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EXAMINATION PAPER

Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Development Studies: Part 1 Semester 1

COURSE CODE : ADS 105
COURSE TITLE : Poverty and Social Development
DURATION : 3 Hours
DATE : 20 NOV 2019

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

1. Answer any THREE questions only.
2. Each question carries 25 Marks.
3. Start each question on a new page of your answer sheet.
4. Use relevant examples or case studies in answering your questions

1. Discuss how lack of opportunity can militate against efforts to overcome poverty.
2. 'Poverty is the most worrying problem in African societies'. Discuss.
3. Discuss how Karl Marx's exposition of capitalism can help to explain the existence of poverty in Africa.
4. How adequate are the theories of poverty in explaining the poverty in Africa?
5. How does poverty affect the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)?