



# TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MOMBASA

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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

SOCIAL SCIENCES

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR:

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN DEVELOPMENT STUDIES BSDS Y2S1

BDS4211: **SOCIAL CHANGE AND DEVELOPMENT**

**SERIES: DECEMBER 2016**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**DATE:**

## Instructions to Candidates

You should have the following for this examination

-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID

This paper consists of 5 questions. Attempt QUESTION 1 (COMPULSORY) AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS.

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

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## **Question ONE**

- Describe five areas of major social changes that have occurred in Kenya. Give examples of each.(10 marks)
- Use economic theory to explain social change (10 marks)
- Explain the positive and negative factors of technology contributing to social change (10 marks)

## **Question TWO**

- Differentiate natural and social selection among biological factors that determine the rate of social change (8 marks)
- Explain the forms of social selection affecting the rate of social change (12 marks)

## **Question THREE**

Discuss on the arguments put forwards by critiques on the 'for' and 'against' social change (20 marks)

## **Question FOUR**

Describe two theories that assist in explaining the role of religion in social change. (20 marks)

## **Question FIVE**

Explain how media contributes to social change (20 marks)