THE OPEN UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA
DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

B.Sc. DEGREE PROGRAMME 2014/2015

NO BOOK TEST 02

**CPU3149: WEB TECHNOLOGIES** 

DURATION: ONE AND HALF HOURS ONLY (1 HOUR)

Date: 08.03.2015 Time: 1.00 pm - 2.00 pm

Answer ALL Questions.

Q1). Department of Meteorology, Sri Lanka has decided to use better technology to their Information System so that they can add more value to the information and statistics they produce.

- i. List four reasons, why they should convert their data into XML format.
- ii. Define a sample XML which is capable of storing daily data for temperature and rain fall of different districts.
- iii. Describe briefly why it is important to implement web services to publish their data.
- iv. Explain how an external institute can utilize the weather information using web services.
- v. Describe briefly the consequences of four known security vulnerabilities that might occur.

## Q2). An upcoming restaurant needs to have a web presence with online ordering facility.

- i. Why it is important to have a Mobile App than having only a web site? Briefly explain two reasons.
- ii. For the mobile presence what will be your choice, a mobile website or a mobile app. Justify your answer briefly.
- iii. List the steps of hosting your website after the development is finished.
- iv. List two web server technologies that can be used to host your website. List the differences between them.
- v. What type of authentication method would you use? Explain your selection briefly.

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