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MAIN EXAMINATION PAPER, MAY 2011

TITLE OF PAPER:

SOCIOLOGY OF DEVELOPMENT

COURSE CODE:

SOC 401

TIME ALLOWED:

THREE (3) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS

2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS

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QUESTION 1

Each meaning of development can be applied to any number of problems. Focus on one problem in Swaziland, and apply the three meanings of development in analysing it.

QUESTION 2

Explain the relevance, if any, of using modernization theory to analyse the development that has occurred in Swaziland.

OUESTION 3

The imperialist invasion found Africa at varying stages of development. Discuss.

OUESTION 4

Critically discuss the ideology of nationalism in societal evolution.

QUESTION 5

Critically examine any two provisions relating to the protection and promotion of fundamental rights and freedoms in the Constitution of Swaziland.

QUESTION 6

HIV and AIDS continue to rise in Swaziland despite several interventions. Critically discuss.

QUESTION 7

Poor governance and corruption have hindered development in Swaziland. Discuss, illustrating with examples.

QUESTION 8

Environmental problems have become more visible in natural disasters experienced globally. Discuss, illustrating with examples.