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Mid-Semester Examination
Course No: TVE 6173
Course Title: **Adult Education**

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Time: 90 mins.
Full Marks: 75

There are 4 (four) questions. Answer any 3 (three) from them.
Figures in the right margin indicate marks of the question.

- 1.(a) 'Adults engage in systematic and sustained (self-) educating activities in order to gain new forms of knowledge, skills, attitudes, or values.' In light of this statement explain different forms of and terminologies related to adult learning. 10
- (b) Discuss the rationale for the provision of learning opportunities for adults. 15
- 2.(a) 'Adults do not learn predominantly what is taught but what fits in their concept.' Explain the statement with examples from your own life experience. 10
- (b) Draw the relationship among the determining factors of the learning capacity and behavior of adults and briefly describe them. 15
- 3.(a) Suppose you have been invited by an organization to design a training course for their employees (adults). Explain the factors you would consider while you will be designing the training course. 10
- (b) State the main barriers to adult learning. Explain the measures you, as adult educator, should take to help adults to overcome these barriers. 15
- 4 Describe the work, which are related to teaching adults, of three theorists from the following list: i) Jerome S. Bruner, ii) John Devey, iii) Paulo Freire, iv) Ivan Illich, and v) Malcolm Knowles. 25