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DIPLOMA IN GRAPHIC DESIGN (DG I)

BGD 2106: INTRODUCTION TO PHOTOGRAPHIC TECHNIQUES

SUPPLEMENTARY/SPECIAL EXAMINATIONS

SERIES: FEBRUARY 2013

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- This paper consists of **TWO** Sections **A** & **B**.
- Section A is Compulsory.
- Answer any other **TWO** questions in Section **B**.

This paper consists of Two printed pages.

SECTION A (Compulsory)

QUESTION 1

a) Define photography.

(2 marks)

b) Describe **FOUR** different types of photographic images developed by a designer.

(18 marks)

QUESTION 2

To a designer, photography is a tool to create an already decided image either in form a story board. Explain this and why it is necessary. (20 marks)

SECTION B (Attempt any TWO questions)

QUESTION 3

"The rule of the two thirds, the golden mean and the aspect ratio helps in composing good visuals for graphic designer. Discuss this statement from showing why this procedure is a requirement. (15 marks)

QUESTION 4

"A picture is worthy a thousand words. In what respect is it true and in what way would this not work.

(20 marks)

QUESTION 5

Discuss briefly different types of cameras and effects on photographs.

(15 marks)

QUESTION 6

What are dark room techniques of photography and how can they be applied to achieve a specific message /aim. (15 marks)