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1ST YEAR 1ST SEMESTER 2016/2017 ACADEMIC YEAR

MAIN CAMPUS

COURSE CODE: ZDS 3111

COURSE TITLE: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

EXAM VENUE: STREAM: (BA DEVELOPMENT AND POLICY STUDIES)

DATE: EXAM SESSION:

TIME: 2.00 HRS

Instructions:

Answer Question ONE (compulsory) and any other TWO (2) Questions

Candidates are advised not to write on the question paper

Candidates must hand in their answer booklets to the invigilator while in the examination room

1. The early approaches to the study of communities as presented by Ferdinand Toennies and Talcott (1887/1957) Parsons divide communities into 'gemeinschaft' and 'gesselschaft' as well as urban and rural. Give the basic characteristics of these communities according to these scholars. (30 marks)
2. Briefly discuss any four elements of systems theory and demonstrate their relevance to community development. (20 marks)
3. E. M. Rogers (1962) presented five adopter categories in his diffusion of innovation model. Outline each of them giving local examples. (20 marks)
4. There are a set of key principles which guide a flexible process of engagement and action in community development. Mention and briefly explain any five of these principles. (20 marks)
5. Discuss any five general stages in the community development process. (20 marks)