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IGEMBE CAMPUS

THIRD YEAR EXAMINATIONS FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS

RELI 323: NEW RELIGIOUS MOVEMENTS

STREAMS: BED (ARTS) PART-TIME

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 08/8/2018

2.30 P.M. – 4.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer ALL questions in section A and any other TWO in section B

SECTION B

1. (a) What is a new religious movement [2 marks]
- (b) Why are new religions called movements [2 marks]
- (c) Describe the main categories of new religious movements [6 marks]
2. (a) Describe the rise, growth and development of new religious movements in Africa [15 marks]
- (b) To what extent has the main line churches contributed to the proliferation of new religious movements [5 marks]

SECTION B

3. Describe the characteristics of new religious movements in Africa. Identify the features of mainline churches that the new religious movements oppose [20 marks]
4. Explain the impact of new religious movements to their members, mainstream churches and the wider society [20 marks]

5. Explain the future of new religious movements in Africa

[20 marks]
