



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

University Examinations for 2019/2020 Academic Year

SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

THIRD YEAR SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF ARTS

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

AHT 318: GENDER RELATIONS IN AFRICA

DATE: 22/1/2021

TIME: 8.30-10.30 AM

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer QUESTION ONE and any other TWO QUESTIONS

1. a) differentiate between:
 - i. women studies and women history (5 marks)
 - ii. gender and sex (5 marks)
- b) Explain different approaches used to study women history (10 marks)
- c) Examine gender relations in the pre-colonial African family (10 marks)

2. Analyse the methods used by the colonialist to access African labour (20 marks)

3. Using the shona as a case study, discuss how an African family was both a unit of production and consumption (20 marks)

4. "Education in colonial Africa was gendered" discuss the statement giving specific examples (20 marks)

5. Examine how colonialism challenged masculinity in colonial Africa (20 marks)