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**IT4204 – IT Project Management  
PART 2 - Structured Question Paper**

20<sup>th</sup> July, 2013  
(ONE HOUR)

To be completed by the candidate

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**Important Instructions:**

- The duration of the paper is **1 (one) hour**.
- The medium of instruction and questions is English.
- This paper has **3 questions** and **8 pages**.
- **Answer all questions.** All questions **do not** carry **equal marks**.
- **Write your answers** in English using the space provided **in this question paper**.
- Do not tear off any part of this answer book.
- Under no circumstances may this book, used or unused, be removed from the Examination Hall by a candidate.
- Note that questions appear on both sides of the paper.  
If a page is not printed, please inform the supervisor immediately.

**Questions Answered**

Indicate by a cross (X), (e.g. ) the numbers of the questions answered.

To be completed by the candidate by marking a cross (X).	Question numbers		
	1	2	3
To be completed by the examiners:			



(b) Define *payback period*. How would one use it to evaluate two projects?

[4 marks]

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(c) Define *return on investment*. How would one use it to evaluate two projects?

[3 marks]

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(b) "From a buyer's perspective, the *cost plus percentage of costs (CPPC) contract* is the least desirable type of contract." Why?

[4 marks]

**ANSWER IN THIS BOX**

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