



# **MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY**

**University Examinations for 2021/2022 Academic Year**

**SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE, ENVIRONMENT AND HEALTH SCIENCES**

**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES**

**FIRST YEAR SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION FOR**

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNITY RESOURCE MANAGEMENT**

**HCM 104: GENDER PERSPECTIVES IN COMMUNITY RESOURCE MANAGEMENT**

**DATE: 26/8/2022**

**TIME: 8.30-10.30 AM**

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## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

**Answer question ONE and TWO other questions**

### **QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)**

- a) Explain the importance of understanding gender dynamics while managing community resources (10 marks)
- b) Describe the four main types of marginalization in the society (8 marks)
- c) With appropriate examples, discuss the types of gender roles in the society (12 marks)

### **QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)**

- a) Explain the forms of gender inequalities you would expect to find in water sector in Kenya (10 marks)
- b) Discuss five practical needs that should be met for women to be effective in their different roles. (10 marks)

**QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)**

Discuss any five international frameworks of enhancing gender equality clearly highlighting the provisions that enable them to achieve this

**QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)**

Discuss the role of the following in promotion of gender equality in Kenya

- a) The Kenyan Constitution (2010) (10 marks)
- b) National Gender and Equality Commission (10 marks)

**QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)**

Assume you have been hired as a project manager by your county government to coordinate management of a major community water resource in the county. Discuss the approaches you will recommend to enhance gender equality in your work.