



# MASENO UNIVERSITY

## UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2012/2013

FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR  
THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN SOCIOLOGY  
(CITY CAMPUS)

### ASO 809: REFUGEES AND SOCIAL POLICY

*Date: 26<sup>th</sup> July, 2013*

*Time: 5.30 – 8.30 p.m.*

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#### INSTRUCTIONS:

- ◆ Answer ANY THREE questions.

**ASO 809: REFUGEES & SOCIAL POLICY**

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**ANSWER THREE QUESTIONS ONLY.**

1. "The refugee problem is quite global". Discuss the skewed distribution of refugees in the world and describe the reasons for such a pattern. (20 Marks)
2. Examine the socio-demographic characteristics of refugees in protracted refugee situations in Africa. Use examples to support your arguments. (20 marks)
3. "A large proportion of Africa's refugee situations are protracted". Discuss the causes to protracted refugees situations and state plausible solutions to each cause. (20 Marks)
4. Using examples from the Horn of Africa, examine the factors that make refugees "residual caseloads". (20 Marks)
5. Examine how social disorganization and anomie theories explain the refugee situation in sub-Saharan Africa and the Middle East. (20 Marks)
6. Using Kenya as an example, examine the survival strategies of refugees and their implications to the host country. (20 Marks)