

WOMEN'S UNIVERSITY IN AFRICA



Addressing gender disparity and fostering equity in University Education

FACULTY OF SOCIAL AND GENDER TRANSFORMATIVE SCIENCES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN GENDER STUDIES

MAIN PAPER

GS123: GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT PERSPECTIVES

INTAKE 11: FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER

DATE: 2021 TIME: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. Answer any **three** questions.
2. All questions carry equal marks.

Question 1

Evaluate how gender role socialisation affects career options for women.

Question 2

Analyse the barriers to women in accessing political eminence in a country of your choice.

Question 3

Using the views of the Dependency Theory, explain the feminisation of poverty.

Question 4

Examine how women can empower themselves against patriarchy in society.

Question 5

Discuss characteristics of societies with gender equality.

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