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YEAR II: 2023/2024

END OF SEMESTER I EXAMINATION

BSDC 2103 /BCMHP: ORGANISATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY

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DATE: Friday 8th December, 2023

TIME: 2:00pm-5:00pm

INSTRUCTIONS:

Attempt only four Questions choosing two questions from each section.

All Questions carry equal marks.

Do not write anything on the question paper.

Begin each answer on a fresh page.

For more information, refer to the answer booklet.

SECTION A

- 1a). What is Organization psychology? (5marks)
- b). Justify why it is important for you to study organization psychology? (20 marks)
- 2a). Discuss the major roles that industrial-organizational Psychologists do in the community. (12 marks)
- b). Suppose you are appointed in an organization where stress among employees is the order of the day. As a trained Industrial-organizational psychologist, how can you help to change the situation? (12 marks)
- 3a). Before training design issues are considered, a careful training needs analysis is required to develop a systematic understanding of where training is needed, what needs to be taught or

trained, and who will be trained. Using examples, explain what is involved in the following three analyses; (10marks)

i). Organizational analysis,

ii). Task analysis and

iii). Person analysis.

b). Explain the meaning of the following terms as used in training programs; (9marks)

i) Summative evaluation

ii). Formative evaluation

- c). What Challenges do Industrial-Organizational psychologists face in implementation of the Training and training evaluation role? (6marks)
- Identify and explain the eight organization metaphors according to Morgan (1980).
- b). Which one of the Metaphors in a) above do you personally believe in most and why? (9marks)

SECTION B

- 5). Whereas the measure of organizational effectiveness for a business will generally be expressed in terms of how well its net profitability compares with its target profitability; measures of growth data and the results of customer satisfaction surveys; Identify the different approaches to Effective Organizations suggested in the social sciences. (25 marks).
- People differ in the manner and extent of their involvement with, and concern for, work.
- (a). Explain the following orientations to work;
- i). Instrumental orientation,
- ii). Bureaucratic orientation and
- iii) Solidarity orientation

(9marks)

- b). As a manager in your given organization, discuss how you can motivate staff to achieve organizational objectives with minimum conflicts. (16marks)
- 7a). What do you understand by "organization structure"? (3marks)
- b). What are the requirements of an organization structure? (10marks)
- c). Explain the following three broad interrelated levels in the hierarchical structure of an organization; (12marks)
- i) Technical level
- ii)Managerial level
- iii) Community level

- 8a). What is division of labour? (4marks)
- b). Using relevant examples where applicable, identify and explain the different ways how work can be divided and activities linked together. (21 marks)

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