



# **MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY**

**REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS  
2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR  
FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER**

**SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES  
DIPLOMA IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

**COURSE CODE: DCD 202**

**COURSE TITLE : SOCIOLOGY OF URBAN LIFE**

**DATE: 28<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2019**

**TIME: 1100 - 1300HRS**

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## **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- *Answer question ONE (compulsory) and any other THREE questions.*
- *Question one carries 25 marks*
- *All other questions carry 15 marks*

**Question One**

- a) Give a historical analysis on how urban centers emerged in developing countries. **(10 Marks)**
- b) Discuss the characteristics of urban centers. **(15Marks)**

**Question Two**

Write short notes on the following terms:

- a) Urbanization
- b) Urban environment
- c) Rural-urban migration **(15 Marks)**

**Question Three**

Explain the causes and effects of rapid urbanization in Kenya. **(15 Marks)**

**Question Four**

Discuss how the following scholars have contributed to theorizing urbanism. **(15 Marks)**

**Question Five**

Discuss the various measures that can be adopted to solve urban problems in Kenya. **(15 Marks)**

**Question Six**

Discuss the changing roles of urban centers in the world. **(15 Marks)**

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