

# TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MOMBASA Faculty of Business & Social Studies

DEPARTMENT OF HOSPITALITY & TOURISM

# UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS FOR DEGREE IN BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN TOURISM MANAGEMENT

## **BMK 4101: PRINCIPLES OF TOURISM MARKETING**

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

SERIES: APRIL 2015 TIME: 2 HOURS

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

 Answer question ONE (Compulsory) in Section A and any other TWO questions in Section B.

This paper consists of Two printed pages

## **SECTION A (Compulsory)**

## **QUESTION 1**

- a) Define the following terms as used in marketing:
  - i) Value
  - ii) Satisfaction
  - iii) Offering
  - iv) Exchange
  - v) Transaction
- b) "Segmentation is at the heart of marketing strategy". Explain the importance of market segmentation. (10 marks)
- c) Highlight any **FIVE** bases for segmenting markets in hospitality and tourism. (10 marks)

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#### **SECTION B** (Answer any **TWO** questions)

### **QUESTION 2**

"Hospitality as a service has unique characteristics that pose a challenge to marketers". Discuss.

(20 marks)

## **QUESTION 3**

Using the 7Ps of services marketing, give a brief explanation of how each one applies to the airline industry. (20 marks)

## **QUESTION 4**

Discuss the external environment trends that will shape the business of hospitality and tourism in the coming decade. (20 marks)

#### **QUESTION 5**

Explain the marketing concepts which have characterized the lead to the use of a fully integrated marketing approach in the modern time. (20 marks)