



**NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA  
FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES  
DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE  
2019\_2 POP EXAMINATION**

**COURSE CODE: POL 312**

**COURSE TITLE: LOGIC AND METHODS OF POLITICAL ENQUIRY**

**CREDIT UNIT: 3**

**TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS**

**INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS OF YOUR CHOICE**

- 1. Discuss the following terms and give two (2) practical examples of each of them:  
(a) Deductive Arguments (8.75marks)  
(b) Inductive arguments (8.5marks)**
  
- 2. Discuss the Normative method of Political Inquiry? (17.5marks)**
  
- 3. Distinguish between classificatory functions and the quantification functions of Concepts in Political Inquiry? (17.5marks)**
  
- 4. Highlight and discuss the importance of Generalization in Political Inquiry (17.5 marks)**
  
- 5. Explain the functions of Theory in Political Inquiry? (17.5marks)**
  
- 6. List three (3) advantages and three (3) disadvantages of the Interview method of Political Inquiry? (17.5 marks)**