



# MASENO UNIVERSITY

## UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2012/2013

FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR  
THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SOCIOLOGY  
& ANTHROPOLOGY WITH INFORMATION  
TECHNOLOGY  
(CITY CAMPUS - EVENING)

### ASO 107: SOCIO-POLITICAL THEORIES STRUCTURES AND RELATIONS

*Date: 24<sup>th</sup> July, 2013*

*Time: 5.30 – 7.30 p.m.*

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#### INSTRUCTIONS:

- ◆ Answer ANY THREE questions.

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**YEAR ONE SEMESTER TWO**

Answer any **THREE** questions.

1. Use relevant examples to discuss the consequences of politics in a society.  
(23½mks)
2. Explain the social contract theory of state origin and highlight its weaknesses.  
(23½mks)
3. Explain the arguments for and against democracy using Kenyan politics as an illustration.  
(23½mks)
4. Define the concept of political socialization and explain the specific contribution of agents of socialization in realizing it.  
(23½mks)
5. a. Define ideology. (3½mks)  
b. Using appropriate illustrations, discuss the key features of fascist political ideology. (20mks)
6. Explain the key arguments of socialist ideology and show its relevance in contemporary society.  
(23½mks)