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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DOCTOR IN PHILOSOPHY

PHIL 938: CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN EPISTEMOLOGY

STREAMS: PhD. PHIL TIME: 3 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 06/04/2021 2.30 P.M. – 5.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer any THREE questions

- 1. Critically analyze the claim that knowledge is justified, true belief.
- 2. Discuss the relevance of foundationalism and coherentism in the process of acquiring knowledge.
- 3. Analyze the theory of internalism and externalism and demonstrate their role in the process of knowledge acquisition
- 4. Analyze the nexus between empirical and rational knowledge
- 5. Discuss the claim that knowledge is personal and illustrate how this can be justified and elevated to a level that is objective.
