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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS

GEOG 315: COASTAL GEOMORPHOLOGY

STREAMS: BED ARTS TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: MONDAY 12/07/2021 8.30 A.M. – 10.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer question ONE and any TWO other questions.
- Use diagrams and sketches to illustrate your answers.
- 1. (a) Distinguish between ocean currents and waves. Explain how they form.

(10 marks)

(b) Explain the variety of forms evident in deltas.

- (20 marks)
- 2. Sea level changes have occurred in geological time. Use examples to distinguish between isostatic and eustatic sea level changes. (20 marks)
- 3. Discuss the formation of two erosion and two deposition features on the coast of East Africa. (20 marks)
- 4. Explain using examples why some waves construct the shoreline while others destroy the shoreline. (20 marks)
- 5. What is the significance of rock types, structure and alignment of the coastal rocks to weathering and erosion? (20 marks)