

**UNIVERSITY OF JOS  
FACULTY OF EDUCATION**

**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCE EDUCATION**

**FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION 2018/2019 ACADEMIC SESSION**

**COURSE TITLE: HISTORY AND PHILOSOPHY OF LIBRARIES**

**COURSE CODE: LIS 101**

**CREDIT UNIT: 3**

**TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS**

**INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS , NUMBER ONE(1) IS COMPULSORY**

1. With relevant examples, briefly trace the historical development of libraries from the ancient times, medieval era and the modern era.
2. Outline any five (5) reasons why we study the history and philosophy of libraries.
3. Mention any five(5) materials used for writing in the past, before the advent of the printing press
4. Briefly explain five (5) artificial disasters that affected the development of libraries in the Past.
5. Briefly explain five (5) functions of the National library.
6. State any five (5) advantages of Information and Communication Technology (ICT) to the development of libraries in the modern era.