

## JARAMOGI OGINGA UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS MASTERS OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

TIME: 3.00 HOURS

## **UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION**

## **KISUMU CAMPUS**

**COURSE CODE: MBA 806** 

**ACADEMIC YEAR OF STUDY: 2022/2023** 

COURSE TITLE: MANAGEMENT PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICE

DATE:23/12/2022 SESSION: 9.00-12.00NOON

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. Answer ANY FOUR Questions
- 2. Candidates are advised not to write on the Question paper
- 3. Candidates must hand in their answer booklets to the invigilator while in the examination room

- Q1 a) Discuss your understanding of "Management" as part of principles and practices of Management 8 Marks
  - b) Explain the qualities of an effective control systems-7 Marks
- 2 a) Describe ways of classifying managers -5 marks
- b) Expound on the four roles of management showing hoe each step complements the next.

  10 Marks
- **3 a)** Describe the process of team formation in organizations elaborating of drivers of team formation- 6 marks
- b) How can management optimize the potential of organizational teams 9 Marks
- **Q4 a)** Explain the roles of communication in organization management "Business reengineering is the cutting edge in contemporary management demonstrate areas of management process where reengineering would add competitive advantage-9 Marks
- b) Compare role expectations of leaders as compared to managers -6 Marks
- Q5a) Discuss your views on organizational conflicts 4 marks
- b) Identify issues which are likely to instigate conflicts which between managers and employees- 6Marks?
- c)How could organization management optimize these to improve performance-5 Marks
- Q6 a) General opinion of managers argue that Management by objectives is cost efficient in resources optimization, suggest three short comings of this management practice in a fast changing business environment -5 marks
- b) Communication skills is among basic requirements for management positions in organizations, discuss the role of business communication for competitiveness in common market- 10 Marks