

DSE (OE) 2: PHOTO JOURNALISM

Course Title and Code	OE-2 Photo Journalism		
Programme Title	Bachelor of Arts in Journalism and Mass Communication		
Credits	03	Semester	II
Course Type	Core	Academic Year	2021-22

Pedagogy:

Theory: 3 hrs/week

Total: 3 credits

Theory Marks– 100 = 60 T + 40 IA

Total Marks = 100

Course Objectives:

- To attract students towards photojournalism
- To familiarize the students to techniques of photography and photojournalism
- To give a practical knowledge in the field of photography

Learning Outcome:

- Students will get hands on experience on visual communication.
- Students will learn the significance of pictures in various media.
- Students will upgrade their knowledge on various photo- editing software.

Unit-I

Concept of Photography, Evolution of Photography, Different Types of Cameras--Manual, Digital and Phone Cameras, Types of Photography – Portrait, Landscape, Street Photography, Wildlife, News Photography, Celebrity Photography.

Unit-II

Meaning of Photo Journalism, Qualifications, Role and Responsibilities of Photo Journalists, Photo Features, Techniques of Photo Editing, Caption Writing, Leading Press Photographers and Photo Journalists in India.

Unit-III

Mobile Journalism - Using Smartphones for News Reporting, Photo Editing on Smart Phones, Publishing News Content using Smartphones on Digital Platforms, Techniques of Short Film Making.

Books for Reference:

1. Milten Feinberg- Techniques of Photo Journalism
2. Michel Long ford- Basic Photography
3. Tom Ang- Digital Photography- Master classes
4. N Manjunath- Chayachitra Patrikodyama
5. Cyernshem G R- History of Photography