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DIPLOMA IN ARCHIVES AND RECORDS MANAGEMENT

BLR 2105: INFORMATION REPACKAGING

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

SERIES: APRIL 2016

TIME: 2 HOURS

DATE: 9 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

a) Define the following terms and phrases (10Mks)

- i) Acquisition lists
- ii) Indicative abstracts
- iii) Knowledge
- iv) Reprints

b) Identify an information centre of your choice and discuss its role, nature, scope, goals, approach to management of information and its emphasis in the process of information repackaging (20mks)

Question TWO

Discuss **Current Awareness** as an information repackaging strategy (20Mks)

Question THREE

Discuss the various electronic resources search strategies (20Mks)

Question FOUR

- a) Discuss the importance of information repackaging (10Mks)
- b) Discuss the steps involved in the preparation of a bibliography (10Mks)

Question FIVE

- a) Describe qualities of a good information (10Mks)**
- b) Discuss the uses of information (10Mks)**