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FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION
2020_2 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: PAD 868

COURSE TITLE: COMPARATIVE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

CREDIT UNITS: 3

INSTRUCTION:

- 1. Indicate your Matriculation Number clearly**
- 2. Attempt question one (1) and any other three (3) questions – four questions in all**
- 3. Question one (1) is compulsory and carries 25marks, while the other questions carry 15marks each.**
- 4. Present all your points in coherent and orderly Manner**

TIME ALLOWED: 2¹/₂ Hours

1.(a) State two definitions of Comparative Public Administration by these two scholars in the field, Nimrod Raphaeli and Robert H. Jackson. **(5 marks).**

((b) What are the major distinctions between comparative Public Administration and traditional Public Administration. **(5marks)**

(c) Explain five (5) areas that focus on comparative study of public administration can be directed at. **(15 marks)**

2. Discuss with clear illustrations the traditional approach to the study comparative Public administration and explain Five (5) major weaknesses of this model. **(15 marks)**

3. Explain five (5) basic features of African Traditional Political systems that European Colonialism came to alter and state four (4) common problems faced by these African Colonizers **(15 Marks)**

4. How did the French colonialists practise their assimilation model of administering French territories in Africa in the first and second stages of this system and how did France solve the problems associated with the system in Africa. **(15 marks)**

5. “Bureaucracy is the Fourth organ of Government” Explain this assertion in relation to the political and policy roles of bureaucracies bringing out the meaning, characteristics and roles Bureaucracy. **(15 marks)**

6. Explain three (3) areas of accountability you know and describe the five (5) types of accountability of Bureaucrats identified by Saltama (2012). What in your view are the major problems undermining bureaucratic accountability in Nigeria. **(15 marks)**