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B.A. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.) EXAMINATION, APRIL 2019

Fourth Semester

B.A. Mass Communication and Journalism

Complementary Course IV : MC 4CM T20—LANGUAGE AND TRANSLATION STUDIES

Time: Three Hours Maximum Marks: 80

Part A

Answer any **ten** questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 1. Define Translation.
- 2. What is Semiotics?
- 3. Identify two differences in verbal and non-verbal communication.
- 4. What is Kinesics?
- 5. What is Para language?
- 6. What is a Register in language?
- 7. What do we mean by 'Ideology' in translation?
- 8. Identify one limitation of Audio-Visual Information.
- 9. What is a Polyphonic language?
- 10. Who is a 'Target Audience'?
- 11. What is Machine Translation?
- 12. What is Sub-titling?

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Part B

Answer any SIX questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

- 13. Discuss the concept of Visibility of Translator.
- 14. Radio has a major role to play in language. Explain.

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- 15. "The language of cinema, on the whole, is more accessible to the average person than that of other media". Explain.
- 16. What are the problems faced by a translator in converting idioms from one to another language? Cite examples.
- 17. Discuss the notion Of 'creativity' in translation.
- 18. What is Multilingual editing?
- 19. What are the challenges of translating for Newspapers?
- 20. Discuss in detail the principle of equivalence in translation.
- 21. Differentiate Adaptation and Translation.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

Part C

Answer any **two** questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

- 22. Discuss the importance of translation in mainstream journalism.
- 23. Write on the general challenges faced by translators while translating film and television scripts.
- 24. Discuss the issues of cultural untranslatability in Media.
- 25. 'Standardization and changes in language structure are the indicators of language development'. Comment.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$

