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FINAL EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER 2006

TITLE OF PAPER: INTRODUCTION TO DEVELOPMENT

COMMUNICATION

COURSE CODE: JMC 102

TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. ANSWER QUESTION 1 PLUS 3 OTHER QUESTIONS OF YOUR CHOICE.
- 2. NEATNESS AND GRAMMAR WILL COUNT IN GRADING.
- 3. EACH QUESTION CARRIES 25 MARKS.
- 4. THIS PAPER CONSISTS OF 2 PAGES INCLUDING THE COVER PAGE.

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Question 1 (COMPULSORY)

"According to Walter Rostow (1953), society must undergo several stages before it can be considered developed." Discuss all the five stages.

(25 marks)

Question 2

Discuss the five functions of mass communication in society.

(25 marks)

Question 3

. "Uses and Gratifications researchers have identified four categories of how audiences use the mass media." Discuss all the categories and give examples to your answers.

(25 marks)

Question 4

Outline and describe the first five planning stages of a development communication project. (25 marks)

Question 5

Most often than not, development communication projects require team effort. Discuss in detail, the roles played by at least five of the team members. (25 marks)

Question 6

As an information campaign planner, describe at least five evaluation procedures you would apply to ensure its success. (25 marks)