



THE MOMBASA POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

Faculty of Business & Social Studies

DEPARTMENT OF MEDIA AND GRAPHIC DESIGN

**DIPLOMA IN MASS COMMUNICATION (PRINT)
DIPLOMA IN GRAPHIC DESIGN I
(DMP 5 / DG 1)**

PHOTOJOURNALISM/PHOTOGRAPHY

END OF SEMESTER EXAMS

SERIES: APRIL/MAY 2010

TIME: 2½ HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. The paper consists of **EIGHT** questions.
2. Answer any **FIVE** questions only.
3. All questions carry equal marks.
5. Cheating leads to disqualification.
6. Switch off mobile phone.

- Q.1 Describe the functions of the following parts of a camera:
- (a) Tripod stand (5 marks)
 - (b) Light meter gadget (5 marks)
 - (c) Lens hood (5 marks)
 - (d) The Lens Aperture (5 marks)
- Q.2 (a) Explain how accidental unsharpness may be caused by the camera. (10 marks)
- (b) Describe how an object in motion can be freezed in camera operation. (10 marks)
- Q.3 Justify if you need to take a long time in the camera curtain opening would by brought in as a result of what technicality. (20 marks)
- Q.4 Name **FOUR** camera lenses and given their functions. (20 marks)
- Q.5 Compare the following film sensitivity:
- (a) ASA 100 and ASA 200. (10 marks)
 - (b) ASA 400 and ASA 1000. (10 marks)
- Q.6 Illustrate the 35mm camera and name its parts. (20 marks)
- Q.7 Interpret an outline in a photographic assignment. (20 marks)
- Q.8 Professor Mazurui is handing over to a new Professor as the chairman of MPUC create a story body for your eyes only showing the activities that were taking place during the occasion. (40 marks)