

# TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MOMBASA Faculty of Business & Social Studies

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DIPLOMA IN MASS COMMUNICATION (DMAC YII, SII)

**BMC 2305: SCRIPTING FOR SCREEN** 

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

**SERIES:** APRIL 2015

**TIME: 2 HOURS** 

#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- This paper consists of **TWO** Sections **A** & **B**.
- Section **A** is **Compulsory**.
- Answer any other TWO questions in Section B.

This paper consists of Two printed pages.

## **SECTION A (Compulsory)**

## **QUESTION 1**

a) Give any **FIVE** reasons why an exposition phase is important in scripting. (5 marks)

b) Give any **FIVE** ways character's details can be found. (5 marks)

c) Give a brief history of theatre. (10 marks)

d) Give any **FOUR** attribute of a good storyline. (8 marks)

e) Who is an actor? (2 marks)

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

## **QUESTION 2**

Give any **FIV**E ways of creating humor. Explain them.

**(20 marks)** 

## **QUESTION 3**

Differentiate the stage script layout from the screen script layout by giving a synopsis of a scene and script it.

(20 marks)

## **QUESTION 4**

Explain any **FIVE** television dramas.

**(20 marks)** 

## **QUESTION 5**

Explain in details the following:

a) Dialogue

b) Characters (20 marks)