

MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

University Examinations 2018/2019

SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

BACHELOR OF ARTS

ARE 410: WOMEN IN RELIGION AND CULTURE IN AFRICA

DATE: 9/5/2019

TIME: 8.30-10.30 AM

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer Question One and any other Two Questions

1.
 - a) Discuss African religion understanding of God's gender (10 marks)
 - b) Examine the achievements of feminist scholarship. (10 marks)
 - c) Explain the factors that have influenced the role of women in religion (10 marks)
2.
 - a) Analyze the forms of violence against women in Africa (10 marks)
 - b) Discuss the impact of violence against women in religion in Africa (10 marks)
3.
 - a) Describe the position of women before the coming of the Islam to Africa (10 marks)
 - b) Analyze the Qur'an teachings on women (10 marks)
4.
 - a) Evaluate how marriage places women into secondary position in Africa (10 marks)
 - b) Explain why some churches do not ordain women into priesthood (10 marks)
5. Discuss the role played by women in the Bible (20 marks)