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LGHR 108: Ethics and Integrity in Public Administration
End of Year II Examinations

Time: 9:30am-12:30pm

Date: Thursday 21st June 2018

Instruction

1. **Read** the examination rules and regulations in the answer booklet clearly before writing your answers
2. Answer **three** questions in all
3. Question **one is compulsory**
4. **Do not** write on this question paper
5. Your answers **must** be written in clear handwriting

Questions

- 1) As a public administration student, account for the study of ethics in relation to public administration and management in your country today?
- 2) What makes corruption right or wrong? Explain ways you can employ as a public administrator in fighting corruption in public services?
- 3 a) Define the terms 'professional ethics' and 'code of conduct'
b) Using the case of the "code of ethics of national association of social workers" or "code of ethics for public administrators" explain how it will help you to be an effective public administrator/manager.
- 4) Define and explain in details any five (5) of the following concepts as used in the study of ethics and integrity in public administration.
 - a) Rights
 - b) Conflict of rights
 - c) Duty
 - d) Ethics
 - e) Utilitarianism
 - f) Virtue Ethics
 - g) Deontological ethics

h) Consequentialism

5) You are employed as the Principle Manager for a highly structured and bureaucratic company that adheres to principle of unity of command. You work with a highly qualified assistant who is equally knowledgeable and gets things done easily. One morning you are called upon by your boss after he had received your application for promotion to senior principle manager. But your boss puts a condition that you must first replace your assistant with his girlfriend whose qualification is wanting. You dearly need this promotion and equally look to brighter future of the organization but you have to make a decision. With concrete evidence and theoretical perspective you have studied discuss what you will do as a public administrator/manager.

Good luck!!