



MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

**REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS
2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR
FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER**

**SCHOOL OF ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES
BACHELOR OF ARTS IN CRIMINOLOGY AND
PENOLOGY**

COURSE CODE: SAS 402

**COURSE TITLE: DISASTER AND CONFLICT
MANAGEMENT**

DATE: 25TH APRIL, 2019

TIME: 1100 - 1300HRS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Questions **ONE** and any other **TWO**.

QUESTION ONE

a) Explain the following terms as used in disaster and conflict management.

- I. Disaster vulnerability **(1mk)**
- II. Hazard **(1mk)**
- III. Disaster mitigation **(1mk)**
- IV. Conflict resolution **(1mk)**
- V. Structural conflict **(1mk)**

b) Using examples outline two major classes of disasters **(4mks)**

c) Describe the term vulnerability to disasters and elucidate factors responsible in perpetuating vulnerability to disasters **(5mks)**

d) Identify any two models as applied in disaster management **(6mks)**

e) Describe how disasters have influenced economic development in Africa today **(10mks)**

QUESTION TWO

a) Highlight five weaknesses of the current Disaster Management System in Kenya **(10mks)**

b) Outline the role of government in disaster management **(10mks)**

QUESTION THREE

a) Give a brief outline of the structural theory's understanding of the resource conflict in a society and contextualize its relevance in the understanding of insecurity in various regions of Kenya **(10 mks)**

b) Conflict analysis is the key to proper understanding of a conflict context and action" Discuss the key elements in a conflict analysis and show the relevance of understanding these elements in dealing with insecurity in various parts of Kenya **(10 mks)**

QUESTION FOUR

a) Discuss ways through which conflicts between agricultural and pastoralist communities in Kenya can be managed **(6mks)**

b) Differentiate between conflict resolution and conflict management **(4mks)**

c) Analyse five effects of armed conflicts in Africa **(10mks)**

QUESTION FIVE

a) Explain five typical disaster response activities that can be undertaken in an event of a major earthquake **(10mks)**

b) Explain five ways through which man-made disasters can be prevented **(10 mks)**

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