

KATHMANDU UNIVERSITY  
End Semester Examination  
June/July 2024

Level : B.Sc.  
Year : I  
Time : 2 hrs. 30 mins.

04-July-2024

Course : ENGT 104  
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F. M. : 40

SECTION "B"

[8 Q. × 5 = 40 marks]

Answer *ANY EIGHT* questions. *You are expected to treat each answer as a formal document. All questions carry equal marks.*

1. According to Sagan, what are the distinguishing features between science and pseudoscience? Compare and contrast Carl Sagan's views with at least one other author or scientist discussed in the text to illustrate varying perspectives on the impact of pseudoscience on society.
2. Imagine you are Gloria Anzuldúa the author of the text "How to Tame a Wild Tongue". After reading the poem "Caged bird" you write a letter to the same "caged bird" of Maya Angelou sharing your experiences and motivate the bird to revolt against the captivity and suppression.
3. You are the President of Pharmacy Club, Kathmandu University. Write a MEMO to the security in-charge of Kathmandu University requesting him/her for the security of the equipment such as Projector, Printer, and smart Board of the Department of Pharmacy, Kathmandu University.
4. Write a **concept paper** or an **internal Proposal** ONE of the following topics.
  - a. **Pharmacy Automation and Robotics:** Assessing the integration of automated systems and robotics in pharmacy settings to enhance efficiency, accuracy, and patient safety.
  - b. **Pharmacy Practice Innovations in Developing Countries:** Investigating innovative approaches to pharmacy practice in low-resource settings, focusing on improving access to essential medicines and healthcare services.
5. Prepare a **topic outline** of a Proposal and write what is written in each component with examples.

[*Note: for instance Abstract section of the proposal include Problem leading to your proposal, the suggested solutions, the benefits your audience will derive, the methodology of the proposed plan, and keywords*]
6. Write an appropriate message to physical facility of the university, briefing the issues of Concern Regarding Prolonged Student Occupancy at Kathmandu University Café. Suggest him/her the possible suggestions.
7. Write **Introduction section** of a report among ONE of the following topics.
  - a. **Herbal Medicines: Efficacy and Safety:** Reviewing the scientific evidence on the efficacy and safety of commonly used herbal medicines and their interactions with conventional drugs.

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**b. Pharmacy Practice in Pandemics:** Investigating the role of pharmacists during pandemics, their contributions to public health emergency response, and lessons learned for future preparedness.

8. Design a **resume** on the basis of the following details.

Received two Post-graduate Degrees (one from Nepal and one from South Korea) and Ph.D. from a reputed American university; specializes in Pharmacy has had extensive study of eastern Medicinal Practices; visiting faculty in a college after 17-year engagement in different scientific research intuitions; aspiring for a position of a Professor of Pharmacy in a university in Nepal; has command in Four international languages; trained in graphics design and visual arts; associated with a local film studies group; hosts a TV show on science and religion; membership in local and foreign organizations; four books published two on Pharmacy, one on visual arts, one on the philosophy of science); writes columns in local and international magazines; widowed for three years; lives with government retired father, politician mother daughters in Bhaktapur.

9. Present your Application and Analysis of the following piece of text. (Bloom's Taxonomy)

Most doctors are profoundly troubled over the extent to which the medical profession today is taking on the trappings of a pain-killing industry. Their offices are overloaded with people who are morbidly but mistakenly convinced that something dreadful is about to happen to them. It is all too evident that the campaign to get people to run to a doctor at the first sign of pain has boomeranged. Physicians find it difficult to give adequate attention to patients genuinely in need of expert diagnosis and treatment because their time is soaked up by people who have nothing wrong with them except a temporary indisposition or a psychogenic ache.

Patients tend to feel indignant and insulted if the physician tells them he can find no organic cause for the pain. They tend to interpret the term "psychogenic" to mean that they are complaining of nonexistent symptoms. They need to be educated about the fact that many forms of pain have no underlying physical cause but are the result, as mentioned earlier, of tension, stress, or hostile factors in the general environment. Sometimes a pain may be a manifestation of "conversion hysteria," as mentioned earlier, the name given by Jean Charcot to physical symptoms that have their origins in emotional disturbances.

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SECTION "A"

[20 Q. × 1 = 20 marks]

Choose the most appropriate answer. **Encircle** the most appropriate option.

1. Which of the following components is an essential component to all formats of letter?
  - a. Salutation
  - b. Signed Name
  - c. Subject Line
  - d. Complimentary Close
2. Which of the following sentences is an example of "Expletive Pattern" which should be deleted to maintained conciseness?
  - a. Three people work will work for Acme.
  - b. Bill is of the opinion that stock prices will decrease.
  - c. It has been decided that ten engineers will be hired.
  - d. He spoke at a rapid rate.
3. While writing the document to see the overall organization of a document as well as the subdivisions, it is useful to collect data with \_\_\_\_\_ technique.
  - a. Flowcharting
  - b. Creating Organization Chart.
  - c. storyboarding
  - d. Outlining
4. \_\_\_\_\_ is an example of sexist stereotyping.
  - a. The teacher must be sure her lesson plans are filed.
  - b. Sheila is confined to a wheelchair.
  - c. Professor X, an old teacher as state University, is publishing a textbook despite his age.
  - d. The administrative assistant brought the boss's coffee.
5. There are a number of challenges of Instant Messages **EXCEPT** \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. Security issues
  - b. Netiquette
  - c. Distraction
  - d. Effective Collaboration
6. The discussion section of the short informal record include \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. Purpose
  - b. overview of the report
  - c. summary of your main activities, unique aspects and detailed development
  - d. the subject matters of the report
7. A Concept Paper is generally the intended for \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. Potential funders and decision-makers
  - b. Research participants
  - c. General public
  - d. Academic peers for peer review

8. The main purpose of the "recommendations section" in a report is \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. To summarize the research findings
  - b. To suggest future actions based on the report's findings
  - c. To describe the research methods used
  - d. To present the raw data collected
9. What is the role of the literature review in a proposal?
  - a. To provide an overview of the budget
  - b. To summarize the key points and objectives
  - c. To describe the project's anticipated outcomes
  - d. To review existing research relevant to the project
10. What is a common mistake to avoid during an oral presentation?
  - a. Overloading slides with text and data
  - b. Speaking clearly and at a moderate pace
  - c. Engaging with the audience
  - d. Using relevant visual aids
11. The main purpose of using "white space" in "document design" is \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. To fill in empty areas with decorations
  - b. To make the document appear less crowded and more readable
  - c. To add color to the document
  - d. To decrease the document's length
12. Which of the following is NOT a recommended practice for "resume writing"?
  - a. Tailoring your resume for each job application
  - b. Using a clear, professional font
  - c. Including every job you've ever had
  - d. Keeping the resume concise and relevant
13. What are the two key questions Ramachandran believes are important when looking back over one's life as a scientist?
  - a. How much money did I make? How many awards did I win?
  - b. How many experiments did I conduct? How many students did I teach?
  - c. How many publications did I produce? How famous did I become?
  - d. How much fun did I have? How much impact did I have?
14. Norman Cousins suggests that there should be \_\_\_\_\_ to better educate people about pain.
  - a. integrated knowledge about pain into the regular school curriculum
  - b. increased the production of painkillers
  - c. reduced advertising for painkillers
  - d. conducted more research on new pain medications
15. What is the significance of the dead canary in the play? (Trifles)
  - a. It was Mrs. Wright's only friend.
  - b. It symbolizes Mrs. Wright's lost dreams and freedom.
  - c. It belonged to Sheriff Peters.
  - d. It was used as evidence against Mrs. Wright.

16. What argument does the speaker use to convince his coy mistress to seize the day? (To His \_\_\_)
- Youth is the best time for romance.
  - Their love will last forever.
  - Death is inevitable and time is short.
  - They should flee from societal norms.
17. Gloria Anzaldúa described Chicano Spanish as a "border tongue because \_\_\_\_\_ (How to tame..)
- it is spoken only by border residents.
  - it is used primarily in political speeches.
  - it is disappearing due to cultural assimilation.
  - it blends elements of Spanish and English.
18. According to the poem the effects of the caged bird's song have to \_\_\_\_\_ (Caged Bird)
- bring joy to others
  - echo in the night
  - frighten other birds
  - be heard on a distant hill
19. Kirilov finally agrees to accompany Abogin because \_\_\_\_\_ (Enemies)
- Abogin promises to compensate him generously
  - Abogin appeals to his sense of duty and humanity
  - Kirilov realizes he can help Abogin find closure
  - Kirilov feels sorry for Abogin's situation
20. Arab discomfort in enclosed spaces is attributed to their preference for their \_\_\_\_\_ (Arab World)
- High ceilings and unobstructed views.
  - Small, intimate settings.
  - Closed, partitioned rooms.
  - Thick walls and low ceilings.

