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Ethics and African Development

- Write a paper of 7-10 pages entitled “Unethical Development in Africa”. You are expected to define ethical development and to show how the development on the continent is unethical using concrete examples from your country. Using concrete examples show how the poverty and underdevelopment in Africa is not an economic but an ethical problem. Discuss the historical and anthropological factors which led to the exploitation of Africa by outsiders, and how this happened. Explain how the African elite contribute to the underdevelopment of the continent. Explain why aid is not the solution to Africa’s underdevelopment problems. Using examples from different sectors such as education, health, and economy, show how the principle of endogeneity can promote ethical development in Africa.

You are expected to use the appropriate approach for writing an academic paper, including appropriate parts and subtitles; writing clearly and coherently; and using relevant evidence, reasoning and scholarship throughout.