



# TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MOMBASA

## SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

### SOCIAL SCIENCES

#### UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR:

#### DIPLOMA IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

#### BCD 2204: PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND GOVERNANCE

#### END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

**SERIES: APRIL 2016**

**TIME: 3 HOURS**

**DATE: Pick Date May 2016**

#### Instructions to Candidates

You should have the following for this examination

-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID

This paper consists of **FIVE** questions. Attempt any **THREE** questions.

**Do not write on the question paper.**

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#### SECTION A: COMPULSORY

##### Question ONE

- (a) Briefly discuss five reasons that make public administration to be considered an art. **(10 marks)**
- (b) Briefly discuss five theories of public administration. **(10 marks)**
- (c) Briefly discuss five characteristics of good governance. **(10 marks)**

#### SECTION B: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS

##### Question TWO

Briefly discuss ten principles of public administration. **(20 marks)**

##### Question THREE

- (a) Briefly discuss five principles of good governance according to the UNDP. **(10 marks)**
- (b) Differentiate between horizontal and vertical accountability. **(4 marks)**
- (c) Explain the importance of civil society in a country. **(2 marks)**
- (d) Explain the roles played by the following in promoting good governance:

- (i) Media
- (ii) Private sector

**(4 marks)**

**Question FOUR**

- (a) Briefly discuss seven roles of leaders.
- (b) Briefly discuss three levels of governance.

**(14 marks)**

**(6 marks)**

**Question FIVE**

- (a) Why is it important for a country to have national core values?
- (b) Briefly discuss how Kenya can entrench good governance.

**(2 marks)**

**(18 marks)**