Management
	Reputation Management

UNIT 6	Public Relations Tools and Tactics
	News Releases, Media Alerts, Pitch Letters
	• Radio, TV
	Media Interviews, News Conferences, Speeches
UNIT 7	Digital Public Relations
	• The impact of the World Wide Web on the global Public Relations industry
	Blogging and Social Media
	Search Engine Optimisation
	Influencer Communication
UNIT 8	Communicating with Impact: The Value of Soft Skills in Public Relations
	How to communicate effectively with leaders / clients
	Written and top-down communications for senior leaders
	• The Art of Speech Writing
	Giving a Speech or Making a Presentation: Speaker Training
UNIT 9	Public Relations in Politics, Government and NGOs
	Customer Relations, Employee Relations, Investor Relations, Marketing
	Communications, Environmental Relations, Corporate Philanthropy
	Lobbying, Election Campaigns, Public Affairs and Government
	Membership Organisations, Advocacy Groups, Social Organiastions
UNIT 10	Public Relations in Entertainment, Travel and Sports
	Celebrity Management: Cultivating and Maintaining an Image
	Conducting Personality Campaigns
	Promoting an Entertainment Event
	Sports Publicity and Sponsorship of Sporting Events
	Travel Promotion

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ASSESSMENT DETAILS:

Internal Assessment (50 marks)

Part 1: Project Work (40 Marks)

Part 2: Attendance – (10 marks)

- The duration of the paper will be two hours.
- Every question will have an internal choice.

NAME OF THE COURSE	RESEARCH IN ADVERTIS	ING
CLASS	TYBASCJ- STRATEGIC CO	OMMUNICATION
COURSE CODE	SBMMEDA601	
NUMBER OF CREDITS		4
NUMBER OF LECTURES PER WEEK		4
TOTAL NUMBER OF LECTURES PER	60	
SEMESTER		
EVALUATION METHOD	INTERNAL	SEMESTER END
	ASSESSMENT	EXAMINATION
TOTAL MARKS		50
PASSING MARKS	50	20
	20	

COURSE OBJECTIVES

CO 1.	To inculcate analytical abilities and research skills among the students	
CO 2.	To understand research methodologies – qualitative vs quantitative	
CO 3.	To understand the scope and techniques of advertising and marketing research	

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES:

CLO 1.	The learner will identify and explore the fundamentals of marketing and	
	advertising research	
CLO 2.	The learner will examine the design and use of research in marketing and advertising	
CLO 3.	The learner will analyze the importance of writing a good research report	
CLO 4.	The learner will explore the use of various research techniques in marketing and	

	advertising
CLO 5.	The learner will design a marketing research study to better understand consumer
	purchase behaviour

	MARKETING RESEARCH:			
UNIT 1	Fundamentals of Research:			
1.1	Importance and role of research in marketing; the marketing research industry			
	Meaning and objectives of advertising/marketing research			
1.2	Market research process			
	Criteria of good marketing research			
	Problems encountered by marketing research in India			
	• Stages in research process			
1.3	Approaches to marketing intelligence			
	• Types of Market research			
	Research approaches			
	Significance of Market research			
	Concepts in Research: variables, qualitative and quantitative			
UNIT 2	Research Design			
2.1	Meaning, definition, need and importance, scope of research design			
	Research design: pre-test and post-test			
	Control group and Solomon four-group design			
	Causal Research			
	Observation techniques			
	• Experiments and test markets			
2.2	Questionnaire design: framing the right question			
UNIT 3	Data Collection			
3.1	Types of data and sources primary and secondary data sources			
3.2	Methods of collection of primary data:			
	Observation			

	• Experimental			
	 Experimental Interview Method: 			
	 Interview Method. Personal interview 			
	• Focused group			
	• In-depth interviews			
	• Survey			
	Survey instrument: questionnaire designing			
	Scaling techniques			
UNIT 4	Sampling			
4.1	Meaning of sample and sampling			
4.2	Process of sampling			
4.3	Methods of sampling:			
	 Non-probability sampling – convenient, judgement, quota, snow ball 			
	• Probability sampling – simple random, systematic, stratified, cluster, multi stage			
4.4	Errors in sampling: statistical and non-statistical			
4.5	One-Sample Tests			
	Kolmogorov-Smirnov one-sample test			
	Runs test for randomness			
	• One-sample sign test			
	Chi-square test			
4.6	Two-Sample Tests			
	• Sign test			
	Median test			
	• Mann-Whitney U test			
	Wilcoxon matched-pairs signed rank test			
4.7	K-Sample tests			
	Median test			
	• Kruskal-Wallis test			
4.8	Multidimensional scaling			
4.9	Discriminant analysis			

UNIT 5	Projective Techniques in Qualitative Research:			
	Association			
	• Completion			
	Construction			
	• Expressive			
UNIT 6	Report Writing:			
	Preparing and presenting marketing research reports			
	• Essentials of a good report			
	• Steps in writing a report			
	• Ethical issues related to			
	o Clients			
	o Respondents			
	o Sampling			
	o Questionnaire design			
	o Reporting			
	• Footnotes and bibliography			
	• Reporting the results and ethical issues in marketing research			
UNIT 7	Research in Marketing			
	• New product research			
	Branding research			
	Pricing research			
	• Usage and attitude studies			
	Tracking studies			
	ADVERTISING RESEARCH			
UNIT 1	Introduction to Advertising Research			
1.1	1. Copy Research:			
	Concept testing			
	• Name testing			
	• Slogan testing			
1.2	2. Copy testing measures and methods:			
	• Free association			
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	Direct questioning		
	• Depth interviews		
	• Focus groups		
	Mass media research		
1.3	3. Pretesting:		
	A. Print Pretesting:		
	Consumer jury test		
	Portfolio test		
	Mock magazine test		
	B. TV Ad Pretesting:		
	• Trailer tests		
	• Theater tests		
	• Live telecast tests		
	Clutter tests		
1.4	4. Post testing:		
	Recall tests		
	Recognition test		
	Sales effect tests		
	Millward Brown model		
UNIT 2	Neuroscience in Advertising Research:		
	• Neuroscience: a new perspective		
	• When to use neuroscience		
UNIT 3	Physiological Rating Scales:		
	• Eye-movement camera		
	• Brain pattern analysis		
UNIT 4	AI in Advertising Research		
	Artificial Intelligence in data analytics		
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ASSESSMENT DETAILS:

Internal Assessment (50 marks)

Part 1: Project Work (40 Marks)

Part 2: Attendance – (10 marks)

- The duration of the paper will be two hours.
- Every question will have an internal choice.

NAME OF THE COURSE MEDIA PLANNING AND BUYING CLASS TYBASCJ- STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION COURSE CODE SBMMEDA602 NUMBER OF CREDITS 4 NUMBER OF LECTURES PER WEEK 4 TOTAL NUMBER OF LECTURES PER 60 SEMESTER **EVALUATION METHOD** INTERNAL SEMESTER END ASSESSMENT EXAMINATION TOTAL MARKS 50 PASSING MARKS 50 20 20

SEMESTER 6

COURSE OBJECTIVES

CO 1.	To enable students to develop knowledge of the characteristics of different media	
CO 2.	To understand the procedures, requirements, and techniques of media planning and buying	
CO 3.	To study the media mix and its implementation	
CO 4.	To understand budget allocation for a media plan	

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES:

CLO 1.	The learner will identify and outline basic terms and concepts in media	
	planning and selection	
CLO 2.	The learner will examine the sources of media research	

CLO 3.	The learner will illustrate with examples suitable media buying options	
CLO 4.	he learner will analyze the media planning process	
CLO 5.	learner will examine the criteria for media selection	
CLO 6.	The learner will outline the process of digital media planning	
CLO 7.	The learner will create a comprehensive media plan for a campaign	

UNIT 1	Introduction to Media Planning and Selection	
1.1	An Overview of Media Planning	
1.2	Basic Terms and Concepts	
1.3	The Function of Media Planning in Advertising	
1.4	The Role of a Media Planner	
1.5	The Challenges in Media Planning	
1.6	Media Brief	
1.7	NCCS Grid	
UNIT 2	Sources of Media Research	
2.1	Broadcast Audience Research Council (BARC)	
2.2	Audit Bureau of Circulation (ABC)	
2.3	Radio Audience Measurement (RAM)	
2.4	Comscore - Digital	
2.5	Indian Readership Survey (IRS)	
2.6	TGI & GWI	
UNIT 3	Media Planning Process	
	Situation Analysis	
	Setting Media Objectives	
	Understanding Target Audience's Media Choices	
	Determining Media Strategy	
	Selecting Broad Media Classes	
	Selecting Media within Classes	
	Budget and Media Buying	
	• Evaluation	
UNIT 4	Criteria for Selecting Media Vehicles	
	• Reach	
	• Frequency	

	• GRPS / GVT Ratings			
	• TVT Ratings			
	Cost Efficiency			
	Cost per Thousand			
	• Cost per Rating			
	• Waste			
	• Circulation			
	Pass-Along Rate (Print)			
UNIT 5	Selecting suitable Media options and Media Buying			
5.1	The media ecosystem in India. Number of TV households, newspaper/ radio			
	penetration, digital growth rate and current digital population.			
	• Newspaper			
	• Magazine			
	Television (National, Regional and Local)			
	• Radio			
	• Outdoor and Out-of-Home			
	Cinema Advertising			
	Digital Advertising			
UNIT 6	Negotiation skills in Media Buying			
6.1	Negotiation Strategies			
UNIT 7	Digital Media Planning			
	• Various Digital Channels			
	Search Engine Optimisation			
	• Search Engine Marketing			
	• Email marketing – (Cost per Email Open (CPO), Cost per Email Sent (CPS), Cost per			
	Visit, Cost per Click, Cost per Transaction, Cost per Form Filled or Cost per Lead			
	(CPL) Targeting / Remarketing			
	• Mobile Advertising (WAP & APP)			
UNIT 8	Types of Digital Media			
	Display Advertising Ads and its Advertisement Formats			
	Video Advertising and Its Advertisement Formats			

	• Types of Social Media (Text + Visual, FB, Twitter, Instagram, Snap Chat etc.)			
	Google Display Network (GDN)			
UNIT 9	9 Digital Media Buying			
	• Buying Digital Advertising: An Overview (Paid Media, Owned Media and Earned			
	Media) Direct Buys from the Websites			
	Targeting on Digital Media			
	• Programmatic Buying: [DSP (Demand Side Platform) or RTB (Real Time Bidding)]			
	a. Cost per Action (CPA), or Pay per Action (PPA)			
	b. Cost per Conversion or Revenue Sharing or Cost per Sale			
	Advertising via Premium Publishers			
	Advertising via Networks and Exchanges			
	Affiliate Network (Clickbank, Commission Junction, Adfuncky, 7search.com)			
	The Local Publishing Market			
	• Measuring success of brand campaigns through brand lift studies, comparing CTR,			
	Conversion rate			

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ASSESSMENT DETAILS: Internal Assessment (50 marks)

Part 1: Project Work (40 Marks)

Part 2: Attendance – (10 marks)

- The duration of the paper will be two hours.
- Every question will have an internal choice.

NAME OF THE COURSE	LAWS AND ETHICS OF ADVERTISING	
CLASS	TYBASCJ- STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION	
COURSE CODE	SBMMEDA603	
NUMBER OF CREDITS	4	
NUMBER OF LECTURES PER WEEK	4	
TOTAL NUMBER OF LECTURES PER	60	
SEMESTER		
EVALUATION METHOD	INTERNAL	SEMESTER END
	ASSESSMENT	EXAMINATION
TOTAL MARKS		50
PASSING MARKS	50	20
	20	

COURSE OBJECTIVES

CO 1.	To build in media students an understanding of the need for regulation in
	persuasive communication
CO 2.	To create an awareness amongst media students about the importance of ethical
	advertising
CO 3.	To instill in students the role of ethical advertising in creating marketing solutions

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES:

CLO 1.	The learner will identify the various facets of self-regulation in
	advertising in India
CLO 2.	The learner will examine and analyze the ethical issues facing
	advertisers and consumers today

CLO 3.	The learner will identify the platforms that facilitate consumer guidance
	and redress
CLO 4.	The learner will assess the critiques levied against advertising today

UNIT 1	Regulation in Advertising:
1.1	Need for Self-Regulation
1.2	Introduction to ASCI & Its Code of Conduct
1.3	Introduction to AAAI, BCCC, IBF, Censor Board for Films, Press Council
1.4	Laws that Affect Advertising in India – Fundamental Rights, Personal Laws, etc
1.5	The Competition Act
1.6	Drug and Cosmetics Act
1.7	Drugs and Magic Remedies (Objectionable Advertisements) Act
1.8	Intellectual Property Laws - Copyright Act, Trademarks Act, Patents Act
1.9	The Prasar Bharati Bill
1.10.	Indecent Representation of Women (Prohibition) Act
1.11	Emblems and Names (Prevention of Improper Use) Act
1.12	Information Technology Act
1.13	Right to Information Act
1.14	Contracts and Negotiation
UNIT 2	Ethical Issues in Advertising:
	The Importance of Ethics
	Advertising Directed at Cultural, Racial, Religious Minorities, and Stereotyping
	of Ethnic Groups
	Advertising Targeted at Children

	Portrayal of Women in Advertising
	Portrayal of Senior Citizens in Advertising
	Portrayal of the LGBTQIA+ Community in Advertising
	Puffery and Parody in Advertising
	Surrogate Advertising
	Subliminal Advertising
	Political Advertising
	Manipulation of Research in Advertising
	Unfair Trade Practices:
	1. False and Misleading Comparisons
	2. Incomplete Description, Partial Disclosures and Small Print Clarification
	3. Bait and Switch Offers
	4. Visual Distortions
	5. False Testimonials
	Right to Privacy
	Sellers' Privilege to Lie
	Social Media and Influencer Guidelines
	Gambling, Betting, Lottery and Gaming
	Web3 - Crypto and NFT Advertising
UNIT 3	Consumer Guidance and Concerns
	Consumer Protection Act 1986
	Essential Commodities Act
	Standard of Weights and Measures Act
	Legal Metrology
	Food Safety and Standard Act
	• AGMARK, ISI, BIS, Hallmark, Cotton, Woolmark, Silkmark, Forever Mark.
	 International Bodies- ISO, FDA, CMMI, SIX SIGMA and CE
	Role of PDS and Consumer Co-Operatives
	Consumer Forums
	CGSI, CFBP, CERC, Grahak Panchayats, Customer Care Centres
	• Case Studies of Select Ads that Violate Legal and Ethical Concerns – e.g. Khadi
UNIT 4	Social Criticism of Advertising:

	Increasing the Prevalence of Materialism
	Creating Artificial Needs
	 Idealising the 'Good Life' Stressing Conformity with Others
	Increasing the Prevalence of Materialism
	Creating Artificial Needs
	 Idealising the 'Good Life' Stressing Conformity with Others
UNIT 5	Critique of Advertising:
	• A study of Vance Packard's The Hidden Persuaders
	• A study of Jean Kilbourne's Can't Buy My Love
	• A study of Naomi Klein's No Logo
	A study of Naomi Wolf's The Beauty Myth
	A study of Noam Chomsky's Understanding Power

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ASSESSMENT DETAILS:

Internal Assessment (50 marks)

Part 1: Project Work (40 Marks)

Part 2: Attendance – (10 marks)

- The duration of the paper will be two hours.
- Every question will have an internal choice.

NAME OF THE COURSE	UNDERSTANDING A CON	MUNICATIONS AGENCY
CLASS	TYBASCJ- STRATEGIC CO	OMMUNICATION
COURSE CODE	SBMMEDA604	
NUMBER OF CREDITS		4
NUMBER OF LECTURES PER WEEK		4
TOTAL NUMBER OF LECTURES PER	60	
SEMESTER		
EVALUATION METHOD	INTERNAL	SEMESTER END
	ASSESSMENT	EXAMINATION
TOTAL MARKS		50
PASSING MARKS	50	20
	20	

COURSE OBJECTIVES

CO 1.	To familiarize students with the different aspects of running a
	communications agency
CO 2.	To acquaint the students with concepts, techniques for managing a client account in an agency
CO 3.	To inculcate competencies to undertake professional work in the field of marketing agencies

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES:

CLO 1.	The learner will identify the roles and functions within a	
	communications agency	
CLO 2.	The learner will examine the running of an advertising agency in a competitive business	
CLO 3.	The learner will design a creative brief and evaluate creative work on the basis of that	
	brief	

CLO 4.	The learner will assess the process of agency management and its importance	
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Types of Agencies	
Types of Agencies	
1. Google: Can It be Considered an Agency?	
2. Advertising vs 360 vs Omnichannel	
3. Digital Agencies – Problem or Opportunity?	
• The Organizational Structure	
• Roles & Functions	
1. Classical – Planning & Creative & Accounts + Ops, Finance, HR	
2. New – Strategy & Media & Content + Business Teams	
• Marketscape of Marketing Agencies – Threats and Opportunities	
Agency Finance	
How Agencies Make Money Today, with historical Perspective and Future Models	
How to Cost for a Business	
Business Viability / Business Case for an Account	
Growing the Agency	
The Pitch: Request for Proposal (RFIs, RFPs), Speculative Pitches, Pitch Process	
(Theory – Practice Covered in Account Planning)	
Agency Credentials – a Sales Tool	
Awards – a Marketing Tool	
Thought Leadership	
How Agencies Gain Clients – New Business Process	
Client Servicing	
The Client-Agency Relationship	

4.2	Evaluation Criteria in Choosing an Ad Agency - What makes a Good Agency – Client	
	Perspective	
4.3	The roles of Advertising Account Executives / Brand Servicing / Business Teams	
4.4	Skills Required in an Account/Business Role –	
	1. Project Management – the JSR – Job Status Reports	
	2. Network Plans – Campaigns, Film Production, Social Media	
	3. Writing Proposals	
	4. Emails	
4.5	Managing Client Expectations – Most Important Skills	
UNIT 5	Account Planning	
5.1	Role of Account Planning in Advertising	
5.2	Difference between Strategy & Planning	
5.3	Types of Account Planning	
	1. Communication Planning	
	2. Engagement Planning	
	3. Digital Strategy	
	4. Content Planning	
5.4	Account Planning Process –	
	1. Consumer Behaviour – Revision	
	2. Cultural Insights - Revision	
	3. Examples of Classic Agency Frameworks	
	4. Emerging Frameworks from Google and Facebook and Amazon	
	5. Customer Journeys & ZMOT (Zero Moment of Truth)	
5.5	Writing a Creative Brief	
	Evaluating Creative Work basis a Brief	
UNIT 6	Marketing Plan of the Client:	
6.1	The Marketing Brief – Client or Agency?	
	1. Marketing objectives, marketing Problems and Opportunity	
	2. Sales-Oriented Objectives – Performance Campaigns	
	3. Communications Objectives - Brand Uplift – Awareness / Salience / Purchase	

	intent / Recall / Comprehension etc
6.2	Marketing Audit – Competition Scanning & Gap analysis
UNIT 7	Advertising Campaign Management:
	1. Campaign Objectives & KPIs – Key Performance Indicators
	2. Campaign Networks – Timeline Plans
	3. Campaign Measurements and Reporting:
	• Brand Track Research – KPIs
	Digital Reporting and Analytics
UNIT 8	Types of Campaigns – and the Required Management in Each:
	• TVC
	• Print
	• Outdoor
	• Radio
	• Digital Banners
	• Experiential
	Sales Promotions
UNIT 9	Setting up an Agency:
	Business Plan Introduction
	Finding a Differentiator in a Cluttered and Lookalike Agency Offerings
	Agency as a Start-up

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ASSESSMENT DETAILS:

Internal Assessment (50 marks)

Part 1: Project Work (40 Marks)

Part 2: Attendance – (10 marks)

- The duration of the paper will be two hours.
- Every question will have an internal choice.

NAME OF THE COURSE	ADVERTISING DESIGN	
CLASS	TYBASCJ- STRATEGIC CO	OMMUNICATION
COURSE CODE	SBMMEDA605	
NUMBER OF CREDITS		4
NUMBER OF LECTURES PER WEEK		4
TOTAL NUMBER OF LECTURES PER	6	60
SEMESTER		
EVALUATION METHOD	INTERNAL	SEMESTER END
	ASSESSMENT	EXAMINATION
TOTAL MARKS		50
PASSING MARKS	50	20
	20	

COURSE OBJECTIVES

CO 1.	To introduce students to the process of planning and production of
	advertisements across different media platforms
CO 2.	To highlight the importance of design as a form of visual communication
	in advertising

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES:

CLO 1.	The learner will identify the elements of design
CLO 2.	The learner will explore the use of design principles
CLO 3.	The learner will design corporate identity and stationery
CLO 4.	The learner will explore the use of layout and colour in print,
	out-of-home and digital design
CLO 5.	The learner will synthesize the various concepts taught to them in the

form of an advertising campaign	
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UNIT 1	Understanding Design: Design as a Language of Communication
1.1	Elements of Design: Point/ Line/ Shape/ Tone/ Colour/ Texture
1.2	Principles of Design: Proportion/ Contrast/ Harmony/ Balance/ Rhythm/ Unity
1.3	Introducing Students to the Rules: Proximity/ Closure/ Similarity/ Continuation/
	Figure & Ground
1.4	The Use of Positive and Negative Space in Layouts
1.5	Use of Colour; Introduction to Colour Psychology
UNIT 2	Introduction to Word Expression
2.1	How Word Meaning is Expressed through the Appearance of Words/ Visuals
2.2	Calligraphy and Typography
UNIT 3	Designing Corporate Identity
3.1	Understanding the Design of Corporate Identity with respect to Consumer Needs
3.2	Designing Stationery
UNIT 4	Introduction to Layout in Communication Design
4.1	Types of Layout: All Text/ Text Dominant/ Picture Dominant/ Picture Window
4.2	Using Visuals and Text Effectively
UNIT 5	Designing for the Web
5.1	Understanding how Content Management Systems work
5.2	Headers, footers, menu, layout, colour
5.3	Information architecture and site map
5.4	Site navigation
5.5	SEO features

UNIT 6	Campaign planning:
	(Rest of the lectures in guiding the students through developing the campaign.)
	Introduction to the Process of Idea Generation
	Understanding Brand
	Understanding the Target Audience
	Understanding Buying Motives/ Habits/ Influences
	Understanding product/ Market (Segmentation)/ Client/ Deriving Message/
	Creative Brief
	Arriving at a Big Idea/Copy Platform
	Layout Stages & Final Design
	Corporate Stationery & Brand Manual
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ASSESSMENT DETAILS:

Internal Assessment - 50 marks

- Classwork on Graphic Principles: Exploring Aspects of Balance, Contrast, Rhythm, Harmony, Word Expression, Negative Space, Colour Elements of the Campaign for External Submission:
- Each student will have to produce a comprehensive advertising campaign for a brand (in keeping with faculty instructions) comprising the following elements:
 - 1. Corporate Identity (Logo and/ or Symbol) for the Brand
 - 2. Brand Stationery (letterhead, envelope, business card and other attendant stationery)
 - 3. Press Advertisements (3)
 - 4. Magazine Advertisements (3)
 - 5. Outdoor Advertisements (3)
 - 6. Storyboard for a TVC or the Basic Layout for a Website (at least 4 pages)
 - 7. Web Display Advertisements (3)
 - 8. Point of Purchase (1)
 - 9. Any Additional Merchandise

SEMESTER END EXAMINATION: 50 marks

This paper does not have a written exam. There will be a viva voce examination conducted by a qualified external examiner to assess the campaign conceived and produced by each individual student at the end of the semester, along specific design parameters

NAME OF THE COURSE	DIGITAL MARKETING- II	
CLASS	TYBASCJ- STRATEGIC CO	OMMUNICATION
COURSE CODE	SBMMEDA606	
NUMBER OF CREDITS		4
NUMBER OF LECTURES PER WEEK		4
TOTAL NUMBER OF LECTURES PER	60	
SEMESTER		
EVALUATION METHOD	INTERNAL	SEMESTER END
	ASSESSMENT	EXAMINATION
TOTAL MARKS		50
PASSING MARKS	50	20
	20	

COURSE OBJECTIVES

CO 1.	To continue the exploration the components and facets of Digital
	Marketing and their role in Marketing that was begun in Semester V
CO 2.	To introduce the students to the scope of creating and marketing content using digital platforms
CO 3.	To enable them to explore the various aspects and implications of digital and data-driven communication in the age of the Internet

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES:

CLO 1.	The learner will inspect and analyse the importance of search engine
	optimisation, search engine marketing, and display advertising in digital
	communication
CLO 2.	The learner will analyse the use of social media marketing, mobile and
	video marketing, and digital analytics in improving digital

	communication
CLO 3.	The learner will design a data driven and digital marketing campaign

UNIT 1	Search Engine Optimisation
1.1	Introduction to SEO
1.2	Search Engine Optimisation: On-Page and Off-Page
1.3	Black Hat SEO
UNIT 2	Search Engine Marketing & Display Advertising
2.1	Introduction to SEM
2.2	PPC/CPC
2.3	Key Components of Display Advertising
2.4	Retargeting, Geotargeting, AdWords
UNIT 3	Google Business Profiles
3.1	Overview of Google Business Profiles
3.2	Role of Google Business Profiles in SEO
UNIT 4	Video Marketing & YouTube
4.1	When to Use Video in Marketing
4,2	Essentials of a Video Marketing Campaign
UNIT 5	Digital Analytics for Websites
5.1	Types of Data Analytics
5.2	Data Analytics Tools

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ASSESSMENT DETAILS:

Internal Assessment (50 marks)

Part 1: Project Work (40 Marks)

Part 2: Attendance – (10 marks)

- The duration of the paper will be two hours.
- Every question will have an internal choice.