LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI - 600 034

B.B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – **BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

FIFTH SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2016

BU 5506 – STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT

Date: 01-11-2016 Time: 09:00-12:00

PART – A

ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS:

- 1. Define strategic management.
- 2. Give a note on functional strategy.
- 3. Explain the term product or service concept.
- 4. Give the meaning of goal.
- 5. What do you understand by blue ocean strategy?
- 6. State the meaning of concentric merger.
- 7. Mention any two suggestions for overcome barriers to strategy implementation.

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- 8. What is structure?
- 9. Describe the meaning of strategic leap control.
- 10. Define premise control.

PART – B

ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS:

- 11. Trace out the issues in strategic decision making.
- 12. Explain how are the objectives formulated.
- 13. Describe the benefits of having a vision statement in a Corporate Environment.
- 14. Explain generic business strategies.
- 15. State and explain the reasons for conglomerate diversification.
- 16. List out the knowledge areas required to implement a project.
- 17. Differentiate strategic control from operational control.

PART – C

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS:

- 18. Explain in detail the elements of strategic management process.
- 19. Explain how are mission statement formulated and communicated and list out the characteristics of it?
- 20. Define Digitalisation. Make a comparison between digital strategy and traditional strategy.
- 21. Explain the participants in strategic evaluation and state the importance of it?

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(4x10=40 marks)

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(10x2=20 marks)

Max.: 100 Marks