



TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF MOMBASA

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**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR:
BACHELOR OF INFORMATION SCIENCE**

HIS 4104: INFORMATION IN SOCIETY

SERIES: APRIL 2025

TIME: 2 HOURS

DATE: Pick DateApr 2025

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 question ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions.

Do not write on the question paper.

Question One

- a) Discuss **Five (5)** waves of change that have been identified in information society [10 marks]
- b) Discuss **Five (5)** Ethical issues of information society in the 21st century [10 marks]
- c) Discuss **Five (5)** information behavior of Generation Z [10 marks]

Question TWO

- a) Discuss **Five (5)** types of information society [10 marks]
- b) Highlight **Five (5)** implications of the information society [10 marks]

Question THREE

- a) Discuss **Five (5)** coping strategies of information overload [10 marks]
- b) Discuss **Five (5)** trends that has shaped handling and processing of information in 21st century [10 marks]

Question FOUR

- a) In context of information society, describe **Five (5)** constructs in five factor model theory [10 marks]
- b) Highlight **Five (5)** information innovations research libraries can adopt in 21st century [10 marks]

Question FIVE

- a) Explain **Five (5)** causes of information overload in the society [10 marks]
- b) Discuss **Five (5)** challenges faced by African information sciences specialists in the era of knowledge management [10 marks]