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FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES

2023 2 EXAMINATIONS_

Course Code: BUS 811

Course Title: DIVERSITY AND CONFLICT MANAGEMENT

Credit Unit: 2

Instructions: 1. Indicate your Matriculation Number clearly

2. Attempt Question 1 and any other two (2) questions

3. Question 1 is compulsory and carries 30 marks while the other 2 questions

carry 20marks each

4. Present all your points in coherent and orderly manner

Time Allowed: 2 Hours

There are five stages in any conflict process. Discuss these stages in chronological order.
(15marks)

1b. Differentiate between adjudication and arbitration with examples (8marks)

1c. What are the Criticisms leveled Against Ombudsman System (7marks)

Discuss five conflict response modes and skills that can be used in conflict management.
(15marks)

2b. Describe the role of leadership styles in managing diversity in the workplace (5marks)

3a.Identify and explain the four characteristics of an Ombudsman(16marks)

3b. Relate the Ombudsman functions to the social justice concept. (4marks)

4a. There are three organisational types that focus on the development of cultural diversity according to Cox (1991). List and discuss these organisational types. (10marks)

4b. Explain the effects of organizational diversity dimension on the management of human resources in an organization(10marks)

5a.To what extent can Equal Employment Opportunity/ Affirmative action enhance the management of diversity in the workplace? (14marks)

5b. What are the benefits of Diversity Management? (6marks)