SCHEME OF EXAMINATION & SYLLABUS of

UG Programme (Interdisciplinary)

B.Sc. (Graphics & Animation) Scheme: D

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Session: 2024-25					
Part A - Introduction					
Name of Programme	B.Sc. Graphic	B.Sc. Graphics & Animation			
Semester	5th				
Name of the Course	Rigging &	Lighting			
Course Code	B23-GAG-50	1			
Course Type	CC-A5				
Level of the course	300-399				
Pre-requisite for the course (if any)					
		anding the basics of Rigg			
After completing this course, the learner will	11 CLO 2: Study of Skeleton & Anatomy setup				
be able to:	CLO 3: Explore how to assemble the whole setup into a master				
	rig				
		anding the different type	s of Lighting		
	techniq	lues the rigging and lighting t	raahniguas		
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Credits	Theory	Practical	Total		
	3	I	4		
Teaching Hours per week	3 2 5				
Internal Assessment Marks	20	10	30		
End Term Exam Marks	50 20 70				
Max. Marks	70 30 100				
Examination Time	3 hours	3 hours			

Unit	Topics	Contact Hours
I	Basic Human Anatomical Structure	11
	Group And Hierarchy	
	Joints, Forward Kinematics, Inverse Kinematics	
	Mirroring Joints, Reroot Skeleton, Connect/Disconnect Joints	
	Joint Orientation	
II	Project Set up	11
	Constraints	
	Deformers	
	Set Driven Key, Adding Custom Attributes	
	Connection Editor, Expression Editor, Reference Editor	
	IK Handle Tool, IK Solvers (Rotate Plane, Single Chain, Spline), IK	
	Controls, IK Preferred Angle, Pole Vector Constraint	
III	Anatomy of the torso, leg, arms, hands, and fingers	11

	Biped skeleton	
	Head Rigging	
	Facial Rigging	
	Skinning, Interactive/smooth Binding, Controlling skin weight	
	Painting Skin weight & Editing skin weight	
IV	Theory of Lighting	12
	Direct Illumination, Manipulation of Lighting(effects)	
	Working on Different Types of Lighting	
	Environment Lighting	
	Interior and Exterior Lighting	
V	Practicals	30
	 Learn Bone Setup in Human and Cartoon Character 	
	 Create Controls with help of IK and FK 	
	 Wire Parameters 	
	 Skinning and binding 	
	 Three Point Lighting setup for object 	
	Interior Lighting setup	
	o Exterior Lighting	
	 Facial Rigging Controls 	
	o Robotic Rigging	
	o Animal Rig	
	 Bird Wings Control Setup 	
	 Show reel of rigging 	
	Total Contact Hours	75

Suggested Evaluation Methods

Suggested Evaluation Methods					
Internal Assessment: 30		End Term Examination: 70			
> Theory	20	> Theory:	50		
• Class Participation:	5	Written Examination			
• Seminar/presentation/assignment/quiz/class test etc.:	5				
• Mid-Term Exam:	10				
> Practicum	10	Practicum	20		
• Class Participation:	5	Lab record, Viva-	Voce, write-up and		
• Seminar/Demonstration/Viva-voce/Lab records etc.:	5	execution of the practical			
• Mid-Term Exam:	-				

Part C-Learning Resources

- o Animation Methods-Rigging Made Easy: Rig Your First Character in Maya: David Rodriguez
- o Maya Character Rigging: Cheryl Cabrera
- O Rig IS Right! Maya Animation Rigging Concepts by Tina
- o Essential Skills in Character Rigging by Nicholas B. Zeman

Session: 2024-25					
Part A - Introduction					
Name of Programme	B.Sc. Graphic	B.Sc. Graphics & Animation			
Semester	5th				
Name of the Course	Commercial 1	Design			
Course Code	B23-GAG-50	2			
Course Type	CC-B5				
Level of the course	300-399				
Pre-requisite for the course (if any)					
After completing this course, the learner will be able to:	CLO 1: Understanding the basics of Commercial Design. VIII CLO 2: Students will be able to Design for Commercial goods. CLO 3: Understanding the different kind of commercial design. CLO 4: Understanding the different types of Designing Techniques CLO 5: To design different commercial products packages Theory Practical Total				
Teaching Hours per week	3 3	2	5		
Internal Assessment Marks	20 10 30				
End Term Exam Marks	50 20 70				
Max. Marks	70	30	100		
Examination Time	3 hours	3 hours	_		

Unit	Topics	Contact Hours
I	Commercial Design: Introduction and Scope	11
	Brand and Branding Design	
	Strategy Design Process	
	Design Principal: Practice & Implement	
	Layout Designing Principals	
II	Typography and Typeface Design	11
	Types and Features of Typefaces	
	Structure and elements of Typeface	
	Leading, Kerning and Tracking	
III	Packaging and Designing	11
	Packaging Design: Process	
	Packaging Design Principal	
	Elements of Packaging Design	
	Packaging Design: Outer Packaging, Inner Packaging and Product	
	Packaging	

Boxes Design Packaging			
Cylindrical Design Packaging			
IV Color Theory			12
CMYK, Lab Colors and Pantone Colors			
Color Phycology			
Export and Authoring: Size Colors and For	nts		
V Practicals			30
 Newspaper Design 			
 Food Package Design 			
 Electronic Product Package 			
o Bottle Branding Design			
o Box Package Design			
 Special occasion based package 			
 Typography Based package Design 			
o Toy Package design			
		Total Contact Hour	rs 75
Suggested Evaluati	on M	lethods	
Internal Assessment: 30		End Term Ex	xamination: 70
> Theory	20	> Theory:	50
• Class Participation:	5	Written Ex	xamination
• Seminar/presentation/assignment/quiz/class test etc.:	5		
• Mid-Term Exam:	10		
> Practicum	10	Practicum	20
• Class Participation:	5	·	Voce, write-up and
• Seminar/Demonstration/Viva-voce/Lab records etc.:	5	execution of	the practical
• Mid-Term Exam:	-		

- The New Strategic Brand Management Advanced Insights & Strategic Thinking by Jean-Noël Kapferer
- Building Strong Brands by David Aaker
- Design and Strategy A Step-by-Step Guide By Wanda Grimsgaard

Session: 2024-25				
Part A - Introduction				
Name of Programme	B.Sc. Graphics & Animation			
Semester	5th			
Name of the Course	3D Creature	Animation and Ro	endering	
Course Code	B23-GAG-50	3		
Course Type	CC-C5			
Level of the course	300-399			
Pre-requisite for the course (if any)				
Course Learning Outcomes (CLO)	CLO 1: Unde	CLO 1: Understanding the basics of 3d Creature		
After completing this course, the learner will				
be able to:	CLO 2: Students will be able to Animate different Creatures			
	CLO 3: Understanding the Setup of Animation Keys and In-			
	betweens	1'	C A :	
		anding the different type ques and able to handle		
	movem	-	the speed of	
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Credits	Theory	Practical	Total	
	3	1	4	
Teaching Hours per week	3	2	5	
Internal Assessment Marks	20	10	30	
End Term Exam Marks	50 20 70			
Max. Marks	70 30 100			
Examination Time	3 hours	3 hours		

Unit	Topics	Contact Hours
I	3D Animation: Types and Techniques	11
	Key Frames: Add & Blocking, Move & Modify	
	Key Frame Animation : Ball Bounce	
	Graph for Animation: Types and features	
	Dope Sheet: Setup and Edit	
	Connection Editor, Expression Editor, Reference Editor	
	Camera: Setup, Modify and Animation	
	FPS: Add & Modify	
	Time line: Elements and Controls	
II	Difference between Animation & Motion	11
	Mass & Weight	
	Squash & Stretch: Ball, Hand, Arms and Face	
	Arc: Box Bounce, Pendulum	

	Timing and Spacing: Leaf Animation			
	Morphing: Face Animation & Shape Morpl	h		
	Eyes Blinking and Movement			
III	Anticipation: Walk, and Run			11
	Secondary Action: Pulling Chain			
	Follow Through and Overlapping Animatic	on: T	ail	
	Slow in & Slow Out: Kick & Punch			
	Facial Animation:			
	Straight Ahead Action: Action with Sword	1		
IV	Rendering: Concept & Scope			12
	Types of Rendering: Maya Software Rende	er, M	aya Hardware 2.0	
	and Arnold Rendering	,		
	Rendering: Process & Settings			
	Shadow Pass Rendering and Lighting Pass	Reno	lering	
V	Practicals			30
	Rubber Ball Bounce / Iron Ball Bounce	;		
	 Leaf Falling Animation 			
	o Face Expression with morph and witho	ut m	orph	
	Normal Walk Cycle / Funny Walk Cycle			
	o Double Jump			
	 Chain Pulling Animation 			
	o Punch Action			
	Action with Gadget			
	o Frame Rendering			
	 Sequence Rendering 			
	Video Rendering			
			Total Contact Hours	s 75
	Suggested Evaluati	on N	lethods	
	Internal Assessment: 30		End Term Ex	amination: 70
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	Participation:	5		kamination
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	Ferm Exam:	10		
	cticum	10	> Practicum	20
	Participation:	5		Voce, write-up and
-	nar/Demonstration/Viva-voce/Lab records etc.:	5	execution of	
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Recommended Books/e-resources/LMS:

- o Autodesk Maya 2018 Basics Guide by Kelly L. Murdock
- o The Animator's Survival Kit

• Mid-Term Exam:

- o Understanding 3-D animation using Maya John Edgar Park
- o Essential Skills in Character Rigging by Nicholas B. Zeman
- o 3D Animation Essentials (Essentials (John Wiley)
- o Disney Animation: The Illusion of Life

- o The Animator's Survival Kit by Richard E. Williams
- o 3D Animation for the Raw Beginner Using Maya Roger King
- o 3D Art Essentials: The Fundamentals of 3D Modeling, Texturing, and Animation by Ami Chopine
- o The Art of 3D: Computer Animation and Effects
- Character Animation in 3D: Use Traditional Drawing Techniques to Produce Stunning CGI Animation Steve Roberts
- o Mastering Lumion 3D by Ciro Cardoso
- o Animated Performance: Bringing Imaginary Animal, Human and Fantasy Characters to Life Nancy Beiman

Session: 2024-25				
Part A - Introduction				
Name of Programme	B.Sc. Graphic	B.Sc. Graphics & Animation		
Semester	6th			
Name of the Course	Visual Effec	t		
Course Code	B23-GAG-60	1		
Course Type	CC-A6			
Level of the course	300-399			
Pre-requisite for the course (if any)				
		n Techniques of Motion		
After completing this course, the learner will				
be able to:	CLO 3: Know about the Techniques and function of Motion			
	Graphics CLO 4: To Gain Knowledge of Motion Graphics Stages			
		strate the different motion		
	Softwa		ins using their Lineer	
Credits	Theory	Practical	Total	
	3	1	4	
Teaching Hours per week	3	2	5	
Internal Assessment Marks	20	10	30	
End Term Exam Marks	50 20 70			
Max. Marks	70	30	100	
Examination Time	3 hours	3 hours		

Unit	Topics	Contact Hours
I	Adobe After Effects: Interface, Tools and Menu	11
	Motion Graphics History.	
	Motion Graphics and Functions and Scope	
	Motion Graphics Elements: Colors, Shapes, Surfaces, Typography, and	
	Transitions.	
II	Key Frame Types: Liner, Auto Bezier, Continue Bezier, Bezier and	11
	Hold	
	Key framing: Adding, Modify, Change and Move & Remove	
	Graph Edition: Types and Features	
	Motion: Icons and Typography	
	Information Graphics Motion	
	Animated Titles	
III	Social media Advertisements	11
	Logo Animation	
	UI Animation	

	Product Animation / Motion Advertisements	
	Cinematography Motion	
IV	Program Intro Graphics	12
	Header Graphics Ribbon Motion	
	Footer Motion Graphics	
	Video Package of Explainer Video	
V	Practicals	30
	o Typographic Motion	
	o Icon Based Motion	
	o Animated Tittles	
	Social Media Advertisement Motion	
	o Logo Motion	
	o UI Motion	
	o Cinematic Video Motion	
	o Explainer Video	
	o Motion Advertisements	
	Television Broadcaster Graphics Interface	
'	Total Contact Hours	75
	Suggested Evaluation Methods	
	Internal Assessment: 30 End Term Examinati	on: 70
> The	eory 20 > Theory: 50	
• Class	s Participation: 5 Written Examination	on
• Semin	inar/presentation/assignment/quiz/class test etc.: 5	

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> Practicum

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Lab record, Viva-Voce, write-up and

execution of the practical

Recommended Books/e-resources/LMS:

- o Adobe After Effects Classroom in a Book
- o After Effects Visual Effects and Compositing

• Seminar/Demonstration/Viva-voce/Lab records etc.:

o After Effects Apprentice

• Mid-Term Exam:

• Class Participation:

• Mid-Term Exam:

> Practicum

- O Design for Motion: Fundamentals and Techniques of Motion Design
- o Design for Motion: Fundamentals and Techniques of Motion Design by Austin Shaw
- o Motion Graphic Design: Applied History and Aesthetics by Jon Krasner
- o Creating Motion Graphics with After Effects by Chris Meyer, Trish Meyer
- o Motion Graphics: 100 Design Projects You Can't Miss by Shao Qiang Wang

Session: 2024-25					
Part A - Introduction					
Name of Programme	B.Sc. Graphics & Animation				
Semester	6th				
Name of the Course	Gaming Tec	hnology			
Course Code	B23-GAG-60	2			
Course Type	CC-B6				
Level of the course	300-399				
Pre-requisite for the course (if any)					
Course Learning Outcomes (CLO)	CLO 1: To Lear	n Core Game Design	Principles		
After completing this course, the learner will					
be able to:		e different Techniques	of Game Level Design		
	and Game Mode	•			
		Knowledge of Game E	ngine for		
		oping Games	4		
		are different characters,	props and assets for a		
	game				
Credits	Theory	Practical	Total		
	3	1	4		
Teaching Hours per week	3	2	5		
Internal Assessment Marks	20 10 30				
End Term Exam Marks	50 20 70				
Max. Marks	70 30 100				
Examination Time	3 hours	3 hours			

Unit	Topics	Contact Hours
I	Introduction to 3d Gaming Design	11
	Overview of Mobile Gaming	
	Game Mechanics	
	Game Development Process	
	Game Genres and their characteristics	
	Game Design principles	
	Game Design Documents GDD	
	3D Game Design Concept and terminology	
II	Concept of Level Design	11
	Level design techniques	
	Game ready modeling techniques	
	Game Environment Design	
	Game Props and asset creation	

	Concept of Gamification	
III	Texture creation and editing techniques	11
	Material creation and shaders	
	PBR (Physically-Based Rendering) workflows	
	Texture baking and atlasing	
	Lighting techniques for game environments	
IV	Introduction to game engines	12
	Game engine interface and workflow	
	Importing and organizing assets	
	Scene setup and camera management	
	Role of Sound Design in Games: Sound Effects & Foley Art	
	Game UI and UX	
V	Practicals	30
	 Game Design Documents GDD 	
	 Level Design 	
	 Environment Design with texture 	
	o Game Props Design and textures	
	Assets Design with texture	
	o Game Character Design	
	Textured Character Design	
	Scene Setup in Game Engine	
	o Final Output with sound	
	Total Contact Hours	75
	Suggested Evaluation Methods	

Suggested Evaluation Methods

Internal Assessment: 30	End Term Examination: 70		
> Theory		> Theory:	50
• Class Participation:	5	Written Examination	
• Seminar/presentation/assignment/quiz/class test etc.:	5	=	
• Mid-Term Exam:	10		
> Practicum	10 > Practicum 20		20
• Class Participation:	5 Lab record, Viva-Voce, write-up and		
• Seminar/Demonstration/Viva-voce/Lab records etc.:	5	1	
• Mid-Term Exam:	-		

Part C-Learning Resources

- o The Art of Game Design: A Book of Lenses by Jesse Schell
- o Rules of Play: Game Design Fundamentals by Katie Salen Tekinbas and Eric Zimmerman
- o Game Design Workshop: A Playcentric Approach to Creating Innovative Games by Elizabeth Harstad
- o Game Engine Architecture by Jason Gregory
- o Unreal Engine 5 Essential Training by Tom Looman
- O Unity Game Development Cookbook by Will Goldstone:
- o Learning Blender by Mike Pan

Session: 2024-25					
Part A - Introduction					
Name of Programme	B.Sc. Graphic	s & Animation			
Semester	6th				
Name of the Course	UX Design				
Course Code	B23-GAG-60	3			
Course Type	CC-C6				
Level of the course	300-399				
Pre-requisite for the course (if any)					
Course Learning Outcomes (CLO)					
After completing this course, the learner will					
be able to:	CLO 3: Know about the Techniques and function of prototypes				
		Knowledge of wire fran			
		erstand the problem and			
Credits	Theory	Practical	Total		
	3	1	4		
Teaching Hours per week	3	2	5		
Internal Assessment Marks	20 10 30				
End Term Exam Marks	50 20 70				
Max. Marks	70 30 100				
Examination Time	3 hours	3 hours			

Unit	Topics	Contact Hours
I	Concept of UX Design	11
	Origin and Development of UX / UI Design	
	Process of UX Design: Product Definition, Product Research, Analysis,	
	Design, Validation (Testing)	
	8 Stages: Project Definition and Scope, Understanding the problem, UX	
	Research, Ideation (Sketching and low fidelity prototyping), High	
	fidelity mockups and prototype, Usability Testing, Design handoff,	
	Quality Assurance or UX Audit.	
II	Elements of User Experience Design	11
	Functional Layout & Interaction design	
	UX Principles: Doherty Threshold, Occam's Razor, Pareto Principle,	
	Postel's Law, Tesler's Law	
	Gestalt Principles	
	UX Research Methodology	
III	Principles of UI Design	11
	Types of UI Design	
	Concept of User Interface Design (UI)	

	Scope of Interface Design				
	Elements of UI Design: Input Controls, Naviga	ation	Compo	onents,	
	Informational Components, Containers.				
	Concept of Microcopy				
IV	User Interface of UI Design Software (FIGMA	(12
	Add and Edit Content: Frames, Shapes, Text, M	Mask	ing, Im	age, Colour,	
	Style, Components, Constraints				
	Prototyping: Process and linking				
	Sharing and Exporting				
	Concept of Wireframing: low fidelity and high	fide	lity		
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V	Practicals				30
	o Layout Design: Low fidelity				
	 Working with Text and Fonts Color and Gradients				
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	Button designIcon Design				
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	Interaction Screen DesignWeb Screen Design				
	Web Scient Design		Tot	al Contact Hour	75
	Suggested Evaluati	on N			1
	Internal Assessment: 30				amination: 70
> Th	neory	20	>	Theory:	50
• Class	s Participation:	5		Written Ex	camination
• Semi	inar/presentation/assignment/quiz/class test etc.:	5			
• Mid-	-Term Exam:	10			
> Pr	acticum	10	>	Practicum	20
• Class	s Participation:	5	Lab	•	Voce, write-up and
• Sem	inar/Demonstration/Viva-voce/Lab records etc.:	5		execution of	the practical

Recommended Books/e-resources/LMS:

• Mid-Term Exam:

- o The Essential Guide to User Interface Design an Introduction to GUI Design Principles and Techniques, Third Edition by Wilbert O. Galitz, Wiley Publishing, Inc.
- The Elements of Graphic Design, Second Edition by Alexw. White, Published by Allworth Press
- o A Designer's Research Manual, Second Edition by Jenn + Ken Visocky O'Grady
- o Adobe Illustrator CC, Classroom in a Book, The official training workbook from Adobe by Brian Wood, ADOBE PRESS
- o UI Design with Adobe Illustrator by Rick Moore, ADOBE PRESS
- Adobe XD in CC, Classroom in a Book, The official training workbook from Adobe By Brian Wood, ADOBE PRESS

Session: 2024-25					
Part A - Introduction					
Name of Programme		B.Sc. Graphics & Animation			
Semester	6 th				
Name of the Course	Artificial Int	elligence and Cyber S	Security		
Course Code	B23-GAG -6	04			
Course Type	CC-M6				
Level of the course	300-399				
Pre-requisite for the course (if any)					
Course Learning Outcomes (CLO)	CLO 1: To hel	p learners to understar	nd the world of AI		
After completing this course, the learner will					
be able to:	CLO 2 :To understand the basics of intelligent agents				
	and learning types				
	CLO 3: To under the concept of Information Security				
	and CIA traid.				
		out network security a	nd various security		
	techni				
		ırn about various appli	cation of AI in		
	-	ics Industry.			
Credits	Theory	Practical	Total		
	3	1	4		
Teaching Hours per week	3	2	5		
Internal Assessment Marks	20 10 30				
End Term Exam Marks	50 20 70				
Max. Marks	70 30 100				
Examination Time	Examination Time 3 hours 3 hours				

Unit	Topies	Contact House
Umt	Topics	Contact Hours
I	Artificial Intelligence: Evolution, Brief history & Definition	11
	Fundamental, Process, Features, Components & Interaction Types of	
	AI: Capabilities and Limitation	
	Machine Learning: Introduction & Classification	
	Knowledge representation techniques	
	Neural Networks: ANN, RNN and CN	
II	Introduction to NLP, Introduction to robotics; Applications of AI in	11
	robotics, Prompts: Phrasing and Structure	
	AI Applications in Design Industry: Pre-Production, Production and	
	Post-production	
III	Information Security : Concept, Need, Types	11
	Security Principles, Security Attacks	

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	model for network security				
	Basic cryptography: Encryption and Decryp				
TT 7	Asymmetric	10			
IV	Identification and Authentication: Goals, R	12			
	Machine Authentication and Mechanism				
	Two Stage Authentication				
	Network Security: Threats, Eavesdropping				
	Security Techniques: Firewalls, Intrusion d		ion, v	PN	
V	Legal Aspects of Security, Privacy and Ethi	ics			20
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	o Remove Background with Help of A				
	o Image Enhancement by using AI too	ols			
	o Create a story with Help of Prompts				
	o Create a Script with Help of Prompts	S			
	o Create a storyboard using AI Image				
	o Colour Pairing and Font Pairing Too				
	Use AI to Prompt to Convert Image				
	 Create Sound for Production by usin 	ig Al	tools		
	 Checklist for Reporting Cyber Crime 	e at (Cyber	Cell	
	 Demonstration of Email Fishing Att 	ack			
	o Use of VPN				
			Tot	al Contact Hours	75
	Suggested Evaluati	on N	Iethod	S	
	Internal Assessment: 30			End Term Ex	amination: 70
> The	eory	20	4	Theory:	50
• Class	Participation:	5		Written Ex	amination
	nar/presentation/assignment/quiz/class test etc.:	5			
	Ferm Exam:	10			
> Pra	cticum	10	>	Practicum	20
• Class	• Class Participation:		Lab	record, Viva-V	Voce, write-up and
• Seminar/Demonstration/Viva-voce/Lab records etc.:		5		execution of	the practical
• Mid-7	Гегт Exam:	-			

- o "Artificial Intelligence: A Modern Approach" by Stuart Russell and Peter Norvig
- o "Deep Learning" by Ian Goodfellow, Yoshua Bengio, and Aaron Courville
- o "Robotics: Modelling, Planning and Control" by Bruno Siciliano and Lorenzo Sciavicco
- o "AI Superpowers: China, Silicon Valley, and the New World Order" by Kai-Fu Lee
- o New Media: A critical Introduction, Martin Lister, Jon Dovey, Seth Giddings, Ian Grant, Kieran Kelly, Routledge, Tayolor & Francis Group, 2007
- Mapping New Media in India, Sunita Naryanan, Sage Publication, 2017