MERU UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

University Examinations 2013/2014

FIRST YEAR, FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR DEGREE OF BACHELOR SCIECNE IN COMPUTER SCIENCE/BACHELOR OF SCIENCE /BACHELOR OF COMERCE/ BACHELOR OF BUSINESS INFORMATIN TECHNOLOGY/BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY/BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PUBLIC HEALTH/BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNITY HEALTH/BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HOLTICULTURE/BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CROP PROTECTION

HRD 2102: DEVELOPMENT STUDIES AND SOCIAL ETHICS

DATE: DECEMBER 2013   **TIME: 2 HOURS**

INSTRUCTIONS: *Answer question **one** and any*

QUESTION ONE – (30 MARKS)

(a) With use of examples and illustrations discuss the modernization ideals advanced by Myradal.   (10 Marks)

(b) Citing examples explain the characteristics of underdeveloped nations.   (10 Marks)

(c) Capitalist economy in the cause of many problems in developing countries. Discuss.
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QUESTION TWO – (20 MARKS)

 With use of examples, discuss the phases of group formation and explain the importance of small groups in development.   (20 Marks)

QUESTION THREE –(20 MARKS)

(a) Discuss the role played by devolution in bringing professionalism in rural areas.
                                                                                (10 Marks)

(b) Discus the socio-economic indicators of growth and development in the following sectors.

   (i)   Food and agriculture   (5 Marks)
   (ii)   Production control   (5 Marks)

QUESTION FOUR – (20 MARKS)

Kenya is set to start a lap top programme in class one next year. What will be the significance of the programme in enhancing technology in Kenya?   (20 Marks)

QUESTION FIVE – (20 MARKS)

   (a) Discuss the interventions that will be required to achieve private investment as outlined
        in Kenya Vision 2030.   (10
        Marks)
   (b) Discuss the importance of project planning in the implementation of a project.
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