

## NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA 14/16 AHMADU BELLO WAY, VICTORIA ISLAND, LAGOS SCHOOL OF LAW JUNE/JULY 2013 EXAMINATIONS

**COURSE CODE: LAW 423** 

**COURSE TITLE: EQUITY AND TRUST I** 

**TIME ALLOWED: 3 Hours** 

INSTRUCTION: Answer any 5 questions. All questions carry equal

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1. What do you understand by the term 'equity'? Describe.

- 2. How is the conflict between common law and equity resolved? Discuss.
- 3. Explain what do you understand by the repugnancy doctrine? Also discuss its effects on customary law in Nigeria.
- 4. Discuss the nature of the right of beneficiary under trust in relation to the equitable doctrine of tracing.
- 5. List any five maxim of equity and explain any three of them.
- 6. Examine the concept of conversion and its significance in Nigeria.
- 7. Write short note on any three of the followings:
- a. Chose in action
- b. Chose in possession
- c. Conversion
- d. Reconversion
- 8. Discuss the concept of election enumerating the judicial basis of the doctrine.
- 9. List and discuss the types of injunction.