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### **UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS**

#### THARAKA UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

# SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

**CDEV 225: GROUP DYNAMICS** 

STREAMS: BSC CDEV TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 06/12/2019 8.30 A.M. – 10.30 A.M.

#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Answer question ONE and any other TWO.
- Do not write anything on the question paper.
- 1. (a) Differentiate between groups, social aggregates and social categories. (6 marks)
  - (b) Critically discuss the approaches that are used in defining groups. (12 marks)
  - (c) Outline and explain the fundamental features common in all groups. (12 marks)
- 2. Using appropriate examples, examine the relevance of groups in community development. (20 marks)
- 3. Identify the various types of groups and their distinguishing features. (20 marks)
- 4. Describe the general pattern of group development and discuss the group dynamics that take place in each stage of group development. (20 marks)
- 5. Explain how and why group dynamics change as groups grow in size. (20 marks)
- 6. Critically assess the merits and demerits of group think. (20 marks)