

EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER: Reassessment, 2014

Module code:	LT5013
Module title:	Socio-Cultural Foundations of Sport Management
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Duration:	2 Hours

Exam type:	Seen, Closed
Materials supplied:	None
Materials permitted:	None
Warning:	Candidates are warned that possession of unauthorised materials in an examination is a serious assessment offence.

Instructions to candidates:	Candidates will be required to answer a total of two questions. Candidates MUST answer <u>one</u> question from Section A and <u>one</u> question from Section B. All questions carry equal weighting. DO NOT TURN PAGE OVER UNTIL INSTRUCTED
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SECTION A

Candidates must answer any one of the following questions from this section:

1. Assess the strengths and weaknesses of at least three different sociological theories in informing our understanding of contemporary sport.
2. Analyse the role of sport in shaping social constructions of masculinity and femininity. Use appropriate examples to justify your argument.
3. To what extent are racial inequalities reproduced through sport? Use appropriate examples to justify your argument.
4. Critically analyse the role of the media in the construction of identities and stereotypes surrounding sport. Use appropriate examples to justify your argument.
5. Critically assess the arguments that are used to oppose the practice of doping within sport. To what extent are these arguments credible?

SECTION B

Candidates must answer any one of the following questions from this section:

6. Assess the advantages and drawbacks of at least three different theories of globalisation in terms of understanding contemporary developments in global sport.
7. Critically analyse the impacts of globalisation on football's English Premier League (EPL). Use a range of appropriate examples to justify your argument.
8. Assess the claim that the international movement of athletes and coaches from one country to another is a powerful example of both the positive and negative effects of globalisation. Use appropriate examples to justify your argument.