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SCHOOL	School of Economics
DEPARTMENT	Applied Information System
CAMPUS(ES)	APK
MODULE NAME	IT MANAGEMENT
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SEMESTER	Second
ASSESSMENT OPPORTUNITY,	SSAO – Supplementary Summative
MONTH AND YEAR	Assessment Opportunity January 2020

ASSESSMENT DATE	9 January 2020	SESSION	08:00 – 10:00	
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DURATION	2 hours (120 min)	TOTAL MARKS	100	

NUMBER OF PAGES OF QUESTION PAPER (Including cover page)	2	

INFORMATION/INSTRUCTIONS:

- Question papers must be handed in.
- This is a CLOSED book assessment.
- ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS
- Read the questions carefully and answer only what is asked.
- Number your answers clearly.
- Write neatly and legibly.
- Structure your answers by using appropriate headings and sub-headings.
- The general University of Johannesburg policies, procedures and rules pertaining to written assessments apply to this assessment.

 $\underline{\text{QUESTION 1}} \tag{25}$

Problems are a fact of life in all data centers. The sheer complexity of systems and diversity of services offered today all but guarantee that problems will occur.

- a. How do Problem Management and Incident Management differ? Support your answer with an example. (10)
- b. Discuss the process of Problem management. Give a practical example to support your answer. (15)

QUESTION 2 (25)

Define *Capacity planning* in **IT** systems management. Discuss *any five* (5) *major* reasons why capacity planning is seldom done very well in most infrastructures and suggest what can be done to avoid these problems. (5 marks for capacity planning definition; 4 marks for naming and discussing each reason)

QUESTION 3 (25)

The infrastructure that you manage as the IT manager is sufficient for the time being but you realise that in order for IT to play a more strategic role, the infrastructure needs to be taken to a world-class level. Create and discuss a checklist with any *ten* (10) *items* that can be used to determine whether the infrastructure is world-class.

QUESTION 4 (25)

Configuration management is the least appealing process but it is also one the most necessary processes. Name and describe in detail *any FIVE* (5) requirements/processes that can be used to improve configuration management, within the MEGA IT division that ensures high quality configuration management. (5 marks for naming and describing each requirement/process).

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