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FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

REGULAR PROGRAMME

BCP 121: THEORIES OF PERSONALITY

Date: APRIL 2022

Duration: 2 Hours 15 mins

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any THREE Questions

- Q1. a) Define the following terms and phrases **(5marks)**
- i) Personality
 - ii) Theory of personality
- b) Explain the sources of influence upon personality development **(10 marks)**
- c) Describe the following defense mechanisms proposed by Sigmund Freud **(10 marks)**
- i) Regression
 - ii) Repression
 - iii) Displacement
 - iv) Projection
 - v) Sublimation

Q2. Discuss the contribution of Albert Bandura in the development of Personality. **(15 marks)**

Q3. Describe dramatic/emotional/erratic personality disorders. **(15 marks)**

Q4. Evaluate significance of psychosexual stages of development to formation of personality. **(15 marks)**

Q5. Assess the relevance of Erik Erickson's theory in explaining personality development. **(15 marks)**

Q6. Analyze the concept of personality in line with the big five theory of personality. **(15 marks)**

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