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FINAL EXAMINATION  
SEMESTER II  
SESSION 2023/2024

- COURSE NAME : ANIMATION STYLE AND GENRE
- COURSE CODE : DAG 22503
- PROGRAMME CODE : DAG
- EXAMINATION DATE : JULY 2024
- DURATION : 2 HOURS 30 MINUTES
- INSTRUCTIONS :
1. ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS
  2. THIS FINAL EXAMINATION IS CONDUCTED VIA
    - Open book
    - Closed book
  3. STUDENTS ARE **PROHIBITED** TO CONSULT THEIR OWN MATERIAL OR ANY EXTERNAL RESOURCES DURING THE EXAMINATION CONDUCTED VIA CLOSED BOOK

THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF **NINE (9)** PAGES.

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**PART A (Answer all questions in answer booklet)**

**Q1** What is Animation?

- (a) A technique by which still images are manipulated to create moving images
- (b) A technique drawings or computer-generated images to life through sequential frames
- (c) A technique involving the manipulation of objects to simulate motion
- (d) All the above

**Q2** Which one is **TRUE** about animation type?

- (a) Stop motion
- (b) Motion graphics
- (c) Traditional animation
- (d) All the above

**Q3** What is an animation style?

- (a) The specific method used to animate characters and objects
- (b) The genre of the story being told through animation
- (c) The speed at which frames are played back to create motion
- (d) The language spoken by characters in an animated film

**Q4** Why an art is important in making an animation?

- (a) Artistic elements contribute to the visual appeal and storytelling of the animation
- (b) Art helps establish the mood, atmosphere, and character emotions
- (c) Artistic skills are essential for designing characters, backgrounds, and props
- (d) All the above

**Q5** Which animation style often involves the manipulation of physical objects frame-by-frame?

- (a) Traditional animation
- (b) Cut-out animation
- (c) 3D animation
- (d) Rotoscoping

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- Q6** Which animation style typically utilizes puppets or models that are manipulated and photographed one frame at a time?
- (a) 2D animation
  - (b) 3D animation
  - (c) Traditional animation
  - (d) Stop motion animation
- Q7** Which animation style is characterized by its use of computer-generated imagery to create life-like characters and environments?
- (a) Claymation
  - (b) 3D animation
  - (c) Stop motion animation
  - (d) Stop motion animation
- Q8** Which animation style involves animating by tracing over live-action footage, frame-by-frame?
- (a) Rotoscoping
  - (b) 2D animation
  - (c) Traditional animation
  - (d) Stop motion animation
- Q9** What is animation shading?
- (a) The method of adding depth and dimension to animated characters and objects using light and shadow
  - (b) The method of applying colours to animated scenes to create visual interest and realism
  - (c) The method of creating smooth transitions between frames in an animation sequence
  - (d) The method of refining the movements and expressions of animated characters during the animation process
- Q10** Which animation style is known for its exaggerated movements and expressions, often featuring characters with large, expressive eyes and vibrant hair colours?
- (a) Anime
  - (b) Pixilation
  - (c) Claymation
  - (d) Traditional animation

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- Q11** When was the first-year anime is made?
- (a) 1917
  - (b) 1919
  - (c) 1957
  - (d) 1969
- Q12** Which is the name of the first anime is made?
- (a) Doraemon
  - (b) Dragon Ball
  - (c) Attack on Titan
  - (d) Namakura Gatana
- Q13** Which country was famous for an anime?
- (a) Japan
  - (b) Malaysia
  - (c) Thailand
  - (d) South Korea
- Q14** Which of the following is the technique used to make an anime?
- (a) 2D animation
  - (b) Cel animation
  - (c) 3D animation
  - (d) Claymation
- Q15** Which animation studio produced an anime?
- (a) Pixar Animation Studio
  - (b) Sony Animation Pictures
  - (c) MAPPA Animation Studio
  - (d) Universal Pictures
- Q16** Which of the following software is the MOST suitable to produce 2D animation?
- (a) Maya
  - (b) Adobe Audition
  - (c) Adobe Animate
  - (d) Adobe Premiere Pro

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- Q17** Which of the following software is the MOST suitable to produce 3D animation?
- (a) Maya
  - (b) Adobe Premiere Pro
  - (c) Adobe After Effects
  - (d) Toon Boom Harmony
- Q18** Which of the following is **TRUE** to describe animation frame rate?
- (a) The resolution of the animation file
  - (b) The duration of each frame in a sequence
  - (c) The speed at which a film is played in a projector
  - (d) The number of frames per second used to create motion in an animation
- Q19** Who is responsible to make a key-pose, motion of the character?
- (a) Animator
  - (b) VFX artist
  - (c) Character design
  - (d) Storyboard artist
- Q20** Which phase in pipeline animation movement elements of the story will be implemented?
- (a) Pre-production
  - (b) Production
  - (c) Post-production
  - (d) None of above

(20 marks)

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**PART B** (Answer TRUE or FALSE)

- Q21** Art in animation brings life to the characters and elements that help to effectively communicate the viewer.
- Q22** Pre-production, production, post-production are stages in animation.
- Q23** Animation theatre helps us to see a different perspective from our own. We're shown humanity, psychology, motivations, conflict, and resolution.
- Q24** Animation lighting helps the animator to move animation smoothly.
- Q25** Animation colors can be used to convey the meaning you want through your animations more effectively.
- Q26** Cel animation is the first animation type that was used in the industry.
- Q27** Traditional animation is also called cel animation where each frame of the film is drawn by hand.
- Q28** The first animated feature film ever created was "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" by Walt Disney Studios.
- Q29** Stop-motion animation involves photographing physical objects, such as clay figures or puppets, one frame at a time to create the illusion of movement.
- Q30** Motion graphics involve the use of animated text and graphical elements to convey information or enhance visual storytelling in films, television shows, and advertisements.
- Q31** Rotoscoping is a technique in which animators trace over live-action footage frame-by-frame to create lifelike animations.
- Q32** Cut-out animation involves moving two-dimensional characters or objects made of paper or other flat materials against a background to create motion.
- Q33** The frame rate commonly used in animation movement is 28 frames per second (fps).

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- Q34** Anime refers to animation works produced in Japan.
- Q35** Pixar Animation Studio is one of the animation studios that produces anime.
- Q36** Western animation typically refers to animated works produced in countries such as the United States and Canada.
- Q37** Eastern animation, often referred to as anime, originates primarily from countries like Japan.
- Q38** The Walt Disney Company is one of the largest and most influential animation studios in the West, known for creating iconic characters like *Mickey Mouse* and *Donald Duck*.
- Q39** The Studio Ghibli anime studios from East that create *Spirited Away* and *My Neighbor Totoro*.
- Q40** West animation style is well emphasized on 3D animation rather than East animation that used cel animation and 2D animation.

(20 marks)

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**PART C**

**Q41** There are several types of animation were used in different animation studios.

- (a) List **THREE (3)** types of animation. (3 marks)
- (b) Based on the answer **Q41 (a)**, give an example of animation with explanation. (6 marks)

**Q42** Art and theatre are important to make an animation closer to the audience.

- (a) Differentiate between art & theatre in animation. (4 marks)

**Q43** 2D and 3D animation is the most popular animation from then until now.

- (a) 2D animation is the process of creating the illusion of movement for characters and objects within a two-dimensional space.
  - (i) List **TWO (2)** examples of 2D animation series in Malaysia. (2 marks)
  - (ii) List **TWO (2)** examples of 2D animation movies in Malaysia. (2 marks)
- (b) 3D animation is a technique that creates moving images in a three-dimensional (3D) environment.
  - (i) List **TWO (2)** examples of 3D animation series. (2 marks)
  - (ii) List **TWO (2)** examples of 3D animation movies. (2 marks)

**Q44** Animation can be delivered through series or movies.

- (a) Explain **TWO (2)** techniques used in animation TV series. (2 marks)
- (b) Explain **TWO (2)** techniques used in animation TV movies. (2 marks)
- (c) Discuss the differences between animation for TV Series and animation for movie in terms of *retake and revisions, and budget*. (4 marks)

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(d) Describe storytelling styles for the animation TV series. (2 marks)

(e) Describe storytelling styles for the animation movies. (2 marks)

**Q45** East animation and West animation are two different types of genres.

(a) Differentiate **TWO (2)** characteristics of Western animation and East animation. (4 marks)

(b) Identify the major anime studio in Japan with their contributions to the animation industry. (2 marks)

**Q46** The animation studios then and now have a major revolution in making animation.

(a) Explain with suitable example of old and new animation production styles. (4 marks)

(b) Explain the rise of computer-generated imagery (CGI) impacted the animation style of feature films. (2 marks)

**Q47** Your animation studio wants to make 3D animation for a movie theatre. Describe the animation workflow based on three stages of *pre-production*, *production*, and *post-production*. Give details of the activity involved in each stage and the executed milestones.

(15 marks)

**- END OF QUESTIONS -**

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