# UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND

#### DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

#### **FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER MAY 2010**

TITLE OF PAPER

SOCIOLOGY OF DEVELOPMENT

**COURSE CODE** 

**SOC401** 

TIME ALLOWED

**THREE (3) HOURS** 

INSTRUCTIONS

1. ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS

2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS

THE QUESTION PAPER MUST NOT BE OPENED UNTIL PERMISSION HAS BEEN GRANTED BY THE INVIGILATOR

#### **QUESTION ONE (1)**

Compare and contrast modernisation and dependency theories of development.

# **QUESTION TWO (2)**

With reference to EITHER the African Culturist perspective OR the Human Factor Perspective to Development outline the basic characteristics and discuss the relevance to development thinking of each perspective.

# **QUESTION THREE (3)**

Participation in development work is a particularly contested concept and approach. Discuss this statement.

#### **QUESTION FOUR (4)**

What is gender mainstreaming? Outline the advantages and disadvantages of gender analysis frameworks as presented by March et al (1999).

# **QUESTION FIVE (5)**

With reference to Third World countries evaluate the relevance of the human rights approach to development.

#### **QUESTION SIX (6)**

Explain how Structural Adjustment Programmes and Export Processing Zones have contributed to the development of any African country.

#### **QUESTION SEVEN (7)**

With reference to the National Development Strategy and Smart Partnership Dialogue explain how Swaziland is approaching its development challenges.

# **QUESTION EIGHT (8)**

Is globalization a threat or an opportunity? Support your answer with examples.