

**UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND**  
**FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCE**  
**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY**

**FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER**

**TITLE OF PAPER:     TECHNOLOGY AND INDUSTRIAL  
                                 DEVELOPMENT**

**COURSE CODE:        SOC 209**

**TIME ALLOWED:      TWO (2) HOURS**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1.     ANSWER ANY THREE (3) QUESTIONS**
- 2.     ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS**

- Q1. Technological development has improved human lives bringing world's people closer. Discuss.
- Q2. Critically examine Gerhard Lenski's theory of socio-cultural evolution.
- Q3. Pre-industrial and industrial societies gave us greater personal freedom and a sense of community than modern post-industrial societies. Discuss.
- Q4. To what extent is Manuel Castells's analysis of 'network society' relevant to the situation in developing countries?
- Q5. Critically examine the impact of new technologies on human development in Swaziland.
- Q6. Discuss Fordism and mass production and their impact on mass consumption.