

Syllabus for Written Examination

(For Special Internal Competition)

Post: Assistant Professor/Lecturer Subject: Information Technology/Electronics

- 1. The knowledge of the related subject matters which are generally included in the concerned bachelor and master level courses (60%)
 - (a) **Object Oriented Programming:** Platform independence, class, object, methods, inheritance and polymerphism, exceptions.
 - (b) **Web Technology:** Internet, WWW, Web Browser, Web servers, URL: HTTP, HTTPS, POP, SMTP, FTP, Domain Name and hierarchy, HTML, XHTML..
 - (c) **Information Technology:** Information System, Elements of Architecture, Information Technology components, Computer Security and Encryption, E-business and E-commerce, Decision Support Systems.
 - (d) **Discrete Mathematics:** Logic and induction, Mathematical reasoning, Finite state automata and Grammars, Recurrance Relation.
 - (e) **Software Engineering:** Software engineering process, process models, Agile development, requirement modelling, design concepts, implementation and testing, security, software quality assurance.
 - (f) **Data Structures and Algorithms:** Structures like lists, stack, Queue, Tree, Graphs and operations like searching, sorting, algorithms complexity.
 - (g) **Database Management Systems:** Database concepts and applications, data abstraction and independence, schema and instances.Data models, RDBMS and NOSQL database,normalization, query processing and optimization, Transactions processing and concurrency control, database recovery and backup.
 - (h) **Computer Graphics:** Line Drawing algorithms, Composite transformation, Line clipping and algorithms, color models, 20 and 3D Transformations.
 - (i) **Computer Architecture and Microprocessor:** Register Transfer Language, Booth's algorithms, cache memory, paging, segementation, Replacement algorithms, RISC and CISC, Instructions set, addresing modes of 8085 microprocessor.
 - (j) **Digital Logic:** Boolean algebra, SOP, POS, Karnaugh map, Mulieplexing, Demultiplexing, Encoder and Decoder.
 - (k) AI and Machine Learning: Intelligent Agent, PEAs, Searching (BFS, DFS, Greedy Search), fuzzy logic, ANN, classification algorithms (KNN, Decision tree), Types of Larning, linear Regression.
- 2. Basic Knowledge of the recent trends in Information Technology and Electronics (15%)
 - (a) Software & Web Technologies Low-code development, microservices, Web 3.0, serverless computing, cybersecurity trends, and quantum computing.

- (b) AI & Data Science Explainable AI, transformer models (ChatGPT, BERT), federated learning, AI-driven software engineering, and big data analytics.
- (c) Computing & Architecture Edge computing, 5G, blockchain, RISC-V processors, neuromorphic chips, and heterogeneous computing (GPUs, TPUs).
- (d) Embedded Systems & Security FPGA-based AI acceleration, SoC architectures, open-source hardware (RISC-V, OpenTitan), and secure hardware modules (TPM).
- (e) Graphics & Visualization Ray tracing, VR/AR, AI-enhanced rendering (NVIDIA DLSS), Metaverse technologies, and digital twins.

3. National and global trends and Issues regarding the Information Technology and Electronics Education (10%)

- (a) Integration of AI & Data Science in IT Curricula How universities can incorporate AI, ML, and data science into traditional IT programs.
- (b) Skill Gap in IT & Electronics Industry Challenges in aligning university curricula with industry demands in Nepal and abroad.
- (c) Women in IT & Electronics Education Trends, challenges, and initiatives to promote gender diversity in technical fields.

4. Teaching and Research Methodology (10%)

- (a) Teaching Skills & Strategies Effective communication, student-centered learning, classroom management, and use of technology in IT & Electronics education.
- (b) Common research methods Conceptualizing a Research Topic, Identifying research gaps, formulating hypotheses, data collection, aligning with current trends, and exploring multidisciplinary research areas.
- (c) Curriculum Review & Lesson Planning Designing industry-relevant curricula, structuring lesson/work plans, integrating theory with practical learning, and incorporating emerging technologies.
- (d) Academic Planning & Reference Material Development Preparing quality reference materials, using open educational resources (OER), and structuring academic calendars effectively.
- (e) Culturally Responsive Teaching Promoting diversity and inclusion, adapting to different learning styles, and module based teaching & evaluation.
- (f) Research Paper & Proposal Writing Structuring research papers, writing proposals, maintaining academic integrity, and selecting high-impact journals.
- (g) Assessment & Evaluation Methods Implementing effective assessment techniques, feedback mechanisms, and ensuring student engagement through innovative teaching practices.

5. Governance, Policies, and Legal Framework of Gandaki University (5%)

Overview of Gandaki University's establishment, vision, academic structure, governance bodies, strategic plans, key acts, laws, and bylaws, and Nepal's higher education policies.