



Investing in Africa's Future

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT SCIENCES

PAM: 1202 ADMINISTRATIVE PRINCIPLES AND ETHICS

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

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INSTRUCTIONS

Answer **four** questions

Section A is compulsory.

Choose any **three** questions in **Section B**

Write legibly.

Credit is given to application of theory and practice

Section A compulsory

1. Answer the following questions:
 - a. Briefly explain ethics in public administration. [**5marks**]
 - b. Explain any **three** key administrative principles in the public sector. [**15 marks**]
 - c. Examine the effectiveness of codes of conduct in promoting ethical behaviour in the public sector.[**20 marks**]

Section B: Answer any 3 questions.

2. Assess the effectiveness of the principle of separation of powers in African public administration. [**20marks**]
3. Discuss with examples the application of transparency and accountability mechanisms in public sector departments. . [**20marks**]
4. Critically evaluate the role of any **one** of the following institutions in upholding ethical conduct in the public sector:
 - (a) Anti-Corruption Commissions
 - (b) Comptroller and Auditor-General
 - (c) Office of the Public Protector
5. Evaluate the role of whistleblowing in promoting ethical governance in African public institutions. [**20marks**]

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