

BOWEN UNIVERSITY, IWO

COLLEGE OF COMPUTING AND COMMUNICATION STUDIES

MASS COMMUNICATION PROGRAMME

2023/2024 First Semester Examination

Course Title: Foreign Correspondence

Course Code: MAS 307

Course Unit: 2 units

Duration: 2 hours

Instruction: Answer question one and any other two.

- 1. Imagine you are a correspondent responsible for reporting news from the United Kingdom for *The Guardian*. Using your prior knowledge of news reporting, develop a professionally formatted two-page story on an event or incident that will have a high global impact. (30 MKS)
- 2. "Anybody can serve as a foreign correspondent" Discuss. (20 MKS)
- 3. Discuss the major problems confronting foreign correspondents from developing nations. (20 MKS)
- 4. Write brief notes on the "BIG FIVE" international news agencies. (20 MKS
- 5. How far is it true to say that to succeed as a foreign correspondent you must be information source literate? (20 mks)