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First Semester Examination Paper

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This examination paper consists of 2 pages

Time Allowed: 3 hours
Total Marks: 100
Special Requirements: None
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INSTRUCTIONS

1. Answer any four (4) questions
2. Each question carries 25 marks
3. Importance is attached to accuracy, clarity of expression and legible handwriting

MARK ALLOCATION

QUESTION	MARKS
1.	25
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1. Assess the purpose of library classification in relation to access to information. [25 marks]

2. Distinguish between deductive classification and inductive classification emphasizing the importance of each in a library context. [25 marks]

3. Demonstrate the function of headings in providing access to particular documents indicating the types of headings which can be used according to the Anglo-American Cataloguing Rules 2nd Edition. [25 marks]

4. Examine the developments that have taken place in cataloguing to facilitate description and access to electronic resources. [25 marks]

5. Justify, with practical examples, the suitability of the Library of Congress scheme in academic libraries. [25 marks]

6. Discuss management issues that need to be taken into consideration in the management of the technical department of a library. [25 marks]