## UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND

## **FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCE**

## DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

## **FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER, MAY 2012**

TITLE OF PAPER

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**COURSE** 

DL015

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- 1. Discuss ways in which C. Wright Mills's sociological imagination can be manifested in a lit candle.
- 2. Distinguish between the following concepts:
- (a) Norms and values.
- (b) Cultural relativism and ethnocentrism.
- (c) Socialisation and internalisation.
- (d) Equality and equity.
- (e) Sex and gender.
- 3. Without socialization, human beings would lack the ability to behave as expected. Explain this statement fully.
- 4. Discuss the criticisms that have been leveled against Robert K. Merton's Anomie theory.
- 5. (a) What is patriarchy?
  - (b) Discuss two ways in which Swazi society promotes the hidden culture of rape.
- 6. Explain the relevance of one of the theories of punishment to Swaziland.