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RESIT EXAMINATION FIRST SEMESTER 2020/2021

TITLE OF PAPER: INTRODUCTION TO MASS COMMUNICATION

COURSE CODE : JMC 105

TIME ALLOWED: TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. ANSWER QUESTION ONE (1) AND ANY OTHER TWO (2) QUESTIONS.
- 2. EACH QUESTION CARRIES 20 MARKS.
- 3. THIS PAPER CONSISTS OF TWO (2) PAGES, COVER PAGE INCLUDED.

Question 1

Compare and contrast any two models of human communication. NB. You should choose one transmission and one exchange model.

Question 2

Write brief notes on the following:

- a) Mass communication
- b) Mass media messages
- c) Feedback and noise
- d) Media reception

Question 3

Explain the effects of mass communication at the individual and societal levels.

Question 4

Identify and describe four professions of mass communication.

Question 5

Critically evaluate how the internet and new technologies have revolutionised news writing processes. Use local and global examples.