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REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR THIRD YEAR SECOND SEMESTER

SCHOOL OF TOURISM AND NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT BACHELOR OF PARKS, RECREATION AND LEISURE MANAGEMENT (PRLM)

COURSE CODE: RLM 3204

COURSE TITLE: VISITOR SERVICES &

INTERPRETATIO

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DATE: 16THAPRIL, 2019 TIME: 0830

-1030HRS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer **ALL** questions in section **A** and any other **THREE** in section **B**.

This paper consists of 2 printed pages. Please turn over. SECTION A: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS (25 MARKS)

- 1. Define the term 'interpretation' (1mark)
- 2. Briefly explain the evolution of interpretation (6marks)
- 3. Briefly describe the importance of adapting information to meet the needs of various audiences

(6marks)

- 4. Describe your understanding of guided interpretation (6marks)
- 5. Explain the importance of signage display and design in a recreational area

(6marks)

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS (45 MARKS)

- 6. Discuss how interpretation utilizes oral, visual and written techniques to enhance the visitor experience during leisurely visits (15marks)
- 7. Using examples, discuss the vital role that evaluation plays in interpretive design

(15marks)

8. Discuss the interpretation's guiding principles used while providing visitor services.

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9. Citing relevant examples, discuss the visitor interaction activities undertaken during recreational visitation

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