(For candidates admitted from 2016-2021 batch)

B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023.

Part III — Visual Communication — Major

ELEMENTS OF FILM

Time: Three hours Maximum: 75 marks

**SECTION A** —  $(10 \times 2 = 20)$ 

Answer ALL questions.

- 1. Early cinema.
- 2. Classical Hollywood era years.
- 3. Cinematographer.
- 4. Film distribution.
- 5. Mise-en-scene.
- 6. Continuity editing.
- 7. Non-narrative form.
- 8. Film language.

- 9. Kollywood.
- 10. Ideology.

SECTION B — 
$$(5 \times 5 = 25)$$

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Name a significant film from Italian neo-realism.

Or

- (b) What is the impact of the coming of sound on Classical Hollywood cinema?
- 12. (a) Describe the process of casting in filmmaking.

 $\mathbf{Or}$ 

- (b) What is the role of financing in filmmaking?
- 13. (a) Explain the role of sound in film.

Or

- (b) Name an alternative to continuity editing and why?
- 14. (a) Describe the principles of film narrative form.

Or

(b) Define film grammar.

- 15. (a) How does narrative form relate to film style?

  Or
  - (b) Describe the concept of unity in film style.

**SECTION C** — 
$$(3 \times 10 = 30)$$

Answer any THREE questions.

- 16. Discuss the contributions of German expressionism to film aesthetics.
- 17. Examine the role of editing in post-production.
- 18. Evaluate the narrative power of mise-en-scene in filmmaking.
- 19. Discuss how non-narative forms challenge traditional storytelling in films.
- 20. Discuss the relationship between ideology and film form and style.