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FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN

BUSINESS INFORMATION SYSTEMS

1ST YEAR 1ST SEMESTER 2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR

COURSE CODE: IIS 3111

COURSE TITLE: INFORMATION SYSTEMS FUNDAMENTALS

EXAM VENUE: STREAM: (IIS)

DATE: EXAM SESSION:

TIME: 2.00 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Answer Question 1 (Compulsory) and ANY other two 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 (30 MARKS)

- a) Define information systems (4marks)
- b) List the components of an information systems (4marks)
- c) Name and explain any two input and two output devices of a personal computer (8marks)
- d) What is Enterprise Resource Planning software (ERP) system (4marks)
- e) Differentiate between open and close systems (4marks)
- f) Differentiate between data and information (3marks)
- g) How does Information Communication Technology (ICT) relate to the business performance (2marks)

QUESTION TWO 20 MARKS

- a) Name and explain four roles of information systems in business today (12marks)
- b) Define Customer Relationship Management (CRM) systems and outline 2 importance of CRM to the general management of a business (8marks)

QUESTION THREE 20 MARKS

- a) Systems can be categorized based on four different basis, using a diagram, name and explain these categories (20marks)

QUESTION FOUR 20 MARKS

- a) Name and explain four different types of information system in business today (12marks)
- b) Describe 2 challenges of implementing Enterprise Resource Planning software (ERP) system (8marks)

QUESTION FIVE 20 MARKS

- a) Explain 2 opportunities that managers in a wide range of organizations could exploit as they attempt to implement IT applications to add value to their businesses. (8marks)
- b) Outline 3 reasons for adopting Enterprise Resource Planning software (ERP) system (6marks)
- c) A transaction Processing system is designed to process routine transactions efficiently and accurately, explain 2 examples of such transactions in any business senior (6marks)