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KU-BRAEBURN DEGREE PROGRAMMES

EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF PHILOSOPHY –
TEACHER MENTORING

MTM 504: SEMINARS SERIES ON EDUCATIONAL APPROACHES AND LEARNING
PROGRAMME DELIVERY MODALITIES

DATE: THURSDAY, 11TH DECEMBER 2008

TIME: 9.30 A.M. – 12.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question 1 and any other two questions.

Question One

- (a) Explain the concept of educational approaches and apply it to three examples. (5 marks)
- (b) Explain the concept of Learning Programme Delivery Modality with three examples and explain how the concept differs from that of educational approach. (5 marks)
- (c) Explain the concept of e-learning with three examples. (5 marks)
- (d) Explain the concept of transmission with three examples. (5 marks)
- (e) Explain the difference between academic credit and academic merit. (5 marks)
- (f) Give three examples of building blocks of academic credit systems. (5 marks)

Maximum total for question 1 (30 marks)

Question Two

- (a) If you were to make the KU-Braeburn teacher education programme top quality, which three educational approaches would you insist on most? (6 marks)
- (b) Justify your three choices. (14 marks)

Maximum total for question 2 (20 marks)

Question 3

- (a) In the changing scene of learning programme delivery modalities, which two trends do you think are the most significant to the improvement of the quality of learning? (6 marks)
- (b) Justify your answer to question 3(a) (14 marks)

Maximum total for question 3 (20 marks)

Question 4

- (a) Explain the features of the Moodle e-learning system that show evidence of a social constructivist input. (10 marks)
- (b) Explain why the social constructivist input in Moodle needs to be appreciated. (10 marks)

Maximum total for question 4 (20 marks)

Question 5

- (a) In the light of newly developing learning Programme Delivery Modalities, what do you think will happen to the formal lecture in higher education? (6 marks)
- (b) Give reasons justifying the above prediction. (14 marks)

Maximum total for question 5 (20 marks)
