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FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF MASTERS IN JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION

MJAC 816: RADIO AND TV WRITING (45/15 C.F 3.0)

STREAMS: SB TIME: 3 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 7/4/2021 2.30 PM - 5.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer Any **Three** Questions.
- 1. You are the communications officer for your organization and have been tasked with producing a training video for the use of new laboratory equipment. Outline the steps you would take to fulfill your brief. [20 Marks]
- 2. "Well written scripts make people look and sound better on camera." Elaborate on what makes for a well written script and highlight the impact of poorly written scripts on news anchors or presenters in contrast.

 [20 Marks]
- 3. You want to pitch a radio magazine programme to your local station. Write a brief proposal.

[20 Marks]

- 4. You are at a conference on the state of the media programming in Kenya. One of the speakers states that "Kenyan television drama lacks a convincing narrative arc." Evaluate this statement and argue for your standpoint on the issue. [20 Marks]
- 5. When it comes to children's programming social responsibility is key. You work in the acquisitions department of a television station. Outline the principles you would follow in selecting children's programming to air at your station. [20 Marks]

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