

Semester: 3				
Course : Major				
Paper Title: Video Editing				
Paper code: C2MV230321P			Credits: 4	
Hours/week : 4				
Category: Core/MDC/SEC/VAC : Core				
Theory / Practical / Composite : Practical				
No of Modules : 1				
<p>Course Overview: The course introduces the fundamental concepts and terminology of film editing, guiding learners through the understanding of basic units such as frame, shot, scene, sequence, and cut. Students will engage in exercises to identify different shot types and recognize their roles within a scene. The course explores transitions and their creative applications, along with the various types of shots and their functions in storytelling. Key areas of editorial control—spatial, temporal, rhythmic, and graphic—are examined to understand how they shape cinematic rhythm and meaning. Learners will study the characteristics of digital nonlinear editing, gain knowledge of digital formats and resolutions, and receive hands-on training with editing software. Assignments include editing short scenes and analyzing film sequences.</p>				
Course Outcome:				
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Remember: Students will recall and define the basic terms and concepts of video editing. 2. Understand: Students will explain and interpret key principles related to editing workflows and digital formats. 3. Apply: Students will use digital nonlinear editing software to perform basic editing tasks. 4. Analyse: Students will examine and assess different types of footage to determine appropriate editing techniques and transitions. 5. Create: Students will design and produce a complete edited video by structuring raw footage into a polished final product. 				
Prerequisites: <i>Basic knowledge about any prior course</i>				
SYLLABUS				
UNIT/Module	CONTENT	HOURS or NUMBER OF CLASSES	CO Mapping	COGNITIVE LEVEL

I.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understanding basic units and terms of film editing • Recognising Frame, Shot, Scene, Sequence, Cut • Exercises on recognition of shots in a scene • Transitions and its applications • Types of shots and their utility • Areas of control and choice in editing---- (Spatial, Temporal, Rhythmic, Graphic) • Characteristics of Digital Nonlinear editing • Understanding various digital formats and their resolution • Learning a digital nonlinear editing software • Editing of silent short scenes • Analysis of film(s)/sequences • Imagining a sequence into actual realizable shot units 	4	CO ₁ , CO ₂ , CO ₃ , CO ₄ , CO ₅	KI, K ₂ , K ₃ , K ₄ , K ₅
Text Books				
1. Bowen, C. (2017). <i>Grammar of the Edit</i> (4 th ed.) Focal Press.				
2. Bordwell, D., & Thompson, K. (2020). <i>Film Art: An Introduction</i> . (12 th ed.) The McGraw-Hill Companies.				
Suggested readings				
1. Reisz, K., & Gavin, M. (2014). <i>The Technique of Film Editing</i> (2 nd ed.). New York: Hastings House.				
2. Murch, W. (2001). <i>In The Blink of an Eye: A Perspective on Film Editing</i> (2 nd ed.). Silman-James Press.				
3. Dancyger, K. (2019). <i>The Technique of Film and Video Editing</i> (6 th ed.) Boston: Focal Press.				
Web Resources				
1. https://archive.org/				
2. https://nofilmschool.com/				
Evaluation : Continuous Assessment: 95 marks				
Paper Structure for Theory Semester Exam Module : NA				

Course outcomes (COs) and Cognitive Level Mapping

COs	CO Description	Cognitive levels
CO1	Remember to define the basic terms and concepts of video editing	K1
CO2	Students will understand, explain and interpret key principles related to editing workflows and digital formats.	K2
CO3	Students will apply digital nonlinear editing software to perform editing tasks.	K3
CO4	Students will analyse and assess different types of footage to determine appropriate editing techniques and transitions.	K4
CO5	Students will create and produce a complete edited video by structuring raw footage into a polished final product.	K5