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FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

**COURSE TITLE: RESEARCH METHODS AND REPORT WRITING
(MMS 301)**

SEMESTER 11: FINAL EXAMINATION NOV-DEC 2013

TIME: 1 HOUR

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer **TWO QUESTIONS ONLY**

Mark allocation is as indicated in brackets.

Credit will be given for answers that are well constructed and well presented.

Answer all Questions in the Answer Books provided.

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- Q1** Write briefly on the following. Give an outline of each, justify the inclusion of each in a research report and give examples where necessary. **[30 marks]**
- i. Research assumptions.
 - ii. Research Delimitations.
 - iii. Limitations of research.
 - iv. Contents page
- Q2.** What is a statement of problem? What questions should the statement of problem address? **[30 marks]**
- Q3.** Objectives of the research direct the whole research. Show how objectives of the research help write all the chapters of the research report **[30 marks]**