

### MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

# REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER

## SCHOOL OF ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES BACHELOR OF COMMUNICATION & JOURNALISM

COURSE CODE: CMJ 4106
COURSE TITLE: TELEVISION DIRECTING

**DATE:**13<sup>TH</sup> **DECEMBER, 2022** TIME: 1430-1630

**INSTRUCTION:** 

ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO

### Section A

1. Define TV directing and briefly explain the two core contradictions that pull it in opposite directions (5 marks)

2. Sharon wants to be a TV director; advise her on what it should take to be one . 5 Marks

And explain the three basic responsibilities of directors (5 marks)

- 3."A director must read the script many times, with the first three times being the most important in understanding the text." explain the above statement with three main reasons for reading (5 marks).
- 4. state and briefly explain the three basic rules in camera motivation.

(5 marks)

**5.** Directors use different shots to plan, discuss, and describe specific images that are determined for any project (10 marks)

#### **Section B**

- **1.** In TV directing understanding your actors is very important .support this statement with, at the same time, explaining the three levels actors operate on as it relates to acting for the screen. **(20 marks)**
- 2. "Directors look for five basic clues (as well as others) to help them understand the text and the characters. The clues are in the structure of the dialogue; a skilled director links all of those clues together to help tell the story." State and explain the five basic clues referred to in this statement

(20 marks)

- 3. Explain the statements below as used in TV/film directing
  - a) "Actors Are Vulnerable."
  - b) "Actors Are Like Children"
  - c) "Actors Are Like Children"
  - d) "Actors Have a Syntax"

(20 Marks)

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