

## MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS FOR 2019/2020 ACADEMIC YEAR

# EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INFORMATION SCIENCES THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION (REGULAR)

SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND INFORMATION SCIENCE

**COURSE CODE: INS 3120** 

COURSE TITLE: MARKETING OF RECORDS AND ARCHIVES SERVICES

**DATE: 3<sup>RD</sup> DECEMBER, 2019** TIME: 0830-1030

### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Question one in section "A" is compulsory. Answer any other two from section "B" Illustrate your answers where necessary.

### **SECTION "A"**

### (Total 30 MARKS)

### **Question: 1**

- a) Explain the following archives and records marketing concepts: archives, records, information, Advocacy and marketing (5 marks)
- **b)** What is the relationship between suppliers and customers in marketing? (4 marks)
- c) Explain different kinds of archives and records marketing services (4 marks)
- **d)** Critically explain four components of marketing processes if applied they can enhance customers' value satisfaction (4marks)
- **e)** Why is marketing important in provision of archival services? *(4marks)*
- f) What are the four activities, or components, of marketing processes? (4marks)
- **g)** Explain the difference between an archive and a record center (4marks)

## SECTION "B": ANSWER ANY TWO (2) QUESTIONS FROM THIS SECTION

### **OUESTIONS**

- 2. a) Explain how archivists manage current and retrospective archival resources (10 marks)
- b) Explain different archival services programs which informs the public about archives holdings and reference awareness services about the value of archival repositories (10 marks)
- 3. **a**) Distinguish between Internal versus External Marketing of archival services (5 marks)
- b) Explain the barriers that hamper archival marketing strategies(5marks)
- c) "Marketing is indeed a mix of persuasion". Explain some of the marketing strategies that can enhance archival marketing strategies (5 marks)

- d) Discus the role of records and archives as a crucial source of information in archival marketing (5 marks)
- 4. Marketing is indeed a mix of persuasion, critically explain the role of IT in enhancement of managing, dissemination, sharing and access of the archival intellectual properties (20marks)