THE UNIVERSITY OF THE WEST INDIES

Semester I ☒   Semester II ☐   Supplemental/Summer School ☐

Examinations of December ☒ /April/May ☐ /July ☐ 2012

Originating Campus: **Cave Hill** ☐   **Mona** ☒   **St. Augustine** ☐

Mode: **On Campus** ☒   **By Distance** ☐

Course Code and Title: **LIBS3602: INFORMATION LITERACY: CONCEPT AND PROCESS**

Date: **Friday, December 21, 2012**   Time: **1:00 – 3:00 pm**

Duration: **2 Hours**   **Paper No:**

Materials required:

       Answer booklet: **Normal** ☐   **Special** ☐   **Not required** ☒

       Calculator: Programmable ☐   **Non Programmable** ☐
       (where applicable)

Multiple Choice answer sheets: numerical ☐ alphabetical ☐ 1-20 ☐ 1-100 ☐
Auxiliary/Other material(s) – Please specify:

Candidates are permitted to bring the following items to their desks:

Instructions to Candidates: This paper has 8 pages & 12 questions.

Candidates are reminded that the examiners shall take into account the proper use of the English Language in determining the mark for each response.

DO ALL QUESTIONS

1.   Identify and discuss **FIVE (5)** social **OR** educational factors that have contributed to the need for information literacy in the society.   10 marks

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2.   Provide **TWO (2)** characteristics of an information literate person and state **TWO (2)** competencies that would demonstrate these characteristics.   4 marks

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5.   Briefly explain the steps 1 and 2 of the BIG6 Information Literacy Model.   5 marks

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8.   Select a topic based on any subject area. What are the first **TWO (2)** questions you would ask from the Marland's Information Skills Model? Explain the importance of each question.   4.5 marks

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