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Addressing gender disparity and fostering equity in University Education

FACULTY OF SOCIAL AND GENDER TRANSFORMATIVE SCIENCES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE HONOURS DEGREE IN SOCIOLOGY AND GENDER DEVELOPMENT

MAIN PAPER

SS311: SOCIAL THEORY I

INTAKE 24: THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER

DATE: FEBRUARY 2021 TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- 1. Answer any **two** questions.
- 2. All questions carry equal marks.

Question 1

Analyse the view that, 'The rise of Sociology as a discipline is credited to the intellectual forces.'

Question 2

'Comte failed to make a strong foundation of sociological theorizing.' Discuss.

Question 3

Explore Merton's typology of anomie, giving examples in light of the COVID -19 pandemic.

Question 4

Examine the relevance of Marx's dialectic materialism in post - modern society.

Question 5

Evaluate the contributions of Weber to understanding the capitalist society.

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