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THIRD YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF
ARTS IN CRIMINOLOGY AND SECURITY STUDIES

CRSS 305: COURTROOM PSYCHOLOGY

STREAMS: BA (CRIMINOLOGY & SECURITY STUDIES)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 13/04/2018

11.30 A.M - 1.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Question ONE is (COMPULSORY) and any other TWO Questions.

1. (a) Describe the roles of a psychologist in court. [6 Marks]
(b) Write brief notes on issues regarding repressed memories. [10 Marks]
(c) Examine any seven (7) factors that influence jurors decision making in court.
Use examples. [14 Marks]
 2. Critically evaluate the effect of memory processes on eye witnesses' testimony in court. [20 Marks]
 3. Examine the considerations in making legal decisions about children in the courtroom.
Use examples. [20 Marks]
 4. Describe the type of psychological evaluations conducted for the courts. [20 Marks]
 5. With the use of examples, discuss any ten (10) factors that influence eye witnesses' recollection of events. [20 Marks]
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