



PAN AFRICA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY

**END OF TRIMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR
OF ARTS IN BIBLE AND THEOLOGY**

SEPTEMBER – DECEMBER 2025

CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU

DEPARTMENT: BIBLICAL AND THEOLOGICAL STUDIES

COURSE CODE: BTH2133

COURSE TITLE: WISDOM BOOKS

EXAM DATE: MONDAY 8TH DECEMBER 2025

TIME: 11:00AM-1:00PM

TIME ALLOWED: 2HRS

INSTRUCTIONS

- Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.
- This paper contains **FIVE** questions. Question **ONE** in **SECTION A** is compulsory and then choose **ANY TWO** other questions from **SECTION B**.
- Write your student number on the exam sheet provided
- *PAC University examination regulations apply.*

SECTION A: Answer ALL questions (20 MARKS)

1. Citing **TWO** literary examples, explain the significance of the structure of the book of Job for its proper interpretation.

(6
marks)

2. Using examples, describe **THREE** structural features of Hebrew poetry and their shape for the interpretation of wisdom texts.

(6
marks)

3. Using **FOUR** contextual examples, discuss the relevance of wisdom literature in the church context today.

(8
marks)

SECTION B: Answer ANY TWO questions (20 MARKS)

4. Evaluate **TWO** aspects of the portrayal of love and human relationships in Song of Songs in contributing to a biblical understanding of both divine and human love.

(10
marks)

5. Analyze **FIVE** principles from the book of Proverbs that addresses contemporary life challenges.

(10
marks)

6. Using **TWO** examples, critically evaluate the theology of retribution presented by Job's friends in the context of human suffering.

(10
marks)

7. Using **FIVE** examples from Job and selected Psalms, analyze how the wisdom books address the problem of righteous suffering.

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