GUJARAT NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY
GANDHINAGAR
Course: **Research Methodology for Social Work**
Semester-II (Batch: 2019-24)

End Semester Online Examination: February 2021

Date: 12th February, 2021
Duration: 8 hours   **Max. Marks: 50**
Instructions:
- The respective marks for each question are indicated in-line.
- Indicate correct question numbers in front of the answer.
- No questions or clarification can be sought during the exam period, answer as it is, giving reason, if any.

Answer any five questions	**Marks**

Q.1   Describe the following Research Onion layers for your own research topic with proper justification (Sr. No. a – g) for your choice of selection: (1+2+2+2+1+1+1 =10)
   a) Title of your Research
   b) Objectives/Research questions
   c) Research Philosophy
   d) Research Approach
   e) Methodological Choice
   f) Research Strategies
   g) Research Techniques

Q.2   What are the principal guidelines that need to be followed for publishing research papers in scholarly journals?   (10)

Q.3   A new Managing Director takes over at Zenco, a manufacturer of engine parts of the automobile industry. In a major cost-cutting exercise, his first decision is to scrap the headquarters' Reception desk and make the staff who work in it redundant. In its place, visitors have to complete their own security passes and use the internal company telephone directory to inform their clients that they have arrived. After six months, you are asked by the MD to carry out a small case study on "how the new system is working?"   (4+6=10)

   a) What kind of research questions would you seek to address?
   b) Which of the following data gathering methods would you use: survey, observation, interview, archival records? Would you favor just one of these methods or use a combination and why?

Q.4   Discuss the differences between unstructured, semi-structured, and structured interviews and when each form is most appropriate?   (10)

Q.5   Define 'Research Design'. Discuss various types of Research Design with the help of   (10)
       examples.

Q.6   Differentiate between ordinal and interval scales, citing two suitable examples.   (10)

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