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14-16 AHMADU BELLO WAY, VICTORIA ISLAND LAGOS
MARCH/APRIL 2016 EXAMINATION
SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

Course Code: CTH 314

Course Title: Inter-Testamental Literature

Time Allowed: 2 HOURS.

Instruction: Answer question ONE and any other TWO.

Question No. 1 (30 marks)

The most popular formulation of the principle of faith in Judaism as expressed by the Maimonides are thirteen. List seven of these principles as expressed in the intertestamental period. (30 marks).

Question No. 2 (20 marks)

Discuss the Qumran Wisdom Tradition as one of the strands of wisdom traditions in Judaism. (20 marks)

Question No. 3 (20 marks)

Roland Guérin de Vaux and Jozef Tadeusz Milik, and Lawrence H. Schiffman are associated with the theories of the origin of Dead Sea Scrolls. Discuss their respective hypotheses. (20 marks)

Question No. 4 (20 marks)

Identify and discuss the three major forms of Inter-Testamental Judaism. (20 marks)

Question No. 5 (20 marks)

Why should a student of biblical studies spend his/her time discussing the hermeneutics of Intertestamental literature? (20 marks)