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FACULTY OF APPLIED SOCIAL SCIENCES HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT PRINCIPLES OF TRAINING

CODE: HHRM 123

SESSIONAL EXAMINATIONS

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DURATION: 3 HOURS

EXAMINER: MR N MUCHONGWE

INSTRUCTIONS & INFORMATON

- 1. This paper contains 2 sections with 6 Questions.
- 2. Section A is compulsory.
- 3. Answer ANY three other questions from section **B**
- 4. Total marks 100
- 5. You are reminded of the need for good English and clear presentation in your answers.

SECTION A

1. Describe the following approaches to human resource development:

a) Fragmented
b) Formalized
c) Focused
(8 marks)
(8 marks)
(9 marks)

SECTION B

2. Explain the differences between the following terms as they apply to employee training and development in organisations;

TNA and training audit (4 marks) i. Pedagogical and andragogical learning. (4 marks) ii. Mentorship and coaching. iii. (4 marks) Skills inventory and skills audit. iv. (4 marks) Summative and formative evaluation. (4 marks) V. vi. Core competencies and core staff. (5 marks)

- 3. Evaluate any **five** key characteristics of a learning organization. (25 marks)
- 4. 'It's not even worth it'. Discuss this assertion in relation to investments in induction training, giving reference to an organisation of your choice.

 (25 marks)
- 5. Training evaluation is the missing link in most organisational training and development programmes in many organisations. Evaluate this assertion with reference to any organisation of your choice. (25 marks)
- 6. Discuss any **five** challenges faced by organisations that do not give sufficient attention to management and supervisory development. (25 marks)

END OF EXAMINATION