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**FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCE**

**DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

**2025\_2 EXAMINATIONS**

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COURSE CODE: FMS825

COURSE TITLE: RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

CREDIT UNIT: 3

INSTRUCTION: 1. Indicate your Matriculation Number clearly

2. Attempt question one (1) and any other two (3) questions.

Present all your points in a coherent and orderly Manner

TIME ALLOWED: 2 Hours.

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| 1a. List and discuss the major classifications of variables.                 | 10marks |
| 1b. What is Research Design?                                                 | 5marks  |
| 1c. Identify and explain the types of research known to you.                 | 10marks |
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| 2. List and discuss the three major parts of literature review.              | 15marks |
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| 3. Enumerate and discuss the different possible methods of data collections. | 15marks |
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| 4. Describe briefly the qualities of an acceptable research proposal.        | 15marks |
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| 5. Describe the term ABSTRACT. What are its major components?                | 15marks |