



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2016/2017
SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF
LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE
ISC 802: INFORMATION LITERACY

DATE: TUESDAY 10TH MAY 2017

TIME: 9.00 A.M. - 12.00 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer Question 1 and any other 2 questions

- Q.1 a) Explain any FOUR characteristics of an information literate user (8 marks)
- b) Using relevant examples, justify why information literacy is necessary for information users. (12 marks)
- c) Explain any Five information searching techniques (10 marks)
- Q.2 Discuss the potential of any FIVE information communication technologies (ICT) in information literacy delivery. (20 marks)
- Q.3 Users' information seeking behaviour is important in designing a successful information literacy programs. Discuss. (20 marks)
- Q.4 Information explosion and advancement in technology has necessitated information literacy training. Discuss. (20 marks)
- Q.5 Explain information seeking, searching, and use components in designing information literacy programs (23 marks)