



**REFORMED CHURCH UNIVERSITY**

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**FACULTY OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**Bachelor of Science Honours Degree in Social Work**

**SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY**

**HBSW 116**

**Part 1 Semester 2 Examination**

**Total Marks [100]**

Date: December 2024

Time: 3 Hours

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

1. This paper has *five (5)* questions
2. Answer any *three (3)* questions
3. Each question carries *100 marks*
4. Start each question on a new page

1. Discuss the relevance of social psychology in social work practice. (100)
2. With the aid of examples, discuss the importance of impression formation and management. (100)
3. Evaluate the influence of peer groups in shaping human behavior. (100)
4. Discuss the assertion by Gordon Allport (1968) that “the thought, feeling and behaviour of individuals are influenced by the actual, imagined or implied presence of others” (100)
5. Analyse the causes of human aggression and how it can be controlled and prevented. (100)

**END OF PAPER**