



MASENO UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2015/2016

FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE
DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN PROJECT PLANNING
MANAGEMENT

HOMA-BAY CAMPUS

PPM 821: PLANNING AND ARCHITECTURE

Date: 1st May, 2016

Time: 2.00 - 5.00 pm

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer ANY FOUR questions.



SCHOOL OF PLANNING AND ARCHITECTURE

PPM 821: Planning Principles and Techniques

Answer any **four** questions

1. What is a survey? Discuss the importance of surveys in planning. **(15 marks)**
2. Briefly describe the project planning process highlighting the importance of stakeholder involvement in each stage. **(15 marks)**
3. Write brief notes on any 3 of the following **(15 marks)**
 - a) Descriptive Data Analysis
 - b) Problem Analysis
 - c) Stakeholder Analysis
 - d) Critical Path Method
 - e) Delphi Technique
4. Outline the main advantages and challenges to participatory planning. **(15 marks)**
5. Briefly define planning controls and standards and their roles in project planning and management **(15 marks)**
6. Discuss the factors that affect the implementation of development plans in Kenya. **(15 marks)**