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2019_1 EXAM

COURSE CODE: MAC 441
COURSE TITLE: DOCUMENTARY FILM PRODUCTION
UNIT: 3
TIME: 3 HOURS

**INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS. EACH QUESTION
CARRIES 17½ MARKS**

1. (a) Define film from your own perspective. (3½ marks)
(b) Explain what you understand by persistence of vision? (4 marks)
(c) Identify and explain 5 film genres. (10 marks)
2. All films tell stories; and for the stories to be understood, they must be woven around the basic film components. What are those components? Identify and discuss the major five. (17½ marks)
3. Identify and discuss 5 theories which can be used in appreciating a film. (17½ marks)
4. What do you understand by a documentary film? What are the various types of documentary films? Differentiate a documentary film from a feature film. (17½ marks).
5. (a) How are the ideas for documentary films developed?
(b) Identify and explain the four major features to be included in a documentary film. (17½ marks)
6. Identify 5 film production personnel and state categorically the kinds of jobs they do. (17½ marks)