



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA

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FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES

FEBRUARY EXAMINATION 2018

COURSE CODE: PAD 868

COURSE TITLE: COMPARATIVE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

CREDIT UNIT: 3

INSTRUCTION:

1. Indicate your Matriculation Number clearly
2. Attempt question one (1) and any other three (3) questions; four questions in all
3. Question one (1) is compulsory and carries 25 marks, while the other questions carry 15 marks each.
4. Present all your points in a coherent and orderly Manner

TIME ALLOWED: 2½ Hours

1. (a) What is comparative public administration? (5 marks)
(b) Identify and explain your motives for studying comparative public administration. (10 marks)
2. Analyse the nature, history and problems of comparative administration. (15 marks)
3. Enumerate and write short notes on the characteristics and functions of Nigeria's civil service. (15 marks)
4. (a) Enumerate the basic doctrines or principles guiding British public administration. (5 marks)
(b) What are the political and non-political functions of the British Civil Service? (10 marks)
5. Explain the concept of separation of power in relation to the American public administrative system. (15 marks)
6. (a) Identify the factor that made France a unique country. (15 marks)
(b) Enumerate the basic advantages that the French Civil-Service is enjoying since the Fifth Republic. (5 marks)