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Question 1

Terminer

Noté sur 1,00

Which of the following is one of the three well known formulations of Kant's Categorical Imperative?

Veillez choisir une réponse :

- ☒ a. Always treat people as an end in and of themselves and never a means
- ☐ b. The common interests of humanity are of upmost importance when we make a moral decision
- ☐ c. True happiness consists of making other people happy
- ☐ d. All of the above

Question 2

Terminer

Noté sur 2,00

In the case that we discussed in class at Global Personal Technologies, Product Marketing Manager Larry Rogers is about to present some market research showing that consumers would prefer some minor product design changes rather than a more significant change that would add a removable battery with a longer life. In one paragraph respond to the following two questions.

1. Give one reason why Larry's decision is unethical.
2. Give one idea for how you might convince Larry to do otherwise.

One reason why Larry's decision might be unethical is in altering the customer's feedback, thus corrupting the data and possibly hurting both the customer and the company in the future. I might try to lay out the facts that altering the data might lead to erroneous results that might backfire on the company's employees, writing an honest report is by far the "correct" and "right" one to take.

Question 3

Terminer

Noté sur 1,00

According to Mary Gentile, opportunist are always looking for a chance to do the right thing and very seldom behave unethically.

Sélectionnez une réponse :

☐ Vrai

☒ Faux

Question 4

Terminer

Noté sur 1,00

Areteology is a method of ethical reasoning based on which of these ideas?

Veillez choisir une réponse :

- ☐ a. Pursuing the right ends or consequences such as trying to achieve the greatest good for the greatest number of people
- ☐ b. Developing and practicing virtue or moral character
- ☐ c. To know, respect, and follow nature
- ☒ d. None of the above

Question 5

Terminer

Noté sur 1,00

According to research by Linda Skitka, people under a Moral Mandate believe that their corresponding views have which of the following properties.

Select all correct answers. There will be a penalty for wrong answers.

- ☐ a. Localized - highly dependent on group identity or national context
- ☒ b. Affect - having a connection to emotion
- ☐ c. Simplicity - mandates are very easy to explain using rational arguments
- ☒ d. Universality - we tend to think they are right and wrong for everyone

Question 6

Terminer

Noté sur 1,00

According to Mary Gentile which of these leverage points may be useful in helping people behave according to their values when challenged to do otherwise.

Select all correct answers. There is a penalty for incorrect answers.

- ☐ a. Confine the discussion to short term consequences
- ☒ b. Finding allies who agree with your position
- ☐ c. Focus on prohibiting an action rather than finding an alternative
- ☒ d. Find ways to reduce the perceived cost to all parties

Question 7

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Noté sur 1,00

Which of these are the four cardinal virtues identified by virtue ethicists

- ☒ a. Temperance, Courage, Prudence, and Justice
- ☐ b. Loyalty, Obedience, Freedom and Compassion
- ☐ c. Duty, Obedience, Loyalty and Persistence
- ☐ d. None of the above

Question 8

Terminer

Noté sur 1,00

To reduce unethical behavior, you might consider which of the following techniques?

Veillez choisir une réponse :

- ☒ a. Remind a person making an ethical decision that the person or people they might harm is/are part of their group
- ☐ b. Give an ethical decision maker some food to make sure they are not hungry before they decide
- ☐ c. Recommend to an ethical decision maker that they make their decision early in the day to avoid fatigue
- ☐ d. All of the above
- ☐ e. None of the above

Question 9

Terminer

Noté sur 1,00

Jim Hackett, The former CEO of the Ford Motor company, said that Ford can "monitize data" (that is to say use data to find new ways to make money. What examples did he give for the sort of data the company can get from their customers who borrow money from them.

Select all answers that apply. There is a penalty for making an incorrect choice.

- ☐ a. What size of clothing people wear
- ☐ b. How much people earn at their jobs
- ☒ c. Whether people are married
- ☒ d. Where people work

Question 10

Terminer

Noté sur 1,00

The research discussed in class shows that UNethical (bad) behavior in an organization may increase if it does which of the following:

- ☐ a. Encourage employees to discuss politics at work
- ☒ b. Encourage managers to try to increase productivity by setting goals that workers are likely to get close to but not achieve
- ☐ c. Encourage employees to tell stories about other employees doing ethical things in the past
- ☐ d. Encourage employee to discuss sports at work

Question 11

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Noté sur 1,00

Marion has graduated from ENSEEIHT and taken a job with an engineering firm in Toulouse. Her boss asks her to make a small change in an engineering specification that she needs to submit to the government for approval. The change will make it more likely that the related project will receive government approval but it also means the specification will be wrong and not properly match the project.

Marion thinks this over and decides not to do it. Her argument is that if she generalized this behavior, meaning that it would be permissible for companies to falsify engineering specifications to gain government approval, then government regulation would be meaningless. No one would ever know if specifications were accurate or not. Thus she feels that there should be a principal stating that such specifications must be accurate and that engineers like her should follow that principal as a matter of Duty.

What type of ethical reasoning did Marion use in her argument ?

- ☐ a. Marion has made a teleological argument
- ☒ b. Marion has made a deontological argument
- ☐ c. Marion has made a philological argument
- ☐ d. Marion has made an areteological argument

Question 12

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Noté sur 1,00

Which of the following statements is true for System 1 or Intuitive/Emotional thinking?

Veillez choisir une réponse :

- ☒ a. It can do simple mathematics such as $2+2=4$
- ☐ b. It can handle complex probability calculations
- ☐ c. It is a slow and serial process
- ☐ d. None of the above

Question 13

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Noté sur 2,00

Match the statement with the type of moral disengagement that it belongs to.

I did layoff people in my department but it wasn't entirely my decision. I was just one member of the committee that made the choices.

Diffusion of responsibility

We did fire some people but they were awful disgusting people that we never should have hired. I hesitate to call them people at all in fact

Dehumanization

Question 14

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Noté sur 1,00

Which of the following people is known for his teleological philosophy?

Veillez choisir une réponse :

- ☒ a. John Rawls
- ☐ b. John Stuart Mill
- ☐ c. William David Ross
- ☐ d. None of the above

Question 15

Terminer

Noté sur 1,00

Consider the following description of an engineering student in Toulouse named Omar.

Omar is a diligent student who studies quite hard. He always attends class and never misses an exam. Omar's living room is decorated with posters of images from funny television shows and movies such as Friends, The Big