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Course: Evaluation Research (2525)

Level: MSc (Hons)

Semester: Spring, 2013

Total Marks: 100

Pass marks: 50

ASSIGNMENT No. 1

- Q.1 How would you explain the term evaluation? Discuss the purpose of evaluation research. (20)
- Q.2 Explain with example formal and informal evaluation. In what way evaluation study can be structured. Explain with examples. (20)
- Q.3 Discuss the factors affecting importance of different goals of the programmes or project which are to be evaluated. (20)
- Q.4 Discuss in detail about intervening variables and its types. Also explain the way to measure intervening variables. (20)
- Q.5 Explain in detail with examples various possible sources of data collection for evaluation research. (20)

ASSIGNMENT No. 2

Total Marks: 100

Pass marks: 50

- Q.1 Discuss in detail with examples experimental design of evaluation research and discuss the problems and use of experimental design. (20)
- Q.2 Explain distinctive characteristics of Planning, programming and Budgeting System (P.P.B.S.). Also discuss the merits and demerits of P.P.B.S. (20)
- Q.3 Describe different contributing factors which cause friction among the programme professionals and the researchers. Also explain those important issues which provoke friction in evaluation research. (20)
- Q.4 Discuss in detail with examples different approach use for evaluation result. (20)
- Q.5 Describe different causes of gap between evaluation and action recommendations. How the gap can be bridged in for improving the use of evaluation results. (20)