



GARISSA UNIVERSITY

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION 2017/2018 ACADEMIC YEAR ONE
FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION**

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

COURSE CODE: IRD 103

COURSE TITLE: DEVELOPMENT CONCEPTS AND APPLICATION

EXAMINATION DURATION: 3 HOURS

DATE: 01/09/17

TIME: 2.00-5.00 PM

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

- The examination has SIX (6) questions
- Question ONE (1) is COMPULSORY
- Choose any other THREE (3) questions from the remaining FIVE (5) questions
- Use sketch diagrams to illustrate your answer whenever necessary
- Do not carry mobile phones or any other written materials in examination room
- Do not write on this paper

This paper consists of TWO (2) printed pages

please turn over



QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY)

- (a) Out line at least three values of development [3 marks]
- (b) Describe any three major objectives of development [3 marks]
- (c) Distinguish between economic growth and economic development [4 marks]
- (d) Write short notes on;
 - i. Transition society [2 marks]
 - ii. Dualism [2 marks]
 - iii. Demonstration effect [2 marks]
- (e) Critique the following concepts
 - i. GDP [3 marks]
 - ii. GNP [3 marks]
- (f) Describe any three non economic factors which can boost development [3 marks]

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Identify ant three development agencies and discuss their role in development [9 marks]
- (b) Describe the need of management agencies in economic development [6 marks]

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Assuming that you are in the team of Kenya's national planning commission, discuss at least five strategies you may wish to use for sustainable national development. [10 marks]
- (b) Outline any five challenges you may encounter while implementing sustainable development agenda [5 marks]

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) State and explain three similarities between economic growth and economic development [6 marks]
- (b) Describe any six factors that can be employed to fast tract economic growth [9 marks]

QUESTION FIVE

- (a) Discuss the indicators of social development as outlined in Kenya's vision 2030 [9 marks]
- (b) Outline any six features of political development [6 marks]

QUESTION SIX

- (a) Write short notes on the limitation of the linear theories of development [6 marks]
- (b) Critique the two sector surplus labor model [9 marks]

