UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND

INSTITUTE OF DISTANCE EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF ADULT EDUCATION YEAR III

FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER DEC, 2015

TITLE OF PAPER: DESIGN AND DELIVERY SYSTEMS I

COURSE CODE: IDE-BAE 313

TIME ALLOWED: THREE (3) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ANY 4 QUESTIONS

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QUESTION 1
  i.   With 2 examples, give 3 benefits of **Mobile Learning** (10 Marks)
  ii.   Discuss how a **Blog** can be used as a delivery system of instruction (10 Marks)
  iii. Briefly explain what a "**Podcast**" is (5 Marks)

QUESTION 2
With the aid of practical examples, defend the following statement:
  "Students can learn at their own pace, they can do their homework and take
  tests at anytime and anywhere, even participate in live discussions"
                                                                    [25 Marks]

QUESTION 3
  i.   Explain how/where one can design a training programme for adults using constructivism principles; (5)
  ii.   Explain what it means to: a) Embed learning in realistic and relevant contexts, b) Embed learning in social experiences, c) Anchored instruction, and d) Authentic activity (20)

QUESTION 4
  i.   Define <u>Alternative Assessment</u>; (5)
  ii.   With examples, discuss <u>Portfolio Assessment</u>; (10)
  iii. List and explain two types of portfolio assessment. (10)
                                                                    [25 marks]

QUESTION 5
A particular company in Swaziland has asked you to assist them in designing a course on communication skills for its workers using e-learning.
  i.   List and explain the steps you would take to design the programme; (10)
  ii.   Explain in detail how you will carry out the <u>development</u> and <u>piloting</u> steps; (10)
  iii. List the requirements needed to run the course. (5)
                                                                    [25 Marks]

QUESTION 6
Briefly explain the following forms of media and provide <u>one example of the media.</u> Give <u>reasons</u> why one selects that type of media for a particular audience.
  i.   Printed media (5)
  ii.   Display media (5)
  iii. Projected media (5)
  iv.   Video based media (5)
  v.   Open Education Resources (5)   [25 Marks]

QUESTION 7
  i.   Discuss "Distributed Learning" while providing a practical example [5 marks]
  ii.   Discuss "Blended Learning" while providing a practical example [5 marks]
  iii. Explain what is "E-learning" while providing a practical example [5 marks]
  iv.   What are "Participative Web tools?" Give an example [5 marks]
  v.   What is a Wiki? Discuss how it can be used as an instructional tool [5 marks]
                                                                    [25 Marks]