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**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR:**

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**EIS 2101 SYSTEMS ANALYSIS & DESIGN**

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

**SERIES:**AUGUST2019

**TIME:**2HOURS

**DATE:**Pick DateJul2019

**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.

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**QUESTION ONE**

- a) Explain the following terms as used in systems development [6marks]
- i. System analysis
  - ii. System design
  - iii. Requirement specification
- b) Provide a description of the following types of systems [6marks]
- i. Open system
  - ii. Closed system

iii. Deterministic system

- c) List any four Required Skills of a Systems Analyst [4marks]
- d) Differentiate between white box and black box system testing [4marks]

## QUESTION TWO

- a) Assume you are developing an Enrolmentsystem for the following scenario. A student can take many subjects; a subject can be taken by many students. A subject can be taught by many teachers; a teacher can teach only one subject. A student can be taught by many teachers; a teacher can teach many students. Design an ERD that models the association and cardinalities between the various entities in the scenario. [10marks]
- b) List and explain any four objectives of input form design [8marks]
- c) Highlight any two causes of system failure [2marks]

## QUESTION THREE

- a) TUM wants to implement a new system called TUM MIS to replace an old one. Explain any four approaches for system changeovers that can be used. [12 marks]
- b) Explain any three importance of system documentation [6marks]
- c) List any two strategies that can be used to avoid user resistance to change of a new system. [2marks]

## QUESTION FOUR

- a) Briefly describe the waterfall method of systems development and explain why this method is less popular now than it used to be. [10 marks]
- b) Explain the use of a Gantt chart in systems feasibility study [2marks]
- c) List and explain any four objectives of output design in system development [8marks]

## QUESTION FIVE

- a) In a typical ATM system, a customer uses his/her ATM card to either withdraw or deposit cash from his/her account. The ATM card has the account name, account number

and upon use, a PIN number has to be given for security reasons. When a customer wants to deposit money, the system gives the customer a cash envelope of which he/she uses to insert the money into the ATM system.

- i) Draw a 0 level Context diagram for the above scenario [4 marks]
  - ii) Draw a DFD diagram for the above activities [8marks]
- b) Explain any four types of system maintenance [8marks]