MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

University Examinations for 2019/2020 Academic Year

SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF FASHION DESIGN AND MARKETING

FOURTH YEAR SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNITY RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

HCR 413: COMMUNITY BASED ORGANIZATIONS

DATE: 18/01/2020   **TIME: 2.00-4.00 PM**

INSTRUCTIONS:

This paper consists of five questions
Answer question 1 and any other two questions
Question 1 Carries 30 marks
Question 2-5 carry 20 Marks each

QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) (30 MARKS)

a)   State five (5) reasons that led to the emergence of community-based organizations (CBOs) in Kenya.   (5 marks)

b)   Highlight five (5) benefits of community-based organizations (CBOs) to the locals.

(5 marks)

c)   Citing relevant illustrations, evaluate five (5) benefits of diversity of communities at both local and national levels.   (10 marks)

d)   Describe five (5) characteristics of community base organizations both locally and internationally   (5 marks)

e)   Describe the concept and scope of community based organizations in Kenya   (5 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

a)   Analyse FIVE (5) benefits of using the Neighbourhood or geographic information systems (NIS or GIS) technologies in CBOs.   (10 marks)

b)   With relevant illustrations, evaluate five (5) types of community base organizations

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QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

a)   Explain in detail five (5) benefits of networking for community based organizations

                                                                                      (10 marks)

b)   Discuss FIVE (5) contributing factors of community based organizations to development

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QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

a)   Citing examples, discuss five (5) major roles of public and private sectors in community development   (10 marks)

b)   "Diversity means understanding that each individual is unique, and recognizing our individual differences", Discuss five (5) major practices that encase diversity.   (10 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

a)   Discuss three (3) common organizational structures that push for sustainability of CBOs, giving relevant examples   (12 marks)

b)   Analyse four (4) challenges faced by communities in adopting community information control systems   (8 marks)