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INTRODUCTION TO MUSEOLOGY

**PAPER CODE**  
NCIM221

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**2½ HOURS**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

1. This paper consists of **two** sections **A** and **B**.
2. Section **A** is compulsory and carries **20** marks.
3. Section **B** consists of **six** questions. Answer only **four** questions from this section.
4. All questions carry equal marks.
5. All answers to each question should begin on a fresh page.
6. **Do not** write on the question paper.
7. All answers and rough work should be done in the official answer booklet provided.
8. Read other instructions on the answer booklet.

**SECTION A - (20 MARKS)**  
**Answer all questions in this section**

**Question One**

- (a) Define **Museology**. (02 marks)
- (b) Give **two** professionals who work in a museum. (02 marks)
- (c) Define a **Museum collection**. (02 marks)
- (d) Outline **three** examples of museums in Uganda. (03 marks)
- (e) Identify **two** challenges facing museums in Uganda. (02 marks)
- (f) Examine the difference between **exhibition** and **displays**. (02 marks)
- (g) State **two** historical heritage sites found in Uganda. (02 marks)
- (h) Define **inventory** as used in Museology. (02 marks)
- (i) List **three** types of visitors to a museum. (03 marks)

**SECTION B - (80 MARKS)**  
**Answer only four questions from this section**

**Question Two**

You have been employed as a Museum Curator for the Uganda Museum;

- (a) Explain **five** roles you would perform. (10 marks)
- (b) Examine **five** challenges you are likely to face in that task. (10 marks)

**Question Three**

A Curator in Zanzibar National Museum wanted to acquire museum collections;

- (a) Explain **five** collections to be considered. (10 marks)
- (b) Examine **five** ways of performing the above task. (10 marks)

**Question Four**

- (a) Discuss **five** types of museums. (10 marks)
- (b) Identify **five** importance of museums. (10 marks)

### Question Five

You were invited to speak to students of your former school about museums, items found in the museum and how they are described.

- (a) Explain **five** ways of describing items found in the museum. (10 marks)
- (b) Discuss **five** ways of protecting the museum. (10 marks)

### Question Six

A Museologist is to display and exhibit museum collections of your country. Suppose they required your guidance;

- (a) Discuss **three** types of exhibitions you will consider. (06 marks)
- (b) Identify **five** stages of producing exhibitions in a Museum. (10 marks)
- (c) Examine **four** relevance of displays and exhibitions in a Museum. (04 marks)

### Question Seven

- (a) Describe **four** categories of museums. (10 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** importance of the museums to national development. (10 marks)

**END**