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

ENGL 381: RESEARCH TECHNIQUES IN LINGUISTICS

STREAMS: BED (ARTS)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: MONDAY 03/12/2018

11.30 AM - 1.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer Three Questions in all**
- **Question One is Compulsory**

1. With illustrations from language research explain the meaning and give classifications of the following research terms:
 - (i) Variable [10 marks]
 - (ii) Hypothesis [10 marks]
 - (iii) Statistics [10 marks]
 2. Explain six sources of information in linguistic research. [20 marks]
 3. Discuss five research designs that may be used in language research. [20 marks]
 4. Explain ten sources of secondary information in literature review. [20 marks]
 5. Explain six techniques that can be used in the selection of linguistics samples. [20 marks]
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