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**MAIN EXAMINATION**

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**FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

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**REGULAR PROGRAMME**

**SDS 304: CULTURE AND SOCIAL DYNAMICS**

**Date: DECEMBER 2016**

**Duration: 2 Hours**

**INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and ANY OTHER TWO Questions**

- Q1. a) Explain the following terms as used in culture and social dynamics
- (i) Subculture **(5 marks)**
  - (ii) Culture diffusion **(5 marks)**
  - (iii) Ethnicity **(5 Marks)**
  - (iv) Non-material culture **(5 marks)**
- b) Differentiate religion from spirituality **(4 marks)**
- c) Explain the concept of cultural lag **(6 marks)**
- Q2. Discuss how language can influence culture and vice-versa **(20 marks)**
- Q3. Explain how technology has affected the African family **(20 marks)**
- Q4. Highlight positive aspects of ethnicity **(20 marks)**
- Q5. Discuss five characteristics of culture **(20 marks)**

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