



UNIVERSITY OF ESWATINI

FIRST SEMESTER FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER, DECEMBER, 2019

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL STUDIES

COURSE CODE: PAD 403

TITLE OF PAPER: ADMINISTRATION OF DEVELOPMENT

TIME ALLOWED: THREE (3) HOURS

Instructions:

1. Answer any three (3) questions:
2. All questions carry equal marks of 33.3 % each.

Special Requirements:

None

Additional Material (s)

None

Candidates may complete the front cover of their answer book when instructed by the Chief Invigilator and sign their examination attendance cards but must NOT write anything else until the start of the examination period is announced.

No electronic devices capable of storing and retrieving text, including electronic dictionaries and any form of foreign material may be used while in the examination room.

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1. There is no uniform definition of development administration but there are certain basic features and characteristics that can help us understand the concept. What are these. Discuss.
2. Make an analysis of three of the theories on development administration and give examples of countries that are associated with each of the theories.
3. Discuss the major commitments made by the African governments under the Mutual Review of Development Effectiveness in Africa (MRDE). Make a critique of some of the successes and challenges of this initiative.
4. The Modernization theory advances a number of significant reasons why developing countries have not developed and offers solutions on how they can develop. Discuss these and give reasons why the proposed development path has not been successful in Africa.
5. MNCs have played a critical role in bringing the desired foreign direct investment (FDI) into African economies in the world economy remains highly controversial. Critics however, charge that foreign direct investment and the internationalization of production are transforming the nature of international economic and political affairs in ways that undermine the nation-state and integrate national economies. Discuss.
6. Structural Adjustment Programmes were put into place as strategies to help African countries towards economic development. Discuss the success or otherwise of the SAPs on African economies.
7. Africa has put regionalization at the forefront of development and consequently created institutions to foster regional development in a number of areas. Discuss the roles of one of the following regional institutions and the extent to which their goals and objectives have been accomplished:
 - a) Southern African Development Community (SADC)
 - b) African Union
 - c) New Partnership for Development (NEPAD)