UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND

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DEPARTMENT OF JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION

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EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER: SUPPLEMENTARY

TITLE OF PAPER:

INTRODUCTION TO MASS COMMUNICATION

COURSE CODE:

JMC 105

TIME ALLOWED:

TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Answer FOUR questions: 30 minutes per question, advisedly.

2. Write legibly, that is, boldly and clearly.

3. Evince the principles of composition and grammar.

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JMC 105: INTRODUCTION TO MASS COMMUNICATION Each question carries 25 marks.

- 1. Discuss the process of mass communication using the models of HUB and Westley-MacLean.
- 2. Describe three media of mass communication and three messages associated with each of the media, based on definite criteria.
- 3. Analyse mass media systems across the world and explain the system that exists in Swaziland.
- 4. Examine the effects of mass communication on individuals and society.
- 5. Compare journalism and public relations, on one hand, and advertising and broadcasting, on the other.
- 6. Explain the characteristics of mass communication, generally and particularly.