



**MASENO UNIVERSITY**  
**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2015/2016**

**THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE  
DEGREE OF BACHELOR ARTS AND BACHELOR OF  
EDUCATION WITH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

**CITY CAMPUS – SCHOOL BASED**

**ARE 312: ETHICS II**

Date: 17<sup>th</sup> December, 2015

Time: 11.00 - 1.00 pm

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Answer ANY THREE questions. ALL questions carry equal marks.

**ARE 312: ETHICS II (KISUMU CAMPUS)**

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1. State the significance for ethics that humans are free rather than determine?  
Discuss in relation to the positions of Holbach and Taylor.
2. Critically compare and contrast the views of Stace and Taylor in regard to whether ethics are relative or not.
3. (a) Evaluate psychological egoism and ethical egoism.  
(b) Assess Rachels argument against to counter those two above positions?
4. (a) "For Aristotle happiness is virtue, virtue is a mean, and we become virtuous by habit". Critically discuss.
5. Analyze Immanuel Kant's position that "duty or obligation is prior to happiness".
6. Describe and assess, (a) existentialist ethics according to Sartre; and (b) and feminist ethics according to Grimshaw.