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## FOURTH YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

LITT 411: AFRICAN LITERATURE IV ( POETRY FROM WEST AND SOUTHERN AFRICA)

STREAM: SB TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 10/08/2018 11.30 A.M – 1.30 P.M

## **INSTRUCTION:**

- Answer question one and any other two questions.
- 1. Using specific poems by Leopold sedor sengor, David Diop, and Birago Diop, discuss negritude. [30marks]
- 2. Discuss and illustrate any five techniques used by the English speaking west African poets. [20marks]
- 3. Examine any five common themes of the poems in the anthology 'when bullets begin to flower'. [20marks]
- 4. Using any three poets from southern Africa discuss the role of a poet. [20marks]
- 5. Discuss the theme of racial oppression in the poetry of Denis Brutus. [20marks]