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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
ARTS**

LITT 326/312: ORAL LITERATURE II (THEORY AND METHODS)

STREAMS: BED ARTS

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 08/04/2020

11.30 A.M. – 1.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer question ONE and any other TWO.**

1. Discuss the components of an oral literature research proposal. (30 marks)
 2. Explain the impact of the evolution theory in orature studies. (20 marks)
 3. Discuss the major tenets of the diffusionism theory which influence the study of oral literature. (20 marks)
 4. Discuss any five challenges one is likely to encounter during orature fieldwork. (20 marks)
 5. Discuss the nature of oral poetry in Africa. (20 marks)
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