

# Uganda Martyrs University

Institute of Ethics and Development Studies

Rural Sociology

Special/Supplementary examinations 2009-2010

Year one

Friday: 6<sup>th</sup> August 2010

2:00pm - 5:00pm

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## Instructions:

1. Please read the instructions carefully before answering the questions.
  2. Read each question carefully and write legibly.
  3. Answer **Question one and any other two** questions
  4. Each question should be started on a new page
  5. Each question should cover a maximum of 3 pages
  6. Main points should be written as sub-headings to each paragraph
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1. Write short notes on any 4 of the following
  - a. Gemeinschaft Vs Gessellschaft (10 marks)
  - b. Rural Poverty (10 marks)
  - c. Rural Communities (10 marks)
  - d. Social change (10 marks)
2. Describe the main characteristics of rural people and rural life (30 marks)
3. Discuss the main components of the physical structure of rural societies. (30 marks)
4. Examine the conditions for social change in rural societies (30 marks)
5. Discuss the various dimensions of social change (30 marks)