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**DOON UNIVERSITY, DEHRADUN**  
**Semester Final Examination, Fourth Semester-2013**  
**School of Languages**

**M.A. Integrated ( Chinese, German, Spanish)**  
**Course: LEL-441 Hispanic World: Culture & Civilization II**

*Time Allowed: 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks: 50*

*Note: Attempt All Questions from Sections A and B*

**SECTION: A Attempt all Questions.**

*(Marks: 1x10=10)*

1. What is OPEC? Which Latin American country is a member of it?
2. Who was Evita?
3. What do you understand by 'Pan-Americanism'?
4. What is the capital of Ecuador?
5. What do you understand by *Gran Colombia*?
6. Who is the successor of Hugo Chavez?
7. Where is Equatorial Guinea located?
8. Give full form of BRICS.
9. What is Pink Tide in context of contemporary Latin American politics?
10. What do you understand by *El Dorado*?

**SECTION: B Attempt all Questions.**

Answer **any four** of the following:

*(Marks: 5x4=20)*

1. Who carries out the dead body at the end of the film *Westside story*? What might this symbolize?
2. It is believed that the movie *Aguirre, the Wrath of God* is centred on the philosophical issues of egoism and imperialism. Discuss and support your argument with proper evidence from the movie.
3. Mel Gibson (director of the movie *Apocalypto*) once stated that *Apocalypto* would help dismiss the notion that 'history only began with Europeans.' Discuss.
4. One of the taglines to market the film *La Bamba* was '**Born to poverty. Destined for stardom. He lived the American Dream.**' Argue along the lines of the film.
5. In the movie *Get the Gringo* who is referred as *Gringo* and why?

**SECTION: C Attempt all Questions.**

Answer **any two** of the following:

*(Marks: 10x2=20)*

1. Narrate the journey from being Eva to Evita based on the movie *Evita*.
2. Reflect upon the Brazilian society in 60s, 70s and 80s with help of the film *Cidade de Deus (City of God)*.
3. Think back to the speech Ernesto gives at his birthday party in the film *The Motorcycle Diaries* (Part of this is replicated below)\*. What indications are we given of his motivation for his future role as a political leader? Do you see it reflecting the idea of Pan-Americanism? How?

Ernesto's speech

\* "Even though we are too insignificant to be spokesmen for such a noble cause, we believe, and this journey has only confirmed this belief, that the division of America into unstable and illusory nations is a complete fiction. We are one single mestizo race from Mexico to the Magellan Straits. And so, in an attempt to free ourselves from narrow-minded provincialism, I propose a toast to Peru and to a united America."