



# **MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY**

**REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS FOR  
2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR  
FOURTH YEAR SEMESTER TWO**

**SCHOOL OF ARTS, HUMANITIES, SOCIAL  
STUDIES AND CREATIVE INDUSTRIES**

**BACHELOR OF ARTS IN POLITICAL SCIENCE  
AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION**

**COURSE CODE: PSA 4254-1**

**COURSE TITLE: THE POLITICS OF  
ENVIRONMENT AND DEVELOPMENT**

**DATE: 22/4/2024**

**TIME: 1430-1630 HRS**

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

- a. Do not write anything on the question paper.
- b. Answer **QUESTION ONE** and any other **TWO** questions from those given.
- c. Rough work can be done on the answer booklet and crossed through.

## **SECTION A: COMPULSORY**

### **QUESTION ONE**

- a) Using any **TWO** environmental regimes of your choice, assess their efficacy in terms of environmental conservation and protection.

**[10 Marks]**

- b) Examine the relationship between socio-economic and political development and environmental sustainability in advanced democracies citing examples.

**[10 Marks]**

## **SECTION B: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS**

### **QUESTION TWO**

The entire environmental policy making process involves the roles played by both official and non-official entities. Discuss the roles of these actors using relevant examples.

**[15 Marks]**

### **QUESTION THREE**

- a) Discuss the tenets of administrative fragmentation as an obstacle to change in environmental protection and conservation

**[7 Marks]**

- b) Examine how corporate entities and producers weaken environmental conservation efforts in most developing democracies.

**[8 Marks]**

### **QUESTION FOUR**

Using relevant examples examine the strategies geared towards ecological modernization in developed democracies.

**[15 Marks]**

### **QUESTION FIVE**

- a) Discuss the important activities involved in agenda setting as a stage in environmental policy making process.

**[6 Marks]**

- b) Outline and explain the sections and subsection of an environmental policy paper entitled; **Rehabilitation of Dandora dumpsite in Nairobi.**

**[9 Marks]**

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