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**University Examinations 2016/2017**

FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INFORMATION SCIENCE

**CIS 3103: SOCIOLOGY**

**DATE: DECEMBER 2016 TIME: 2 HOURS**

**INSTRUCTIONS:** *Answer question* ***one*** *and any other* ***two***questions.

**QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)**

1. Discuss the following sociological processes using appropriate examples to support your answer (10 marks)
2. Socialization
3. Social Stratification
4. Social Mobility
5. Social Change
6. Culture lag
7. Explain how education can bring inequality in society (5 marks)
8. Discuss five characteristics of culture (5 marks)
9. In a group setting, there is always a leader. Describe five quality of a good leader (10 marks)

**QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)**

1. Define a family citing the various types of families (5 marks)
2. Discuss the changing trends in the family institution in Kenya today (15 marks)

**QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)**

1. Using relevant examples, discuss some consequences of socialization on individual members in a society. (10 marks)
2. Discuss how education as a social institution is part of a socialization process (10 marks)

**QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)**

1. Explain the concept ‘Ethnocentrism (5 marks)
2. Discuss why ethnocentrism would prevent one from understanding the world as it is experience by others (15 marks)

**QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)**

Explain five causes and solutions to each of the following social problems

1. Poverty (10 marks)
2. Crime (10 marks)