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FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES

2024_2 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: FMS731

CREDIT UNIT: 2

COURSE TITLE: RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

TIME ALLOWED: 2HOURS

Instruction: 1. Attempt question number one (1) and any other two (2)

2. Question number one (1) is compulsory and attracts 30 marks, while any other two questions attract 20 marks each

3. Present your answers any points in a clearly and orderly manner

1a. Discuss four challenges of research in Management Sciences in Nigeria (20marks)

1b. Explain briefly how challenges of research in management sciences can be addressed. (10marks)

Total: 30 Marks

2a. State five sources of literature review in Management Science researches(10marks)

2b. Differentiate between the Thematic style and Chronological style of organizing literature review(10marks)

Total: 20 Marks

3a. The chaptalization of a proposal is one of the ways by which a degree-oriented proposal differs from a grant-soliciting proposal, Explain in details the contents of a degree-oriented research proposal (14marks)

3b. List any three types of measurement(6marks)

Total: 20 Marks

4a. Explain the meaning of Focus Group Discussion as an Innovative Method of Interviewing (10marks)

4b State four necessary guidelines for adopting Focus Group Discussion (10marks)

Total: 20 Marks