

ESSAY QUESTION PAPER:

REASSESSMENT, 2014

Module code: BS5K55
Module title: Ethics for Science
Module leader: Alya Khan

Date: July/August 2014

Duration: 1 hour

Exam type: Seen, Closed

Materials supplied: None

Materials permitted: Prepared bibliography see below

Warning: Candidates are warned that possession of unauthorised materials in an examination is a serious assessment offence.

Instructions to candidates: You may submit a previously prepared Bibliography to the invigilator BEFORE the test begins.

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Reassessment seen-essay question:

Answer the following question in not more than 2000 words.

The time limit for writing is 1 hour.

Describe the main principles of the two normative ethical theories of deontology and utilitarianism. Compare and contrast the two theories, bringing out any problems or limitations you see in each.