FOURTH SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE (REGULAR/SUPPLEMENTARY) EXAMINATION, APRIL 2023

(CBCSS)

Forensic Science

FSC 4E 28—FORENSIC PHOTOGRAPHY AND BIOMETRICS

(2020 Admission onwards)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 30 Weightage

Section A

Answer any **four** questions. Each question carries 2 weightage.

- 1. What are the wavelengths of violet and red colours?
- 2. Define band pass filter.
- 3. How does a digital camera work?
- 4. What type of lighting technique is used in photomicrography?
- 5. What is 'Natural Perspective'?
- 6. How does verification differ from identification?
- 7. What constitutes gait line?

 $(4 \times 2 = 8 \text{ weightage})$

Section B

Answer any **four** questions. Each question carries 3 weightage.

- 8. Why fish eye lenses are unsuitable for forensic photography?
- 9. List the advantages of CCD sensor over CMOS.
- 10. Videos captured in high-speed cameras, when played at regular speed looks slow. Explain.
- 11. Explain the use of IR light in forensics.
- 12. What are the features of ideal biometric system?

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- 13. Explain the process of photogrammetry.
- 14. What all factors can be determined using gait analysis?

 $(4 \times 3 = 12 \text{ weightage})$

Section C

Answer any **two** questions. Each question carries 5 weightage.

- 15. What kind of effect does the size of silver halide crystal have on an image?
- 16. Mention and describe the types of forensic image analysis.
- 17. Differentiate iris scan from retinal scan.
- 18. Identify and describe the working mechanism of this optical trans-body imaging.

 $(2 \times 5 = 10 \text{ weightage})$