

## UNIVERSITY OF EDUCATION, WINNEBA INSTITUTE FOR TEACHER EDUCATION AND CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (ITECPD)



## END-OF-SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, NOVEMBER, 2023

LEVEL 400

COURSE CODE: JBT482

COURSE TITLE: LEGAL AND SECURITY ISSUES IN ICT

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HRS

STUDENT'S INDEX NUMBER:

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## **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:**

- This paper is made up of ONE SECTION.
- The Section is made up of five essay type questions.
- Answer any THREE questions in your answer booklet.
- Each question carries equal marks. You are expected to start each question on a new page.
- You are expected to hand over your answer booklet to the invigilator before you leave the examination hall.

Instruction: Answer any three (3) questions in the answer booklet provided.

- As a trained ICT teacher posted to teach in a nearby village, discuss any five (5) ethical implications of copyright in the digital age to your colleague who is a novice in your new school.
   (20 marks)
- As an IT manager tasked with ensuring legal compliance in the company's IT practices, discuss any five (5) key legal issues related to information technology that the company needs to be aware of and address in its operations. (20 marks)
- You are a privacy consultant hired by a technology company to assess and improve its privacy policies.

Task:

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- a. Explain two (2) key aspects to consider when analyzing privacy policies, specifically focusing on the choice between opt-in and opt-out mechanisms. Compare and contrast these approaches.
   (8 marks)
- b. Provide three (3) reasons for choosing opt-in mechanism for your company.

(12 marks)

- (4) The Ghanaian society has embraced, developed and implemented a complete strategy to ensure protection from security risks and safeguard confidential data. As an ICT curriculum implementer, enumerate any five (5) essential reasons for these computer security strategies and protection against cyber threats. (20marks)
- a. Discuss how computer vulnerabilities can compromise the following five (5) system securities: reliability, confidentiality, integrity, usability, and undeniableness.
   (15 marks)
  - b. Additionally, outline preventive measures that can be implemented to enhance security in each area above.
    (5 marks)

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