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<b>QUALIFICATION : BACHELOR OF ENGLISH (HONORS)</b>	
<b>QUALIFICATION CODE: 8BHEN</b>	<b>LEVEL: 8</b>
<b>COURSE CODE: CTL 821S</b>	<b>COURSE NAME: CONTRASTIVE LINGUISTICS</b>
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<b>DURATION: 3 HOURS</b>	<b>MARKS: 100</b>

<b>SECOND OPPORTUNITY EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER</b>	
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<b>INSTRUCTIONS</b>
1. Answer ALL the questions. 2. Read all the questions carefully before answering. 3. Number the answers clearly

**THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF 2 PAGES (Including this front page)**

**Question 1: Provide brief answers to the following questions.**

**[30 Marks]**

- 1.1. Identify 4 descriptive linguistic groupings of the categories of grammar. (4)
- 1.2. Selinker (1971) presents and explains five central processes of interlanguage. Name these processes. (5)
- 1.3. In relation to interlanguage, in language learning, several different processes cause learners' errors. Outline these processes. (6)
- 1.4. How does contrastive linguistics contribute to the fields of second language acquisition and translation studies? (2)
- 1.5. Write explanatory notes to clarify the goals of micro and macro linguistics (4)
- 1.6. Identify and explain the two fundamental procedures involved when contrasting two languages. (4)
- 1.7. Explain how you would use Interlanguage to solve teachers and learners' practical problems (5)

**Question 2: Provide detailed answers to the following questions.**

**[70 Marks]**

- 2.1. In contrastive analysis (CA) to compare and contrast two languages, five different steps have been mentioned in the literature. What are these procedures? Provide a brief explanation of each procedure. (10)
- 2.2. Sercombe (2000) explains that Error Analysis (EA) serves three purposes. What are the main purposes of Error Analysis? (10)
- 2.3. Despite the benefits of Error Analysis (EA), EA analysts have been criticised. Write a paragraph explaining the limitations of EA. Whenever applicable, provide practical examples from the Namibian context? (20)
- 2.4. Write a comparative essay comparing and contrasting interlanguage (IL), contrastive analysis (CA) and error analysis (EA) and provide practical examples from the Namibian context. (30)

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