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SEMESTER ONE EXAMINATIONS: ACADEMIC YEAR 2023/2024

COURSE UNIT: SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEMS AND SOCIAL PROTECTION SYSTEMS

DATE: Friday 15th December 2023 TIME: 9.30am- 12.30pm DURATION: 3HRS

Answer only four Questions and all questions carry equal marks

Start each question on a fresh page.

1. a) With the aid of relevant examples, critically analyze the Covariate Risks and Shocks encountered by the different life stages (early childhood, school age, youthful, working age and old age)? **(15 Marks)**
b) What measures have or can be put to mitigate the risks during the life stages of growth? **(10 marks)**
2. Explain the following concepts as used in social security systems and social protection systems?
 - a) Labour markets **(05 Marks)**
 - b) Social insurance **(05 Marks)**
 - c) Social assistance **(05 marks)**
 - d) Micro and area-based schemes to protect communities **(05 Marks)**
 - e) Child protection **(05 Marks)**
3. Uganda's social security system is said be limping, Discuss? **(25 Marks)**
4. As a student of social security systems, examine with relevant examples, the argument for and against contributory and non contributory schemes in Uganda? **(25Marks)**



5. (a) The Parish Development Model (PDM) is said to be a panacea to Uganda's socio-economic development problems faced at community levels. To what extent do you agree with this statement? Please elucidate your answer with relevant examples? **(15 Marks)**

(b) As experts of social security and social protection systems from Uganda Martyrs University, advise government on what to do in improving the implementation of the Parish Development Program(PDM)? **(10 Marks)**

6. The role played by the private sector in the provision of the social protection systems cannot be underestimated in the development equation of Uganda? Discuss **(25 Marks)**

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