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ISLAMIC STUDIES
2025_2 EXAMINATIONS**

Course Code: ISL361

Course Title: Islamic Philosophy

Credit Unit: 3.0 Units

Time Allowed: 2 Hours 40 Minutes.

Instruction to candidates: Answer any four (4) questions.

1. Write a detailed biography of Ibn Tufayl. **(15minutes, 7marks)**
 - 1b. Highlight five (5) lessons from the story of Hayy as written by Ibn Tufayl. **(25minutes, 10 marks)**
2. Examine Al Ghazali's views on the following:
 - a. Logic
 - b. Metaphysics
 - c. Space & time
 - d. Causality
 - e. Soul. **(40minutes, 18marks)**
3. List the names of 8 persons with whom Al Razi had disagreements with. **(40minutes, 17marks)**
4. Write Short notes on the following:
 - a. *Qiyas*
 - b. *Ijma*
 - c. *Ijtihad* **(40minutes, 18marks)**
5. Write briefly on *Ash'arism* and enumerate six (6) of its fundamental doctrines. **(40minutes, 17marks)**