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Course: Research Methods and Legal Writings

Program: LL.M

Course Code: CLCC7001 Max. Marks: 100

Instructions: All Questions are mandatory to attempt.

	SECTION A (5Qx2M=10Marks)		
S. No.	(SQAZM-TOMAIKS)	Marks	СО
Q 1	Differentiate between Primary, Secondary and Tertiary sources.	2	CO1
Q 2	What do you understand by Armchair research?	2	CO1
Q 3	Enumerate various components of research report.	2	CO1
Q 4	What is Null Hypothesis?	2	CO1
Q 5	What is Purposive Sampling?	2	CO1
	SECTION B (4Qx5M= 20 Marks)		1
Q 6	What is the contribution of Webgraphy and other electronic devices in Legal Research?	5	CO2
Q 7	How Interview method plays an important role in Research? Critically analyze this method with the help of recent examples.	5	CO2
Q 8	What is the importance of uniform method of citation in legal research writings?	5	CO2
Q 9	Explain the relevance of Literature review in legal research. What can be the various components of literature review?	5	CO2
	SECTION-C (2Qx10M=20 Marks)		•
Q 10	"The purpose of observation is to discover casual relation between various facts." Critically discuss this statement in light of the utility of observation method as a tool in data collection.	10	CO3

Q 11	Is hypothesis essential in every social research? Evaluate its relevance and role in a scientific investigation of a socio-legal problem. What would be your key hypothesis with regard to an empirical study on "Impact assessment of the legal aid provided by Legal Aid advocates empanelled on Legal Aid System".	10	СОЗ		
SECTION-D (2Qx25M=50 Marks)					
Q 12	"A well-designed study will usually provide findings that capture a broad range of experiences rather than those from only a few people or situations. The finding will be representative in the sense of capturing the range or variation in a phenomenon. Sampling involves delimiting the universe for the purpose of observation in such a way that the sampled unit significantly represents the universe in quality and features." In view of the given statement, elaborate with the help of a sampling plan for the research topic titled, "The significance of Mahila Courts in protection of women's rights in India". What are the suitable sampling techniques for the suggested research topic? Taking this research topic into consideration, do you think collecting facts/cases related to women rights from all Mahila Courts, be a practical option unless sampling technique is employed?	25	CO4		
Q 13	Uttarakhand recorded the greatest number of domestic violence cases amid the nationwide lockdown to fight coronavirus during the year 2020. Out of 727 domestic violence cases reported to Legal Services Authorities, Uttrakhand, that was one of the least covid-affected State account for 320 cases of Domestic Violence. In the light of the above information, prepare a research design to conduct an empirical research on 'Domestic Violence Against Women in Uttrakhand.' Also identify your primary and secondary data.	25	CO4		