



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

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

AGD 100: INTRODUCTION TO GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT

DATE: 5/12/2017

TIME: 8:30 – 10:30 AM

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer Question One and Any other Two Questions

QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY)

- (a) Examine the relationship between gender roles and sex roles. (6 marks)
- (b) Define the following concepts
 - (i) Gender Equality (2 marks)
 - (ii) Transgender (2 marks)
 - (iii) Gender Division of Labour (2 marks)
 - (iv) Development (2 marks)
 - (v) Social Construct (2 marks)
- (c) Discuss gender concerns in Health (7 marks)
- (d) Assess the rationale for gender mainstreaming. (7 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- (a) Explain the general manifestations of gender inequalities. (15 marks)
- (b) Identify the goals of Gender Equity (5 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- (a) Citing relevant examples, describe women issues in leadership and politics and challenges they face. (12 marks)
- (b) Citing examples from a specific culture, indicate the roles of men and women. (8 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- (a) Analyse the gender concerns in education, indicating challenges and gaps on girls;
- (i) Enrolment (5 marks)
 - (ii) Performance (5 marks)
 - (iii) Transition (5 marks)
- (b) Identify five recommendations considered to overcome obstacles to gender participation in leadership and politics. (5 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

Critically analyse the role of modernization (Western Style cultures) in influencing changes in gender roles and stereotypes.