

MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

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

SCHOOL OF ARTS, HUMANITIES SOCIAL SCIENCES & CREATIVE INDUSTRIES BACHELOR OF ARTS IN LITERATURE, CULTURE, AND FILM

COURSE CODE: LIT 3126-1
COURSE TITLE: THEORETICAL PERSPECTIVES IN
THEATRE

DATE: 8TH DECEMBER, 2022 TIME: 1430-1630

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Question One is Compulsory
- Answer Any Other TWO

This paper consists of 2 printed pages. Please turn over.

1. With close reference to Sophocle's *Oedipus Rex*, discuss any THREE basic concepts in Aristotle's theory of theatre.

(20 Marks)

2. "Stanislavsky's and Meyerhold's perspective of theatre are basically similar." To what extent is this true?

(15 Marks)

- 3. Discuss any THREE basic concepts in Bertolt Brecht's theory of theatre. (15 Marks)
- 4. Examine the relevance of Augusto Boal's theatre of the oppressed. (15 Marks)
- 5. Discuss Ngugi Wa Thiong'o's perspective of African Theatre. (15 Marks)

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