

Duration: 2 ½ hours

Marks: 75

N.B. 1. All questions are compulsory.

2. Figures to the right indicate marks.

Q.1 How was the prolonged LTTE conflict in Sri Lanka linked to the peoples' revolt witnessed in Sri Lanka recently.? Analyse and explain at length. (15 marks)

OR

Q.1 Give an outline of the factors that led to the Ukraine War and review the role of the media. (15 marks)

Q.2 A. Review the concept of the North-South Divide and explain how this theory has altered. (8 marks)

B. How has parachute journalism undermined international reporting? (7 marks)

OR

C. Review the media landscape of USA. (8 marks)

D. Describe the status of the media in North Korea. (7 marks)

Q.3 A. Explain with an example how media can spread hatred and violence. (8 marks)

B. Outline some features of the media in Australia. (7 marks)

OR

C. The MacBride Commission tabled its report in 1980. Why is it still relevant? (8 marks)

D. Explain the five laws of MIL. (7 marks)

Q.4. A. Trace the growth of Al Jazeera as a credible global media network. How has it contributed to enriching the global communication system? (15 marks)

OR

B. Explain how the media in China is suppressed. How has Xi Jin Ping misused the media to promote his image and power? (15 marks)

Q.5 Write Short Notes (Any 3 out of 5) (15 marks)

- Pro-Democracy Protest in Hong Kong
- Talking Drums
- NANAP
- Kisha Kurabus of Japan
- Fake news