

MASENO UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2012/2013

FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN COMMUNICATION AND MEDIA (CITY CAMPUS)

ACM 801: ADVANCED COMMUNICATION THEORIES

Date: 30th July, 2013

Time: 2.00 - 5.00 p.m.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer Question ONE and any other TWO questions.

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Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions. Duration: 3hours

- Media has effect on audience behaviour. Using relevant theories explain this statement. (30marks)
- With examples explain how authoritarian theory of the press has been used to manage the press in some parts of the world. (15marks)
- 3. Individuals use mass media to achieve their motives. Discuss(15marks)
- Choose any one theory on interpersonal communication and explain its understanding? of human relations. (15marks)
- Mass media work simultaneously with majority public opinion to silence the minority views. With the support of relevant theory (ies) discuss. (15marks)