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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN TOURISM MANAGEMENT

(BSTM S13)

BHT 4410: NATURE AND CULTURAL INTERPRETATION

SPECIAL SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION

SERIES SEPT. 2017

TIME:2HOURS

DATE:Pick DateSep2017

Instructions to Candidates

You should have the following for this examination *-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID* This paper consists of **FIVE** questions. AttemptChoose instruction. **Do not write on the question paper.**

SECTION A (Answer all the questions)

QUESTION ONE

- a) Explain the concept interpretation (2 marks)
- b) Explain SIX reasons for interpretation in the context of nature and cultural tourism.
- c) Explain benefits of interpretation to visitors to a heritage site (16 marks)

SECTION B (Answer only <u>TWO</u> questions)

QUESTION TWO

a) Explain FOUR ways through which tourists receive and learn information through interpretation at a nature and/or cultural heritage site. (8 marks)

30 POINTS

(12 Marks)

b) Explain SIX different ways through which learning may take place in the course of a tourists experience with interpretation at an attraction (12 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- a) Explain the advantages and disadvantages of THREE common design layout types for self-guided trails within a natural attraction site (10 marks)
- b) Explain advantages and disadvantages of using pamphlets as medium of interpretation within a natural heritage site (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

a) Gede ruins, a heritage site located in Kilifi County wishes to improve its visitor experience by retooling community guides that provide interpretation at the attraction, develop a simple checklist that you would use to evaluate the guides' capacity before a training program can be developed for them (20 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

a) Explain TEN salient factors to consider when developing nature and heritage site trails for people living with physical disability (20 marks)