



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

University Examinations 2017/2018

SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

**FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR
BACHELOR OF (ARTS GENDER & DEVELOPMENT**

AGD 101: EVOLUTION OF GENDER & DEVELOPMENT)

DATE: 6/12/2017

TIME: 8:30 – 10:30 AM

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer Question One and any other Two Questions

QUESTION ONE – COMPULSORY

- (a) Explain the following concepts
- (i) Gender needs (3 marks)
 - (ii) Globalization (3 marks)
 - (iii) Feminism (3 marks)
 - (iv) Gender Schema theory (3 marks)
 - (v) Gender Biological & Physiological features (3 marks)
- (b) Examine the Mexico Declaration of 1975 on the equality of women and their contribution to development and peace. (8 marks)
- (c) Identify Piaget's stages of cognitive development and development gender roles. (7 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- (a) Discuss the 'Three Waves' in the history of Feminism Movements in the nineteenth and early twentieth century in the United Kingdom (UK) and United States (US). (14 marks)
- (b) Indicate three ways in which Gender and Development is reflected in a cultural setting. (6 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- (a) Explain the historical perspectives and rationale for women in Development (WID). (15 marks)
- (b) Indicate five issues affecting women that were highlighted during the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action 1995. (5 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

Critically analyse by citing relevant examples gender issues outlined in the current constitution of Kenya in reference to social, economic and political fronts. (20 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- (a) Discuss Gender theories under the following;
- (i) Cognitive approach (6 marks)
 - (ii) Socialization theory (6 marks)
- (b) Describe five social factors that reinforce or decrease gender based disparities. (8 marks)