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FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

REGULAR PROGRAMME

SDS 411 / SSW 406: SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY FOR DEVELOPMENT PRACTICE

Date: DECEMBER 2018

Duration: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and ANY OTHER TWO Questions

- Q1. a) Define the term social psychology **(4 marks)**
- b) Assess the utility of the WAY technique in social psychology. Support your arguments with illustrations **(6 marks)**
- c) Give an elaboration of any five factors that affect who we are. Support the position with illustrations **(20 marks)**
- Q2. You have been contracted by the Truth Justice and Reconciliation Commission to moderate a debate the triggers of violence.
- a) State, discuss and illustrate five aspects you would cover **(10 marks)**
- b) How would you bring in the situation-victim-target model? **(10marks)**
- Q3. a) Decision-making is a process. Validate **(6 marks)**
- b) Critically assess the role of society in our personal decision making. Support with a conceptual and theoretical framework **(14 marks)**
- Q4. a) Discuss the characteristics of socialization **(5 marks)**
- b) Give at least five aspects of socialization. How are they beneficial to society today? **(15 marks)**

Q5. Distinguish between the self-theory and the labelling theory in understanding deviant behaviour **(20 marks)**

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