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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN
SPATIAL PLANNING
SEMESTER 2016/2017 ACADEMIC YEAR

CENTRE: MAIN CAMPUS

COURSE CODE: PSP 3121

COURSE TITLE: PLANNING THEORY

EXAM VENUE:

STREAM: SPATIAL PLANNING

DATE:

EXAM SESSION:

TIME: 2 HOURS

Instructions:

- 1. Answer question 1 (compulsory) and ANY other 2 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.**

1. Discuss the following concepts in urban planning.
 - i) Garden city (15 marks)
 - ii) New towns in urban planning theory (15 marks)

2. One of the theories explaining the emergence of towns is the central place theory. Critically examine its origin, development, assumptions and relevance towards urban planning. (20 marks)

3. Discuss the significance of concentric zone model in action planning. (20 marks)

4.
 - i) Explain the meaning of advocacy planning. (10 marks)
 - ii) Discuss the steps involved in community rural – urban development planning. (10 marks)

5. Explain the relevance of the following theories in city planning.
 - i. Decision Theory (10 marks)
 - ii. Social Action Theory (10 marks)