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MAIN EXAMINATION

MAY - JULY 2016 TRIMESTER

FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

O DEL PROGRAMME

MDS 508 / MPM 501: RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

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Duration: 3 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer ANY FOUR Questions

- Q1. Discuss the variety of approaches to acquiring knowledge. **(15 marks)**
- Q2. Describe the processes undertaken in scientific research. **(15 marks)**
- Q3. Distinguish between probability and non-probability sampling techniques. **(15 marks)**
- Q4. Explain the underlying circumstances that prompt ethical issues in research. **(15 marks)**
- Q5. Underscore the rationale behind literature review for an intended research study. **(15 marks)**
- Q6. Analyze the procedures that succeed data collection in a research study. **(15 marks)**

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