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UNIVERSITY REGULAR EXAMINATIONS 2ND SEMESTER 2012 /2013 ACADEMIC YEAR

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR EDUCATION (ARTS)

(MAIN EXAMINATION)

COURSE CODE: ENG 214

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO SEMANTICS

DATE: 22nd August, 2013 **TIME:** 2.00 pm – 5.00 pm

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

Answer question one and any other two questions

- 1. (a) Distinguish between each of the two pairs of concepts;
 - i. Semantic field and semantic feature
 - ii. Connotation and denotation
 - (b) Explain between semantics and Pragmatics
- 2. (a) Explain proposition?
 - (b)Distinguish propositional and Illocutionary meanings
- 3. Distinguish and illustrate syntagmatic and Paradigmatic relations
- 4. Explain and illustrate the concept of implicature
- 5. Briefly explain each of the following concepts
 - (i) Speech Act
 - (ii) Presupposition
 - (iii) Sense
 - (iv) Reference