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# UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

1<sup>ST</sup> SEMESTER 2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

THIRD YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE  
OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN CRIMINOLOGY AND  
SECURITY STUDIES

**CRSS 312: ETHICS IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE**

***STREAM:***

***TIME: 2 HRS***

***DAY: THURSDAY [8.30-10.30 A.M]***

***DATE: 14/12/2023***

**THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF TWO (2) PAGES**

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Instructions: Answer all questions in **SECTION A** and any **TWO** in **SECTION B**

**SECTION A (30 MARKS)**

**QUESTION ONE**

- (a) Define the terms ethics and integrity (5 Marks)
- (b) Outline advantages of evolutionary approach to ethics research (5 Marks)
- (c) Describe three recognized areas of study within ethics (10 Marks)
- (d) Examine the concept of morality (10 Marks)

**SECTION B (40 MARKS)**

**QUESTION TWO**

- (a) Ethical methods of ethics may be looked at twofold. Discuss this statement (10 Marks)
- (b) Describe the various types of dilemmas that manifest in ethics (10 Marks)

**QUESTION THREE**

- (a) Outline the various elements that aim to create an ethical culture and behavior of people within a given environment. (10 Marks)
- (b) Morality and integrity are important characteristics to demonstrate in a profession. Enumerate reasons criminal justice practitioners should be moral and integral as a principle (10 Marks)

**QUESTION FOUR**

- (a) Criminal justice careers come with a number of duties and responsibilities for which moral behaviour is mandatory. Discuss (10 Marks)
- (b) Examine values as an integral part of ethics (10 Marks)

**QUESTION FIVE**

- (a) Discuss a six steps framework that is used by criminal justice system social workers to address ethical dilemmas (10 Marks)
- (b) Discuss the ethical rationale for criminal justice practitioners proper use of their legally prescribed powers (10 Marks)

