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Kisii learning Center UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS MAY/AUGUST 2014

ABA 421: INSURANCE RISK MANAGEMENT. DURATION 2HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: QUESTION ONE COMPULSORY AND ANSWER ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS IN THIS PAPER.

QUESTION ONE (30 Marks)

a) Discuss the essentials of risk management

(8marks)

b) Explain the importance of risk perception among investors in business enterprises

(8 marks) (4marks)

- c) Discuss the difference between speculative risk and pure risk
- d) Discuss the key steps that are followed when executing in the risk management process (10marks)

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QUESTION TWO (20 Marks)

- i) Discuss the principles of risk management in business organization (10 marks)
- ii) Briefly explain the strategies of insurance risk management (10marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 Marks)

- a) Financial institutions prefer crime insurance than regular property insurance. Discuss this statement using relevant examples. (10marks)
- b) Discuss the business aspects highlighted on matters relating to alternate risk management Solvency I and Solvency II (10marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 Marks)

- a) Insurance Risk management is a management tool for handling events that might adversely impact the business. Discuss. (7 marks)
- **b)** Illustrate the various techniques of controlling various types of risks in insurance occupations (13 marks)

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ABA 421: INSURANCE RISK MANAGEMENT: Course Content/ outline

Session	Content description	Remarks
(4		
hours)		
	Introduction	
	- Definition; terms in applied in insurance, essentials of insurance; contract assurance and insurance, Classification of insurance; General insurance; property insurance, five insurance accident insurance; Burglary and theft, House hold insurance, special perils, consequence loss insurance; marine insurance motor, insurance liability insurance; regulation of insurance; history of insurance; the role of insurance in Kenya, nature and scope of insurance markets; agents, brokers under limited; Principles of insurance concepts; individual insurable interest, utmost Good faith subrogation; proximation contribution. Organizations pure risk.	
	- RISK MANAGEMENT : objectives, policy statement and manuals, scope of risk management; identification, evaluation treatment of	
	CAT 1 and Assignment 1	
	- Risk management and corporate strategy; risk management strategy/ tasks at various levels of corporate organizations/ challenges facing risk management.	
	- Essence of corporate strategy; developing corporate strategy; core strategy; choosing corporate strategy and risk management	
	CAT 2 Assignment 2	
	- VALUE CHAIN ANALYSIS: Scope and selection strategies/ produce positioning; importance of value chain analysis.	
	- Generic strategies and implementing corporate strategy; organization control; strategic linkages; extension of value chain; sustaining competitive advantage.	
	 risk management process essentials of risk management 	
	- Factors which influence the assessment of risks	
	CAT 3	
	End semester examinations. AUGUST 2014	