

COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES, THEOLOGY, HUMANITIES AND EDUCATION

HSA307 SOCIOLOGY OF DEVELOPMENT END OF SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

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DURATION: 3HRS

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- 1. Do NOT write your name on the answer sheet
- 2. Answer THREE questions only
- 3. Begin your answer for each question on a new page
- 4. Each question is worth 20 marks

- Giving examples, explain why it is important to employ a gender perspective in development.
- Evaluate the assertion that participation in development is a panacea for the failures of the liberal theories of development.
- Globalisation is important not because it creates gendered patterns/norms of consumption but because it changes how these patterns and norms are formed.
- 4. Dependency theory challenged traditional approaches to the study of development and developing countries. Today, however, many critics charge that dependency theory is out of date and fails to effectively explain contemporary economic and social conditions in the developing world. Do you agree or disagree with this critique?
- 5. What were the main reasons for the failure of the land reform programme in Zimbabwe?
- Provide an analysis of how religion and political social structures in Africa are influencing individual behaviour with reference to Giddens' structuration perspective.
- Determine the extent to which the new trend of migration has affected the rural and urban household structure.

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