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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF EDUCATION (PLANNING AND ECONOMICS OF EDUCATION)

1ST YEAR 1ST SEMESTER 2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR

REGULAR PROGRAMME

MAIN CAMPUS (SCHOOL BASED)

COURSE CODE: EMA 845

COURSE TITLE: MICRO PROJECT PLANNING IN EDUCATION

EXAM VENUE: STREAM: M. ED. (PLANNING & ECON OF EDUC)

DATE: EXAM SESSION:

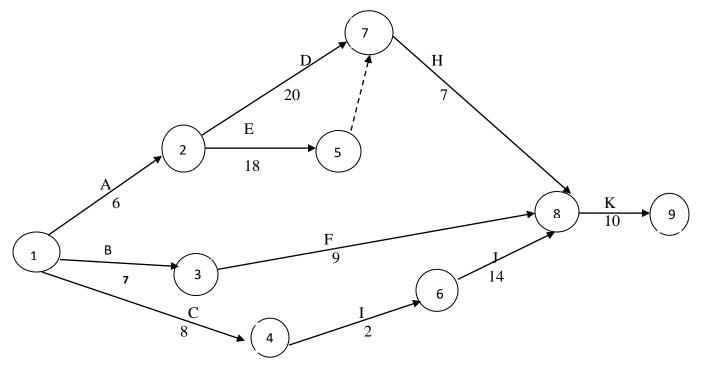
TIME: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Answer any THREE 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.

QUESTION ONE

Study the diagram below and answer the questions beneath it.



- a) Assuming you are to manage an educational project which this network of activities represent, calculate the following project times:
 - i) The Earliest start time (8 mks)
 - ii) The latest finish time (6 mks)
- b) Locate the critical path(s) and identify the critical and the non-critical activities (6mks)

QUESTION TWO

- a. Using the net work in question one, Compute the total, Free, Interference and independent floats of the project (12mks)
- b) Discuss two major methods which can be used in reducing the completion time of a project (8mks)

QUESTION THREE

a) Explain the rules and conventions of drawing a network (9mks)

b) Discuss seven common project risks (7mks)

b) Examine the following terms as used in project planning:

- i) Activity
- ii) Event
- iii) Dummy activities

iv) Path (4 mks)

QUESTION FOUR

a) Examine four steps of practical approach to project planning
b) Discuss the phases of Project planning
(8mks)

QUESTION FIVE

Examine the contention that every project planning has got challenges and solutions (20mks)