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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS

RELI 412: RELIGION AND MODERN THEOLOGICAL TRENDS

STREAMS: BED (ARTS) P/T TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 09/08/2019 2.30 PM – 4.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer ALL Questions in Section A and any Two in Section B

- 1. (a) Explain the meaning of the following terms in relation to religion
 - (i) Social relevance
 - (ii) Indigenization
 - (iii) Cultural adaptability

[6 marks]

(b) What are the challenges facing inculturation of Christianity in Africa?

[9 marks]

2. "Not only is Christianity relevant in Africa, but Christ in the members of his body to himself on African" (John Paul II)

Examine the significance of this statement spreading Christianity in Africa in the 21st century. [15 marks]

SECTION B

- 3. (a) Elucidate the mistakes that the early Christian missionaries made in the evangelization of Africa. [5 marks]
 - (b) Explain how these mistakes can be corrected by todays missionaries in Africa. [15]

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- 4. It was possibly too early for Prof. J.N.K Mugambi to suggest the 'Theology of reconstruction' in 1990's. Discuss [20 marks]
- 5. Discuss how the church in Africa should respond to the challenge of poverty.

[20 marks]