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FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF
THE BACHELORS OF ARTS IN PEACE AND CONFLICT STUDIES
SECOND SEMESTER 2024/2025
(AUGUST, 2025)

BPCS 107: CONFLICT RESOLUTION, MANAGEMENT AND TRANSFORMATION

STREAM: Y1 S2

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY: TUESDAY, 12.00 – 2.00 P M

DATE: 05/08/2025

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Do not write anything on this question paper.**
- 2. Answer Question ONE And Any Other Two questions.**

SECTION A

QUESTION ONE

- a) Using relevant examples, define and distinguish the following approaches used in Conflict Resolution, Management and Transformation :Rights and Interest Based and Identity and Power based. (15 Marks)
- b) State and illustrate five Conflict Resolution Skills (15 Marks)

SECTION B

QUESTION TWO

- a) Discuss the contribution of any two Conflict Management Theories in explaining the nature of conflict (10 Marks)
- b) Using relevant examples, explain any five Conflict Management Styles in resolving conflict. (10 Marks)

QUESTION THREE

” Relationships exhibit different patterns of conflictual relationships”. Explain this statement using relevant examples in conflict situations. (20 Marks)

QUESTION FOUR

Conflict Transformation is enhanced by empowering individuals, groups and communities. Discuss and highlight how the varied forms of empowerment can transform conflict. (20 Marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Discuss the varied opportunities for managing violence in Africa while citing relevant examples. (20 Marks)