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SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES  
SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2015 EXAMINATION**

**Course Code:** CTH 815 **3 Credit Units**  
**Course Title:** Prophetic Books and Wisdom Literature  
**Time Allowed:** 3 hrs.  
**Instruction:** Answer question ONE and TWO others

1. Identify and explain some of the terms used to define theodicy in Wisdom Literature. (30 Marks).
2. (a) Mention and discuss the source(s) of Wisdom Literature (10 Marks).  
(b) Describe the various theological components of Wisdom Literature (10 Marks).
3. Define rhetoric, and identify and clarify the three major social locations of Wisdom Literature. (20 Marks).
4. Review the nature of humans in Qoheleth, and show how individual or collective memory can enhance identity and self-understanding. (20 Marks).
5. Mention and discuss four various approaches in the interpretation of Canticles (20 Marks).