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DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF ARTS (GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT)

AGD 407: GENDER, CONFLICT MANAGEMENT AND PEACEBUILDING

DATE: 30/4/2019

TIME: 8.30-10.30 AM

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer Question One and any other Two Questions

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Define the following terms. (6 marks)
 - i. Gender based violence
 - ii. Gender sensitive
 - iii. Conflict analysis
 - iv. Conflict curve
 - v. Capacity building
 - vi. Peacebuilding
- b) Explain the causes of armed conflict. (6 marks)
- c) With respect to protracted social conflict theory, illustrate how the preconditions to violent conflict give rise to protracted social conflict. (6 marks)
- d) Describe the key features of gender sensitive conflict analysis. (6 marks)
- e) List six international laws and conventions that protect women's human rights. (6 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) Although men are most often the perpetrators of rape and violence in armed conflict and women the victims, men themselves may also be subject to physical and sexual abuse. Discuss. (10 marks)
- b) Using relevant examples discuss the challenges experienced in peacebuilding in post-conflict areas. (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) During war, women suffer more than men. Discuss. (10 marks)
- b) Using a labelled diagram, explain the different phases of conflict and show how they relate to one another. (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) Inequality is a potential source of conflict. Discuss. (5 marks)
- b) List the full five sub-regional organizations that collaborate with African Union to promote peace and stability in Africa. (5 marks)
- c) Examine the best practices for increasing women's participation in peacebuilding. (10 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- a) Outline five critical areas of concern identified in the Beijing Platform for Action of 1995. (5 marks)
- b) Describe the following methods of conflict resolution. (6 marks)
 - i. Mediation
 - ii. Arbitration
 - iii. Negotiation
- c) Describe the role of Government in conflict management and peacebuilding. (9 marks)