



THE MOMBASA POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

*Faculty of Engineering & Technology*

DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL AND BUILDING ENGINEERING

DIPLOMA IN ARCHITECTURE (DA 08)

END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

APRIL/MAY 2010 SERIES

**HISTORY OF ARCHITECTURE**

TIME: 2 HOURS

**Instructions to Candidates**

You should have the following for the examinations:

- Answer Booklet

This paper consists of **FIVE** Questions.

Answer any **FOUR** Questions.

### **Question ONE**

Explain with sketches the following:

- (a) The evolution of form for Egyptian pyramids.
- (b) Egyptian orders as used in hypostyle hall. (25 marks)

### **Question TWO**

Describe and illustrate the following:

- (a) The Greek temple
- (b) The 4-column magaron house (25 marks)

### **Question THREE**

Illustrate **FOUR** Roman structures and briefly outline their features. (25 marks)

### **Question FOUR**

Describe and illustrate the features of Gothic Cathedral. (25 marks)

### **Question FIVE**

Describe and illustrate the features of Renaissance Chapel. (25 marks)