Indian Institute of Creative Skills

Sample Entrance Exam Paper

Course: Events and Experiential Management

Total Marks: 50

Section A: Multiple Choice Questions (30 Marks)

- 1. What is the main purpose of event management?
 - A. Design advertisements
 - B. Organize and execute events
 - C. Edit photos
 - D. Compose music

Answer: B. Organize and execute events

- 2. Which of these is an example of an experiential marketing event?
 - A. TV commercial
 - B. Billboard ad
 - C. Product sampling booth at a mall
 - D. Email newsletter

Answer: C. Product sampling booth at a mall

- 3. Who typically hosts a live event on stage?
 - A. Editor
 - B. Emcee
 - C. Choreographer
 - D. Scriptwriter

Answer: B. Emcee

- 4. What is the first step in organizing an event?
 - A. Printing tickets
 - B. Defining goals and audience
 - C. Booking catering
 - D. Sending emails

Answer: B. Defining goals and audience

- 5. What does the term "event logistics" refer to?
 - A. The theme of the event
 - B. Designing posters
 - C. Managing equipment, travel, and schedules
 - D. Writing scripts

Answer: C. Managing equipment, travel, and schedules

- 6. What is a venue in the context of events?
 - A. An event theme
 - B. A promotional video
 - C. The location of the event
 - D. The sound system

Answer: C. The location of the event

- 7. What is a brand activation?
 - A. A new software release
 - B. Creating an emotional connection with the audience through events
 - C. Rebranding a logo
 - D. Editing promotional videos

Answer: B. Creating an emotional connection with the audience through events

- 8. What software is typically used for event presentations?
 - A. Audacity
 - B. Photoshop
 - C. PowerPoint
 - D. Tally

Answer: C. PowerPoint

- 9. Which professional handles the financial planning for an event?
 - A. Designer
 - B. Host
 - C. Budget manager
 - D. Choreographer

Answer: C. Budget manager

- 10. What is a "guest list" used for in events?
 - A. Selecting music
 - B. Managing audience invitations
 - C. Booking a venue
 - D. Designing props

Answer: B. Managing audience invitations

- 11. What is the goal of experiential media?
 - A. Promote newspapers
 - B. Engage audiences with immersive experiences
 - C. Play radio ads
 - D. Share content only on TV

Answer: B. Engage audiences with immersive experiences

- 12. What is a "flash mob" typically used for?
 - A. Public safety

- B. Brand awareness or entertainment
- C. Traffic control
- D. News coverage

Answer: B. Brand awareness or entertainment

- 13. What is the importance of a "run sheet" in events?
 - A. Decor planning
 - B. Guest attire
 - C. Event timeline and sequence
 - D. Audio tuning

Answer: C. Event timeline and sequence

- 14. What is one key element of a successful live event?
 - A. Repeating the same song
 - B. Last-minute planning
 - C. Smooth coordination and timing
 - D. Ignoring the audience

Answer: C. Smooth coordination and timing

- 15. Which platform is often used to promote events online?
 - A. Excel
 - B. YouTube
 - C. Instagram
 - D. Tally

Answer: C. Instagram

- 16. Who is responsible for the visual elements at an event?
 - A. Audio technician
 - B. Decor designer
 - C. Chef
 - D. Cameraman

Answer: B. Decor designer

- 17. What is the term for testing sound and lights before an event?
 - A. Promotion
 - B. Rehearsal
 - C. Load-out
 - D. Registration

Answer: B. Rehearsal

- 18. What kind of event involves product interaction with potential buyers?
 - A. TV ad
 - B. Billboard campaign
 - C. Experiential event

D. Radio promotion

Answer: C. Experiential event

- 19. What does RSVP mean in event invitations?
 - A. Ready Soon Very Promptly
 - B. Reply if attending
 - C. Return Special VIP
 - D. Register Social Venue Participation

Answer: B. Reply if attending

- 20. What is one tool used for creating event posters?
 - A. VLC
 - B. Canva
 - C. MS Excel
 - D. Audacity

Answer: B. Canva

- 21. What type of media creates physical interaction with a brand?
 - A. Digital-only media
 - B. Experiential media
 - C. Print newspaper
 - D. E-book

Answer: B. Experiential media

- 22. What is the purpose of branding in an event?
 - A. Choose snacks
 - B. Design invitation cards only
 - C. Build recognition and association
 - D. Arrange guest transport

Answer: C. Build recognition and association

- 23. Who coordinates lights, sound, and visual effects at events?
 - A. Security team
 - B. Creative director
 - C. Technical crew
 - D. Sponsorship team

Answer: C. Technical crew

- 24. What is a hybrid event?
 - A. Only physical audience
 - B. Recorded video session
 - C. Combines in-person and virtual elements
 - D. Held only on weekends

Answer: C. Combines in-person and virtual elements

- 25. What is the final stage of event execution?
 - A. Budgeting
 - B. Ideation
 - C. Evaluation and feedback
 - D. Ticket printing

Answer: C. Evaluation and feedback

- 26. What does an event anchor do?
 - A. Build sets
 - B. Handle guest check-in
 - C. Engage and entertain the audience
 - D. Prepare food

Answer: C. Engage and entertain the audience

- 27. What are props in events?
 - A. Event tickets
 - B. Decorative or functional items used on stage
 - C. Catering tools
 - D. Costumes for staff

Answer: B. Decorative or functional items used on stage

- 28. What is the job of a sponsorship manager?
 - A. Play music
 - B. Conduct auditions
 - C. Secure event funding from brands
 - D. Handle bookings

Answer: C. Secure event funding from brands

- 29. What do feedback forms help with after events?
 - A. Serving snacks
 - B. Improving future events
 - C. Selling tickets
 - D. Booking artists

Answer: B. Improving future events

- 30. What is a key challenge in outdoor events?
 - A. PowerPoint setup
 - B. Ticket design
 - C. Weather conditions
 - D. Speaker script

Answer: C. Weather conditions

Section B: Short Answer Questions (10 Marks)

Answer any 2 questions. (5 marks each, approx. 150 words per answer)

- 1. What are experiential marketing events? Give examples.

 Answer Guideline: Define experiential marketings explain how it focus
 - **Answer Guideline**: Define experiential marketing; explain how it focuses on engagement and brand experience. Mention examples like product samplings, virtual reality booths, interactive brand zones at festivals.
- 2. What are the key stages of planning an event? **Answer Guideline**: List and explain: setting objectives, budgeting, concept design, venue booking, vendor coordination, promotion, execution, and feedback.
- Define the term "audience engagement" in events. Why is it important?
 Answer Guideline: Define audience engagement; discuss interactive activities, real-time feedback, live polls, games; explain impact on brand recall and emotional connection.
- 4. What roles do creative professionals play in experiential events? **Answer Guideline**: Discuss roles like stage designer, emcee, AV technician, costume designer, choreographer; explain how creativity enhances the overall experience.

Section C: Long Answer Questions (10 Marks)

Answer 1 question only. (Approx. 300 words)

- Describe the complete process of executing a live event from concept to completion.
 Guideline: Start from idea generation, planning, budgeting, vendor coordination, promotions, rehearsals, live event execution, post-event feedback. Include tools, teamwork, and audience experience.
- 2. What is experiential media? How is it changing the way brands interact with audiences?
 - **Guideline**: Define experiential media; discuss how it's different from traditional ads; give examples (interactive installations, AR/VR setups); mention emotional connection and brand recall.
- 3. Discuss the career opportunities available in the events and experiential marketing industry.
 - **Guideline**: List careers—event planner, brand activation executive, production coordinator, emcee, experiential designer, logistics head. Talk about required skills and growth trends.