



Core Paper-

MCJ-18304CR: Covering Disasters

Unit-I

Definition and Types of disasters
Trauma during disaster
Newsroom preparation
Newsroom start-up guidelines
Reporting crisis coverage

Unit-II

Tips for dealing with victims and survivors
Challenges for journalists
Staying safe
Following up
Case studies-
Tsunami 2005, Uttarakhand Disaster 2013
Ethiopia Catastrophe, September, 2014 Deluge
Screening of related documentaries like *An Inconvenient Truth*

3rd semester

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Total Marks: 50 (Term Examination: 40, Continuous Internal Assessment: 10)