



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

University Examinations for 2022/2023 Academic Year

SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

**THIRD YEAR SECOND SEMESTER MAIN EXAMINATION FOR
BACHELOR OF ARTS (GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES)
AGD 307: GENDER DIMENSIONS IN COMMUNITY MOBILIZATION AND
DEVELOPMENT**

DATE: 13/4/2023

TIME: 11:00 – 1:00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer QUESTION ONE and any other TWO QUESTIONS.

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Describe any **THREE** aspects of community mobilization process. (6 marks)
- b) (i) Define the term community development. (2 marks)
(ii) Describe the origin of community development. (8 marks)
- c) Elaborate on any **THREE** aspects of local communities that should be harnessed in development processes. (6 marks)
- d) Analyze any **FOUR** gender issues arising from community development processes in Kenya. (8 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) Discuss any **FIVE** principles of community development. (10 marks)
- b) Using relevant local examples, elaborate on any model of community development experienced in our urban centres. (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) Explain any **FIVE** challenges that are likely to be encountered in community mobilization. (10 marks)
- b) Identify **FIVE** components of community development along with examples of government of Kenya programmes aligned to each component. (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) Describe any **FIVE** activities performed at the project initiation phase while showing their importance to the project processes. (10 marks)
- b) Discuss any **FIVE** barriers to effective communication in community development processes. (10 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

Describe the community development process.