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MBAGM 611- Charismatic Leadership for Organizational Transformation

Three (03) Hours

Answer <u>ALL</u> Questions. All questions carry equal marks

This is an Open Book Examination

- 1. Describe three most important insights that you gained from the course (MBAGM 611-Charismatic Leadership and Organizational Transformation) to your organization/unit and explain as to why you have been considered them as most important.
- 2. Discuss why leadership, especially charismatic leadership should be considered as a cultural phenomenon by citing your own experience as a leader in your current or the previous organization.
- 3. "Organizational transformation cannot be realized unless leaders approach it through structural and cultural change concurrently." Critically discuss above statement in the light of relevant theoretical/conceptual understanding that you gain from MBAGM 611- Charismatic Leadership and Organizational Transformation.
- 4. "While followers' 'voice' is important to uphold the governance in organizations, charisma is likely to mute voices of followers".
 Critically analyze the above statement.