



# ZIMBABWE EZEKIEL GUTI UNIVERSITY

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## FACULTY OF HERITAGE, HUMANITIES AND SOCIETAL ADVANCEMENT

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DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT, PROGRAMMING AND MANAGEMENT

### EXAMINATION PAPER

**Master of Science in Development Studies: Part 1 Semester 2**

COURSE CODE : MSDS 119  
COURSE TITLE : Development Finance  
DURATION : 3 Hours  
DATE : 11 OCT 2023

#### 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. 'Zimbabwe is open for business' is a current mantra in the country. Discuss the FDI opportunities that the country has and how it can benefit from them.
2. You have been given a leading role in a research team to assess the impact of micro finance services in the rural areas. Give an analysis of your preliminary findings and recommendations.
3. Zimbabwe is in need of more resources to support development initiatives under the NDS1. Advise the Minister of Finance and Economic Planning on how domestic resource mobilization can be increased for this purpose.
4. Public-private-partnerships have been viewed as a solution to enhance the implementation of infrastructure projects. With the use of example assess this notion in the implementation of infrastructure projects in Zimbabwe.
5. You have been tasked to orient new Members of Parliament about the development finance options for the country. Discuss the relationship between the Africa Development Bank and member states in accessing and utilising this source of development finance.

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