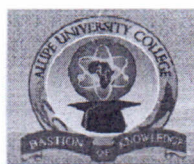


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### **2018 /2019 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER REGULAR EXAMINATION**

**FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF  
EDUCATION (ARTS)**

**COURSE CODE: REL 415E**

**COURSE TITLE: PSYCHOLOGY OF RELIGION**

**DATE: 20<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2018**

**TIME: 2.00 PM – 5.00 PM**

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### **INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES**

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**REL 415(E): PSYCHOLOGY OF RELIGION**

**STREAM: BED (Arts)**

**DURATION: 3 Hours**

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- i. *Answer Question ONE (COMPULSORY) and any other TWO questions*
- ii. *Do not write on the question paper*

**Question One**

- a) Differentiate Psychology of Religion and Psychology (5 Marks)
- b) Explain the relationship between Psychology and Religion (5Marks )
- c) What are some of the signals that show growing reconciliation between psychology and religion? List any **FIVE** of them (5Marks)
- d) Identify **FIVE** major features common to African religious traditions (5Marks)
- e) Several explanations have been put forth as to why human beings are religious. Describe any **TWO** theories of religion (10Marks)

**Question Two**

Critically, evaluate the relevance of Psychology to the study of Religion (20Marks)

**Question Three**

Discuss **FIVE** factors that have led experimental psychologists to ignore religion as a domain of human cognition (20Marks)

**Question Four**

Analyze any **FOUR** fundamental psychological issues that have been singled out as of central importance in historical, anthropological, and sociological studies of religion (20Marks)

**Question Five**

Discuss **FOUR** approaches that psychologists have used in the study of religion (20Marks)

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