



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

University Examinations for 2019/2020 Academic Year

SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

BACHELOR OF ARTS

AHT 421 AGRICULTURAL HISTORY OF KENYA SINCE 1900

DATE: 29/11/2019

TIME: 8.30-10.30 AM

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer QUESTION ONE and any other TWO QUESTIONS

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Analyze economic theories that explain agricultural change in Kenya since 1900 (15 marks)
- b) Discuss transformation in peasant farming in Kenya since 1920 (15 marks)
- c) Assess the impact of globalization on agriculture in Kenya at the turn of the 21st century A.D.

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

Examine the evolution of European settler plantation agricultural economy in colonial Kenya

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

Discuss labor organization and management in Kenya's formal colonial economy and show its effects on production in African indigenous economies.

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

Assess state policies and legislation on agriculture in the period 1964-1978 and demonstrate its impact on food production in the country

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

Discuss structural adjustment programs and their impacts on agriculture in Kenya in the period 1980-2000