Assignment 2

The due date for submitting this assignment has passed. Due on 2018-02-21, 23:59 IST.

Submitted assignment

For Questions 1 to 5, please refer to the article titled “As Aadhaar project enters a critical year, here are the worries that still remain” authored by V. Sridhar and T.K. Srikanth accessible at:


1) The Virtual ID (VID) that users can create is a function of which of the following? 1 point

- Aadhaar Number
- Biometric information
- Name
- Both (a) and (b)

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0
Accepted Answers: Aadhaar Number

2) The Unique ID (UID) that Authentication User Agency (AUA) can generate is a function of which of the following? 1 point

- Aadhaar Number
- Virtual ID
- Biometric information
- Date of birth

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0
Accepted Answers: Aadhaar Number

3) VID is effective in containing which of the following privacy breaches? 1 point

- Information insecurity
- Secondary usage
- Aggregation use
- Identity theft
1. No, the answer is incorrect.
   Score: 0
   Accepted Answers:
   Aggregation use
   Identity theft

2. The UID is effective in containing which of the following privacy breaches? 1 point
   - Information insecurity
   - Secondary usage
   - Aggregation use
   - Identity theft

3. No, the answer is incorrect.
   Score: 0
   Accepted Answers:
   Aggregation use

4. Both UID and VID will not be effective in containing which of the following privacy breaches? 1 point
   - Information insecurity
   - Information disclosure
   - Surveillance
   - Intrusion
   - Breach of confidentiality

5. No, the answer is incorrect.
   Score: 0
   Accepted Answers:
   Information insecurity

6. Which one of the examples below are not a sociotechnical assemblage? 1 point
   - cheating in digital game
   - population of scallops
   - Photoelectric lighting kit
   - none of the above

7. Bases of literature on cheating in digital games are: 1 point
   - mostly technical literature
   - mostly media literature
   - both technical and media literature
   - none of the above

8. Michel Callon in his paper on Sociology of translation, talks about moments of translations. They are: 1 point
   - problematisation, interessement, enrolment and mobilisation
   - interessement
   - problematisation and general symmetry
   - general symmetry and enrolment

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0
9) What is the principle of “free association”?
   - the abandonment of all a priori distinctions between the natural and the social
   - impartiality between actors engaged in controversy
   - commitment to explain conflicting viewpoints in the same terms
   - a process by which actors take each other’s role

   **No, the answer is incorrect.**
   **Score: 0**
   **Accepted Answers:**
   - the abandonment of all a priori distinctions between the natural and the social

10) …(W)hen an electricity company sets differential tariff for high and low consuming domestic users, for workshops and for industrial consumers, it finds ways of characterizing and identifying different ________ “ (Akrich 1992)
   - consumers
   - economic class
   - social strata
   - marketing strategy

   **No, the answer is incorrect.**
   **Score: 0**
   **Accepted Answers:**
   - social strata