



COLLEGE OF BUSINESS, PEACE, LEADERSHIP AND GOVERNANCE

MONEY AND BANKING: MAC207

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

JANUARY/MAY 2020

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DURATION:(3 HRS)

INSTRUCTIONS

- The paper contains only two (2) questions
 - Answer only **ONE (1)** question
 - The duration is 3hrs but you have 48hrs to download and upload the exam
 - We are very interested in your own thoughts and writing in response to the questions in the exam.
 - Africa University will check all submitted final exams for plagiarism, excessive referencing and for exams which are identical or in which evidence of copying is apparent. Failing to acknowledge and cite other people's work or ideas, close paraphrasing, using passages verbatim without referencing, extreme referencing (without any original work done by the student), and copying other students' work is considered academic dishonesty by AU
 - Accordingly, responses to the questions in the final exam should be original.
 - Final exams which have been reported with apparent plagiarism/copying will be returned without being marked, resulting in failure to pass the exam.
 - AU CBPLG recommends that students use appropriate citation styles, for example:
 - APA style: www.apastyle.org and <http://www.apastyle.org/learn/quick-guide-on-references.aspx>
- and include a reference list** at the end of the final exam containing the necessary information for the grader to identify the sources cited.

The 2010 Harvard Referencing Guide defines plagiarism in the following manner:
“Plagiarism”

10.7.1 Plagiarism is the submission of an item of assessment containing elements of work produced by another person(s) in such a way that it could be assumed to be the student's own work.

Examples of plagiarism are:

- the verbatim copying of another person's work without acknowledgement
- the close paraphrasing of another person's work by simply changing a few words or altering the order of presentation without acknowledgement
- the unacknowledged quotation of phrases from another person's work and/or the presentation of another person's idea(s) as one's own.

10.7.2 Copying or close paraphrasing with occasional acknowledgement of the source may also be deemed to be plagiarism if the absence of quotation marks implies that the phraseology is the student's own.

10.7.3 Plagiarized work may belong to another student or be from a published source such as a book, report, journal or material available on the internet."

Question 1

- a) With reference to a **SPECIFIC CRYPTOCURRENCY**, can you discuss its revolutionary transactional and monetary properties taking into account its performance in terms of valuations during this semester?

[60 Marks]

- b) Discuss how the currency has been affected by the COVID19 pandemic and its responses?

[40 Marks]

Total 100 Marks

Question 2

"The coinage throughout the centuries has also provided great insight into the economic history of humankind. The coinage itself has left behind a detailed record of man's accomplishments as well as his trials and tribulations. There is no better record of inflation than that provided by the monetary history of the world and its legacy continues into modern time."

With references to a specific country, can you discuss how its coinage through the ages has illuminated not merely the past, but continues to provide the footpath to the future?

[100 Marks]

End of Exam
