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FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION
2019_1 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: PAD 341

CREDIT UNIT: 3

COURSE TITLE: PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION IN NIGERIA

TIME ALLOWED: 2^{1/2} HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Attempt Question One (1) and any other three (3) questions**
 - 2. Question 1 carries 25 marks, while the other questions carry 15 marks each.**
 - 3. Present all points in coherent and orderly manner**
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- 1 a. Explain the approaches to Public Administration. **(5 marks)**
b. Explain any three of them with relevant examples. **(20 marks)**
- 2 Are there differences between the two (2) main views of the nature of public administration? Discuss. **(15 marks)**
- 3 Public and Private administrations are opposite sides of a coin. Discuss. **(15 marks)**
- 4 What do you understand by Public Service reform and why is it necessary? **(5 marks)**
Highlight the underlying principles of reform **(10 marks)**
- 5 Explain the term Local Government. **(5 marks)**
Why is it important in Nigeria? **(10 marks)**
- 6 With example, explain the concept of Public Corporations **(15 marks)**