

# Uganda Martyrs University

Institute of Ethics and Development Studies

Masters of Arts Development Studies - Distance Learning

All Domains

## Module 1: Development Theories and Strategies

End of Year One (2014/2015) Examination

Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2015

10:00am - 12:00Noon

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### INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Please read the instructions carefully before answering the questions.
  2. Read each question carefully and write legibly.
  3. You must answer three questions in all
  4. All questions carry equal marks (33 marks)
  5. Make use of relevant life examples to consolidate your arguments
  6. Do not write anything on this question paper
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1. "In effecting development, following the modernization theory only leads to mal-development in many parts of the world". Do you agree with this statement? Illustrate your views with relevant examples.
2. Why has Value addition, as a trade related development strategy, not been readily successful in Uganda?
3. Botswana has been upheld as a model and success story of development on the African continent. What strategies has Botswana laid down in order to achieve outstanding development on the continent?
4. During the 1960s many developing countries resorted to Import Substitution Industrialisation as an option to realize development. What is the reason why most of the developing countries abandoned this strategy after some years of its practice?
5. If you were appointed the new Minister of Karamoja's development, what exceptional strategies would you put in place to make real giant steps in the development of the region?

6. Most development theories are forwarded and popularized by academics in universities, students in higher institutions, and development practitioners. In the same vein, propose and name a new development theory for Uganda and explain how you see it leading the nation to greater achievements in development.
7. With relevant examples give reasons why the Asian Tigers have been able to develop to a remarkable level in the past years?