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**FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER: MAY, 2019**

**TITLE OF PAPER: INTRODUCTION TO PUBLIC  
ADMINISTRATION**

**COURSE CODE: PAD 102**

**TIME ALLOWED: TWO (2) HOURS**

**INSTRUCTIONS: 1. ANSWER TWO QUESTIONS: ONE  
QUESTION FROM SECTION 1 AND  
ANOTHER FROM SECTION 2**

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## **SECTION 1**

1. What is your understanding of Public Administration? Give some of the major theoretical definitions of public administration

(50 Marks)

2. Discuss three of the main concepts of public administration and how they impact on public life especially in the developing countries.

(50 Marks)

3. The ideal-type of bureaucracy constructed by Max Weber is a professional administration and it defines bureaucracy as displaying certain important characteristics. Discuss these characteristics and give examples from Royal Eswatini Police.

(50 Marks)

## **SECTION 2:**

4. Discuss the different forms of decentralisation and give reasons why each form is important at any given time.

(50 Marks)

5. Eswatini has a diarchic structure of Local Government. Discuss this structure using the different legal instruments that outline the structures of local government.

(50 Marks)

6. What are the causes and the impacts of the Corruption scourge in Africa? Discuss some of the measures that African countries have adopted to control corruption.

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