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SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES
BACHELOR OF ARTS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

COURSE CODE: CMD 2213

COURSE TITLE: INSTITUTIONAL STRUCTURE AND POLICY FRAMEWORK FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

DATE: 26TH APRIL 2018   TIME: 1100 – 1300HRS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question **ONE** and any other **TWO** questions

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Q1 a) Policy framework should ensure that the policies of development should be based on clear understanding on the values of the communities and their commitment by utilizing strategic approaches. Discuss these strategic approaches to policy development **(15 marks)**

b) Discuss the advantages and expectations of a policy framework in community development **(15 marks)**

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS

Q2. Community planning is linked to community development but it faces many challenges. Using examples, discuss how a strong and robust community planning process can be used to deal with some of these challenges **(20 marks)**

Q3. With reference to the Sessional Paper No. 1 of 2006 of Non Governmental Organizations (NGOs)

a) Discuss any five core values and principles of the NGOs policy **(10 marks)**

b) Discuss the characteristics of NGOs in Kenya **(10 marks)**

Q4. a) Discuss any five weaknesses of the policy formulation process in Kenya **(10 marks)**

b) Discuss the role of the community in policy framework formulation of community projects **(10 marks)**

Q5. a) Until recently, the importance of gender roles and relationships in community development in most developing countries was not addressed in national development planning and strategies. Using examples discuss the reasons for this social gap **(10 marks)**

b) Using examples discuss how a nation can improve the participation of women in development **(10 marks)**

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