



# **MASENO UNIVERSITY**

## **UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2017/2018**

### **FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN SOCIOLOGY**

#### **CITY CAMPUS**

#### **ASO 809: REFUGEES AND SOCIAL POLICY**

Date: 21<sup>st</sup> February, 2018

Time: 2.00 - 5.00pm

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#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Answer ANY THREE Questions.



1. The 1960s to 1980s period has been labeled the “Golden age of Asylum in Africa” Explain the conditions that shaped this label and discuss the policies that changed these circumstances. (20 marks)
2. Examine the reasons as to why humanitarianism received unparalleled global attention in the 1990s. (20 marks)
3. Discuss the ways in which refugees have shaped global policies since World War II. Use major historical developments to highlight your answer. (20 marks)
4. Examine the role of the UNHCR in shaping refugee policy. (20 marks)
5. To what extent has global politics shaped the refugee problem in Africa? (20 marks)
6. Drawing examples from Africa, discuss the merits and demerits of refugee camps as governmental technologies of control. (20 marks)