

UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MARA FINAL EXAMINATION

COURSE

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COURSE CODE

IMD313/302

EXAMINATION

JANUARY 2024

TIME

3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. This question paper consists of two (2) parts :

PART A (4 Questions)

PART B (5 Questions)

- 2. Answer ALL questions from PART A and three (3) questions from PART B in the Answer Booklet. Start each answer on a new page.
- 3. Do not bring any material into the examination room unless permission is given by the invigilator.
- 4. Please check to make sure that this examination pack consists of :
 - i) the Question Paper
 - ii) an Answer Booklet provided by the Faculty
- 5. Answer ALL questions in English.

PART A

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- a) Respond the following statement questions.
 - i) Define archival legislation.

(2 marks)

ii) List three (3) requirements that should be included in archives law and policy.

(3 marks)

- b) Respond to the following questions.
 - i) State two (2) functions of Archive Professional Association and Bodies.

(2 marks)

ii) List three (3) Archive Professional Association and Bodies.

(3 marks)

QUESTION 2

a) List five (5) forms of archives.

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(5 marks)

b) Provide five (5) essential skills necessary in achieving success as an archivist for future career.

(5 marks)

QUESTION 3

a) Describe three (3) common types of finding aids.

(6 marks)

- b) Respond to the following questions:
 - i) Define appraisal.

(2 marks)

ii) List four (4) appraisal process of archival materials.

(4 marks)

QUESTION 4

Respond to the following questions:

i) List four (4) archival principles of ISAD (G).

(4 marks)

ii) Describe two (2) types of archival reference codes.

(4 marks)



PART B

Answer THREE (3) questions only.

QUESTION 1

Discuss four (4) disadvantages of oral history as primary sources.

(20 marks)

QUESTION 2

Explain four (4) activities in archival repository area.

(20 marks)

QUESTION 3

Discuss four (4) important procedures in returning archival materials.

(20 marks)

QUESTION 4

Explain six (6) methods in controlling deterioration caused by biological factors.

(20 marks)

QUESTION 5

Discuss four (4) reasons of digitization.

(20 marks)

END OF QUESTION PAPER