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**Course Code : BAJ3021**

**Course Name : Sem III - BAJ3021 - Investigative and Crime journalism**

**Program : BA Journalism and Mass Communication**

**Date : 13-JAN-2023**

**Time : 9.30AM - 12.30PM**

**Max Marks : 100**

**Weightage : 50%**

**Instructions:**

- (i) Read all questions carefully and answer accordingly.*
- (ii) Question paper consists of 3 parts.*
- (iii) Scientific and non-programmable calculator are permitted.*

**PART A**

**ANSWER ALL THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS**

**15 X 2 = 30M**

1. Arnab Goswami is related with which TV Channel?  
a) NDTV (CO1) [Knowledge]  
b) Republic Tv  
c) News18  
d) None of these
2. Reporter should put his opinion in his report to make it 'Unbiased'? Statement is correct or Wrong.  
a) Correct (CO1) [Knowledge]  
b) Wrong  
c) Both  
d) None of these
3. Journalists have special powers. Statement is correct or wrong.  
a) Correct (CO1) [Knowledge]  
b) Wrong  
c) both  
d) None of these

4. Freedom of Speech & Expression is related with which of the following. (CO2) [Knowledge]
- a) Article 26
  - b) Article 15
  - c) Article 19
  - d) None of these
5. Which is the highest Court in Indian Judiciary System? (CO2) [Knowledge]
- a) High Court
  - b) Trial Court
  - c) Supreme Court
  - d) None of these
6. Who could announce punishment for an accused? (CO2) [Knowledge]
- a) Police
  - b) Media
  - c) Court
  - d) None of these
7. IPC & CrPC are the same. True or False. (CO3) [Knowledge]
- a) True
  - b) False
  - c) None of these
8. Full form of CrPC is ? (CO3) [Knowledge]
- a) Courts Procedures
  - b) Indian Penal Code
  - c) Criminal Process Coding
  - d) Code of Criminal Procedure
9. Police PRO office is one source of Crime Reporting. What kind of source is it? (CO3) [Knowledge]
- a) Unofficial
  - b) official
  - c) Both
  - d) None of these
10. Inchoate Crimes: "Inchoate" translates into "incomplete", meaning crimes that were begun, but not completed. (CO4) [Knowledge]
- a) False
  - b) True
  - c) None of these
11. Crime reporters are allowed to use cellphone inside courts . True or False? (CO4) [Knowledge]
- a) True
  - b) False
  - c) Sometimes
  - d) all the time

12. Who is the 50th CJI of India?  
a) Justice Ramanha (CO4) [Knowledge]  
b) Justice Rajesh Bindal  
c) Dhananjaya Y. Chandrachud  
d) None of these
13. Which of the following is most important for a crime reporter  
a) Correct Facts (CO5) [Knowledge]  
b) Timeliness  
c) Legal Knowledge  
d) all the options
14. In Shradhha Murder Case of Delhi, the girl belongs to which state?  
a) Bangalore (CO5) [Knowledge]  
b) Delhi  
c) Mumbai  
d) Pune
15. Khakee "Bihar" Chapter TV show is based on the life of an IPS officer.  
a) Chetan Sharma (CO5) [Knowledge]  
b) Kiran Bedi  
c) Chetan Khanna  
d) Amit Lodha

## PART B

### ANSWER ALL THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS

8 X 5 = 40M

16. Dr. Prannoy Roy and his wife Radhika Roy are related with a TV News Channel in India. Outline your opinion about this TV News Channel?  
(CO1) [Comprehension]
17. Why a Crime reporter should have knowledge of Law? Explain.  
(CO2) [Comprehension]
18. Briefly write about 5 unofficial sources of a crime reporter.  
(CO3) [Comprehension]
19. Can you explain in brief about IPC and CrPC?  
(CO4) [Comprehension]
20. Can you briefly explain 10 good qualities of a crime reporter?  
(CO5) [Comprehension]
21. An investigative Journalist should have good relations with Police. Do you agree? Identify three reasons in support of your opinion.  
(CO1) [Comprehension]
22. Can you explain the structure of Indian Judicial system in your own words.  
(CO2) [Comprehension]
23. Mention five official sources of the crime reporting.  
(CO3) [Comprehension]

**PART C**

**ANSWER ALL THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS**

**2 X 15 = 30M**

- 24.** Trends in reporting and presenting crime stories can be classified into two categories, positive trends and negative trends. Write five positive and five negative trends in current scenario.

(CO1) [Application]

- 25.** Don't behave like police or court. The duty of media is only to inform the public about the crime objectively. Do not try to give a decision before the court delivers its judgment. Media trial must be avoided and don't present accused as guilty before the court's verdict is out. Give your arguments in support of this statement with atleast one example.

(CO3) [Application]

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