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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF  
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INFORMATION SCIENCE**

**BSIS 100: INTRODUCTIN TO INFORMATION SCIENCES**

**STREAMS: BSIS**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 10/12/2019**

**8.30 AM – 10.30 AM**

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

**ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS**

**Question 1 (30 Marks)**

- (a) Explain the concept of library. [5 marks]
- (b) “Library is a growing organism”. Explain. [10 marks]
- (c) Describe five advantages of library cooperation. [10 marks]
- (d) Describe five types of patrons of an Academic Library. [5 marks]

**Question 2**

- (a) Discuss five library services offered in an academic library. [10 marks]
- (b) Explain five types of libraries found in Kenya. [10 marks]

**Question 3**

- (a) Explain six important features that constitute professional behavior. [6 marks]
- (b) Discuss seven roles played by library professional association. [14 marks]

**Question 4**

- (a) Discuss five roles played by public libraries in Kenya. [10 marks]

(b) Discuss five factors that contribute to the growth of libraries in Kenya. [10 marks]

**Question 5**

Discuss the five Ranganathan's law of a library. [20 marks]

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