



**FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, MINNA**

SCHOOL OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY

DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION AND MEDIA TECHNOLOGY

SECOND SEMESTER 2015/2016 EXAMINATION

**COURSE CODE:** MCT 321  
**COURSE TITLE:** PHOTOGRAPHY FOR MULTIMEDIA JOURNALISM  
**CREDIT UNITS:** 3  
**TIME ALLOWED:** 2 HOURS  
**COURSE LECTURER(S):** DR. JUDE T. KUR & MR. C.F. ESSIEN  
**NUMBER OF QUESTIONS:** 4  
**NUMBER OF PAGES:** 2

**INSTRUCTIONS**

- Answer all questions
- Do **not** use red pen
- Please use a clear handwriting
- This exam is closed book, closed notes, closed laptop and closed cell phone
- Please use non-programmable calculators only



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1. With clear examples, highlight any six (6) grammatical rules that should be observed in writing good photo captions in multimedia journalism.
2.
  - (a) Using the diagonal line method of photo cropping, determine the depth of a plate where the picture size is 9cm wide, 9cm deep, and the scaling width is 5 cm.
  - (b) A newspaper photo journalist took a picture of the Vice-Chancellor of Federal University of Technology, Minna. He reproduced the picture in 20cm wide and 14 cm deep. He wanted to use the mathematical method to crop the picture to fit a space of 6cm wide. How deep will the space be?
3. Despite technologies that in recent years have transformed how news photography is produced and distributed, the strength of the still image remains undiminished. Discuss this statement in respect of the five qualities of good photograph which is essential elements of good visual storytelling.
4.
  - (a) As a photojournalist, you are sent to cover event in places as diverse and dangerous as Iraq, Afghanistan, Pakistan, Gaza, Syria, Sudan etc. List and discuss 10 important items you need to carry along to ensure a successful coverage.
  - (b) Outline and discuss five types of photojournalism you know?