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BDS 4315: PROJECT MONITORING AND EVALUATION

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

SERIES: APRIL 2016

TIME: 2 HOURS

DATE: Pick Date May 2016

Instructions to Candidates

You should have the following for this examination

-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID

This paper consists of **FIVE** questions. Attempt question ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions.

Do not write on the question paper.

Question ONE – COMPULSORY

(a) Clearly define the following terms in relation to development projects: -

(i) Project Monitoring. (3Marks)

(ii) Project Evaluation. (3Marks)

(iii) Project Control. (2Marks)

(b) Identify the various causes of scope change in projects. (8marks)

(c) Briefly explain three important tools used in operational monitoring. (6marks)

(d) Briefly explain the benefits of project audit in project implementation. (8marks)

Question TWO

- (a) Explain key steps in designing a good monitoring and evaluation system .(10Marks)
- (b)Identify and explain the commonly used methods of carrying out monitoring.(10Marks)

Question THREE

- (a) Using relevant illustration explain the bottlenecks hindering project success.(10Marks)
- (b) Identify and explain the various types of project termination. (10marks)

Question FOUR

- (a) Discuss five types of performance indicators, giving an example of each.(10 marks)
- (b)Explain the reasons why project termination becomes necessary (10Marks)

Question FIVE

- (a) Clearly describe the three approaches to evaluation; namely goal-based evaluation; process-based evaluation; and outcomes-based evaluation. (10Marks)
- (b)While terminating a project, the project termination manager can face various challenges and problems. Discuss these challenges giving examples.(10Marks)