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CENTRE: MAIN CAMPUS

COURSE CODE: PSP 3215

COURSE TITLE: PARTICIPATORY LEARNING AND ACTION

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.**

Question 1

Successful completion and implementation of a rural integrated development plan is predominantly determined by stakeholders participation at all stages of the planning process.

- a. Discuss what you understand by stakeholder participation (5 mks)
- b. Explain the importance of using participatory approaches in planning exercise (15 mks)
- c. Discuss the characteristics of participatory approaches (10 mks)

Question 2

“Community participation” is complex in concept and in practice. Discuss (20 mks)

Question 3

As a student of Rural Planning Studio, you intend to engage the stakeholders so as to compile a detailed geographic and thematic inventory of the planning area for effective formulation of plans and interventions to mitigate on the identified planning challenges. Discuss how the following participatory methods will further the objectives of your planning.

- a. Mapping (5 mks)
- b. Time Lines (5 mks)
- c. Transect Walks (5 mks)
- d. Problem Trees (5 mks)

Question 4

Successful stakeholder participation rely on effective stakeholder analysis:

- a. Explain the concept of stakeholder analysis (5 mks)
- b. Stakeholder identification (5 mks)
- c. stakeholder mapping (5mks)
- d. Stakeholders interest and scope of action (5 mks)

Question 5

Discuss the principles of Rapid Rural Appraisal (20 mks)