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The Bachelor of Democracy and Development Studies Programme

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Public Policy and Public Administration

Venue of Exam : Auditorium
Duration: 9:30am to 12:30, 28/06/2017

Instructions

- Answer Three Questions in total, choosing only one question from each section
 - Write your answers legibly and in good English.
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Section One

Question One

- a.) Differentiate between the concepts "Administration" and "Management" as used in Policy Studies (8 marks)
- b.) Discuss the major features of Classical Public Administration (17 marks)

Question Two

- a.) Using examples, explain the key elements of the concept "Service Delivery" (8 marks).
- b.) Using examples from your local context, explain the major criticisms against Classical Public Administration (17 marks)

Section Two

Question Three

- a.) Explain the major features of New Public Management (18 marks)
- b.) Using examples from your local context, explain any two criticisms against New Public Management (7 marks)

Question Four

- a.) Differentiate how Public Accountability is used in Public Administration and in New Public Management (7 marks)
- c.) Has the Government of Uganda performed its core functions in your sub county? Give any five reasons to support your answer (18 marks).

Section Three

Question Five

- a.) With examples, explain what you understand by the following types of policies:
 - i.) Distributive Policies
 - ii.) Redistributive Policies
 - iii.) Regulatory Policies

iv.) Constitutional Policies

b.) With the use of examples, explain why policy implementation fails under the following categories:

- i.) Tractability of the problem (3 marks)
- ii.) Statutes and structure of the implementation agency (3 marks)
- iii.) Non statutory factors influencing the policy implementation (3 marks).

Question Six

a.) How does a Social Problem change into a Public Policy Problem (8 marks).

b.) Identify one social problem in your sub county and using the stages of the policy cycle, show how you can develop a policy solution to the problem (17 marks)