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**EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF LIBRARY AND
INFORMATION SCIENCE**

MLIS 507: ICT APPLICATION INB LIBRARY & INFORMATION CENTRES

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DATE: MONDAY 19TH JULY 2010	TIME: 2.00 P.M. -5.00 P.M.
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INSTRUCTIONS

Answer any THREE questions.

1. Explain what you understand by library automation and discuss five internal and five external factors that influence library automation.
2. Discuss the five stages in system Development Life Cycle (SDLC).
3. Discuss four methods you can use for converting one library automation system to another.
4. Using five appropriate examples discuss ICT tools that are used in libraries and information centres.
5. With help of examples of five Integrated Library Management Information (ILMS) systems, explain five factors to consider in the selection and acquisition of ILMS.