



# **MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY**

**University Examinations for 2020/2021 Academic Year**

**SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR**

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (TELECOMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION  
TECHNOLOGY)**

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM MANAGEMENT)**

**BACHELOR OF ARTS (PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION)**

**BACHELOR OF ECONOMICS AND STATISTICS**

**BACHELOR OF ECONOMICS AND FINANCE**

**BACHELOR OF ECONOMICS**

**UCU 106: ETHICS, CITIZENSHIP AND DIVERSITY**

**DATE: 15/6/2021**

**TIME: 2:00 – 4:00 PM**

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**INSTRUCTIONS: Answer QUESTION ONE and any other TWO QUESTIONS.**

## **QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) (30 MARKS)**

a) Define the following terms

- i) Government (2 marks)
- ii) Constitution (2 marks)
- iii) Diversity (2 marks)
- iv) Citizenship (2 marks)
- v) State (2 marks)

b) Highlight the significance of citizens' participation in governance (5 marks)

c) Explain the cost of corruption to society (10 marks)

d) Outline five ethical virtues for public servants (5 marks)

## **QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)**

- a) Define human rights (2 marks)
- b) Explain the nature of human rights (8 marks)
- c) Discuss the generations of human rights in the Bill of rights (Chapter 4) of the Kenyan constitution. (10 marks)

## **QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)**

- a) Ethnic mobilization has been one of the main sources of conflict in Sub Saharan Africa. Discuss giving relevant examples (10 marks)
- b) Examine the nature of citizenship (6 marks)
- c) Explain in reference to Chapter 3 of the Kenyan constitution, two ways one acquires and retains Kenyan citizenship (4 marks)

## **QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)**

- a) Discuss Marxist theory in relation to state formation in Kenya (10 marks)
- b) Citing relevant examples, demonstrate how human diversity has been misused in Kenya (10 marks)

## **QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)**

- a) Critically discuss the challenges to Africa's democratization process using any African country of your choice (10 marks)
- b) Analyze the shortcomings of the presidential system of government in Africa (5 marks)
- c) State four ways in which the National Accord and Reconciliation, Act 2008 affected the sentimentality position of the Government of Kenya (4 marks)
- d) Indicate the date when BBI bill was voted for in the Kenyan senate (1 mark)