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ORGANIZATIONAL BEHAVIOR

Part 1: Introduction to Organizational Behavior

Part 2: Basic Human Processes

Part 3: The Individual in the Organization

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Essay Exam

Please answer 4 questions of the following 7 (no short answers or simple rehash of the books information will be accepted). Please develop logical essay by high-quality thoughts and arguments that concretely demonstrate your mastery of the concepts and your use of the knowledge. Note a “section/concept” of text means a few pages that **explain the entire** “section/concept” in the book definitions, examples, a case, and/or explanation by the author, your professor and your experience (life). Then once you have explained the section/concept, **give examples of how you see it at work in reality and how will you use your new knowledge in the future (in business or in life)**. Three part questions below! PLEASE ANSWER 4 of the following 7 questions: if you answer additional questions of the 7 Chapters you will get extra credit!

Part 1: Introduction to Organizational Behavior

1. Choose a section/concept of **Chapter 1: The Field of Organizational Behavior** explain how you understand the concepts you chose to discuss from the book’s chapter. Then give an (or some) example(s) of how you see the concepts at work in reality. Finally, how will you leverage your new knowledge and understanding of this concept to benefit you in the real world of business (or life)?
2. Choose a section/concept of **Chapter 2: Organizational Justice, Ethics, and Corporate Social Responsibility** explain how you understand the concepts you chose to discuss from the book’s chapter. Then give an (or some) example(s) of how you see the concepts at work in reality. Finally, how will you leverage your knowledge and understanding of this concept to benefit you in the real world of business (or life)?

Part 2: Basic Human Processes

3. Choose a section/concept of **Chapter 3: Perception and Learning: Understanding and Adapting to the Work Environment** explain how you understand the concepts you chose to discuss from the book’s chapter. Then give an (or some) example(s) of how you see the concepts at work in reality. Finally, how will you leverage your knowledge and understanding of this concept to benefit you in the real world of business (or life)?
4. Choose a section/concept of **Chapter 4: Individual Differences: Personality, Skills, and Abilities** explain how you understand the concepts you chose to discuss from the book’s chapter. Then give an (or some) example(s) of how you see the concepts at work

in reality. Finally, how will you leverage your new knowledge and understanding of this concept to benefit you in the real world of business (or life)?

5. Choose a section/concept of **Chapter 5: Coping with Organizational Life: Emotions and Stress** explain how you understand the concepts you chose to discuss from the book's chapter. Then give an (or some) example(s) of how you see the concepts at work in reality. Finally, how will you leverage your knowledge and understanding of this concept to benefit you in the real world of business (or life)?

Part 3: The Individual in the Organization

6. Choose a section/concept of **Chapter 6: Work-Related Attitudes: Prejudice, Job Satisfaction, and Organizational Commitment** explain how you understand the concepts you chose to discuss from the book's chapter. Then give an (or some) example(s) of how you see the concepts at work in reality. Finally, how will you leverage your knowledge and understanding of this concept to benefit you in the real world of business (or life)?

7. Choose a section/concept of **Chapter 7: Motivation in Organizations** explain how you understand the concepts you chose to discuss from the book's chapter. Then give an (or some) example(s) of how you see the concepts at work in reality. Finally, how will you leverage your knowledge and understanding of this concept to benefit you in the real world of business (or life)?