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**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN
LINGUISTICS**

1ST YEAR 1ND SEMESTER 2016/2017 ACADEMIC YEAR

MAIN CAMPUS

COURSE CODE: ALN 804

COURSE TITLE: RESEARCH METHODOLOGY I

EXAM VENUE: LR 1

STREAM: (MA)

DATE: 20/04/17

EXAM SESSION: 2.00 – 5.00PM

TIME: 2 HOURS

Instructions:

- 1. Answer Question ONE (COMPULSORY) and ANY other 2 questions**
- 2. Candidates are advised not to write on the question paper.**
- 3. Candidates must hand in their answer booklets to the invigilator while in the examination room.**

Q1.Citing clear examples demonstrate similarities and differences between background to the study and literature review. (30 marks)

Q2.Discuss research any four designs as used in research. (15 marks)

Q3.Compare and contrast research hypotheses and research questions. (15 marks)

Q4.Demonstrate the differences between population and sampling in language research (15 marks)

Q5.Using clear examples discuss the importance of theoretical framework in language research (15 marks)