LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION – VISUAL COMMUNICATION

THIRD SEMESTER - November 2009

VC 3503 - ADVERTISING BASICS

Date & Time: 04/11/2009 / 9:00 - 12:00 Dept. No. Max. : 100 Marks

PART - A

Briefly answers **ALL** the following questions.

(10 X 2 = 20 marks)

- 01. Define Advertising.
- 02. Explain USP.
- 03. What is Thumbnail?
- 04. What do you mean by Mondrain?
- 05. Explain FMCG with an example.
- 06. What is word of mouth communication in advertising?
- 07. What is hard sell?.
- 08. What is Creative boutique?
- 09. In advertising terminology, what is known as positioning?
- 10. Briefly explain about story board with an example?

PART - B

Answer **ANY FIVE** of the following in about 150 words each.

(5 X 8 = 40 marks)

- 11. What are the functions of Advertising?
- 12. "Creativity is a process"- Discuss.
- 13. Explain Why market research is more important for an effective advertising.
- 14. Distinguish the essence of public relation and advertising.
- 15. Culture means a lot for advertising. Comment.
- 16. What are the advantages of direct marketing?
- 17. Explain the different types/formats of television commercials.

PART - C

Write essay on **ANY TWO** of the following in about 400 words each. (2 X 20 = 40 marks)

- 18. Discuss in detail the types, advantages, limitations and the future of newspaper advertisements.
 - 19. "Copywriters are responsible for every word which appears in a print advertisement". Do you agree with this statement? Discuss.
 - 20. Is consumer segmentation important? Discuss in detail how the advertiser segment the market.
 - 21. Critically analyze the various processes which make an ad campaign very effective.

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