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**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION
RESIT/SUPPLEMENTARY / SPECIAL EXAMINATIONS
EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN ECONOMIC &
SOCIOLOGY**

SOCI 251: METHODS OF SOCIAL RESEARCH I

STREAMS:

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 04/11/2021

8.30 A.M - 10.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer question one and any other two questions**

QUESTION ONE

- Evaluate any **Five** ethical issues in conducting research **(10 Marks)**
- Evaluate **four** types of nonprobability sampling **(8 Marks)**
- Classify **four** types of measurement scales using relevant examples **(12 Marks)**

QUESTION TWO

- Define Social Research **(2 Marks)**
- Discuss the process of conducting Social Research from the beginning to the end **(18 marks)**

QUESTION THREE

- Define social research exemplifying its characteristics **(5 Marks)**
- Discuss the **Five** major objectives of social research **(15 Marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

- Differentiate probability from non-probability research methods **(4 Marks)**
- Evaluate **Five** methods of probability sampling **(12 Marks)**

QUESTION FIVE

- i. Using examples differentiate research proposal from a research project report in Social Research **(4 Marks)**
 - ii. Discuss in details the content of chapter one of a research project in Social Research using relevant example of your own **(16 Marks)**
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