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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN  
CRIMINOLOGY AND SECURITY STUDIES

CRSS 351: CRIMINAL JUSTICE ADVOCACY AND NETWORKING

STREAMS:

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 14/07/2021

2.30 P.M. – 4.30 P.M.

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Answer question one and any other two
  - Question one carries 30 marks while others are 20 marks each
  - All answers must be in essay form
1. a) Tom is a leading crusader for improving prisons conditions in Kenya. Would prefer those serving misdemeanors to be given alternative sentences outside of prisons, especially due to the risk of contracting covid-19. Advise him on how to organize an advocacy campaign for review of the prison sentences.  
b) Identify and describe conditions that may promote effective criminal justice and advocacy.
  2. a) Highlight causes of wrongful convictions in our criminal courts. (10 marks)  
b) Describe the role played by ‘Innocence projects’ in criminal justice advocacy in the US. (10 marks)
  3. a) Discuss the role of media advocacy in crime control and social awareness.  
b) With the aid of examples, justify why we should advocate for offenders with mental health problems to be treated sensitively within the criminal process.

4. Identify and demonstrate the role of crime victim advocates during the
    - (a) Law enforcement investigation. (10 marks)
    - (b) Process of criminal prosecution. (10 marks)
  
  5. Illustrate by use of an imaginary situation, how you can use mass media in a creative and innovative approach as a criminal justice advocacy tool in relation to;
    - (a) Female genital mutilation
    - (b) Drug abuse in the community
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