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**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SPATIAL PLANNING**

**SEMESTER 2016/2017 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**CENTRE: MAIN CAMPUS**

**COURSE CODE: PSP 3316**

**COURSE TITLE: URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

**EXAM VENUE: STREAM: SPATIAL PLANNING**

**DATE: EXAM SESSION:**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**Instructions:**

1. **Answer question 1 ( compulsory ) and ANY other 2 questions.**
2. **Candidates are advised not to write on the question paper.**
3. **Candidates must hand in their answer booklets to the invigilator while in the examination room.**
4. **a.**Explain why rapid urbanizationis a feature of most countries in the developing world **(10 marks)**

**b.**Discuss the consequences for the urban area of such rapid urbanization**(10 marks)**

c. Discuss appropriate measures that can be used to control urban population explosion

(10 marks)

1. **a)**Discuss your understanding of the term 'counter-urbanization' **(3 marks)**

**b)**Explain why counter-urbanizationis a feature of most developed world countries

(7 marks)

**c)**Examine the consequences of counter-urbanization on rural villages.(10 marks)

1. For an area of urban regeneration
   1. Identify the reasons for its initial decline. (8marks)
   2. Discuss and evaluate the solutions. **(12 marks)**
2. **Discuss the following theories in relation to urban development**

**a) Systems Theory (7marks)**

**b) Central Place Theory (7marks)**

**c) Innovation Diffusion Theory (6marks)**

**5. Discuss the various urban processes influencing urban development (20marks)**