



"Investing in Africa's Future"

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS PEACE LEADERSHIP AND GOVERNANCE

PSM533 ETHICS AND PROFESSIONALISM-MAIN EXAMINATION

END OF SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

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DURATION: 3 HRS

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer **ALL** questions in Section A

Answer **ONE** question from Section B

Answer **ONE** question from Section C

The marks allocated to each question or part of the question are shown at the end of each question.

You will answer a total of **FOUR** Questions. Each question carries **25 marks**

Credit will be awarded for logical, systematic and neat presentations.

Section A

1. The July 2017 Supreme Court ruling saw thousands of people losing their jobs in Zimbabwe at a time when the country was experiencing an economic meltdown. Use the following ethical theories to pass moral judgments on this landmark Supreme Court Ruling using the following ethical theories:
 - i. Rossian Deontology
 - ii. Situation Ethics
 - iii. Kantianism
2. With reference to at least three viewpoints of relevant professional ethics scholars critically examine the meaning and importance of ethics to your own profession.

Section B

3. Fostering of ethical behavior in public service ought to be the top priority in Zimbabwe and beyond. Discuss the notion of fostering ethical behavior in public service in light of any three of the following scholars' viewpoints on how to foster ethical behavior in public service:
 - i. John-Mary Kauzya
 - ii. Kwame Gyekye
 - ii. Stuart C. Gilman
 - iv. Wilfred Lajul
4. Critically examine the notion that the African concept of Ubuntu is the driving force in public service delivery in an African country that you know very well.

Section C

5. Explain in detail how the following social vices that are negatively impacting public service delivery can be overcome:
 - (i) Corruption
 - (ii) Social/New Media Addiction
 - (iii) HIV/AIDS
6. Briefly explain the meaning and importance of ethical leadership to public service and proceed to explore in detail **FIVE (5)** moral qualities that are exhibited by any one public service official who inspires you the most.

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