

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

FOURTH YEAR

SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREES OF CRIMINOLOGY

COURSE CODE: SCR 417

COURSE TITLE: GENDER, CRIME AND JUSTICE

DATE: 21ST NOV 2022

TIME: 8-10AM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question One and any other TWO Questions

TIME: 2 Hours

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- 1. a. Discuss various risk factors that influence women to get involved in offending in slum areas? (20mks)
 - b. Explain various categories of gender violence from a criminological perspective? (10mks)
- 2. Use theories below to account for gender differences in crime
 - i. Theory of anomie (7mks)
 - ii. Masculinity theory (7mks)
 - iii. Social bond theory (6mks)
- 3. i. In some gender based violent cases, women are accused as triggers of crime. Account for this observation from the modern society perspective? (10mks)
 - Use the focal concern theory to explain why court judgments are generally more lenient to women than men in Kenyan courts? (10mks)
- 4. Discuss various reasons as to why we have more male than female serving on prison sentences in Kenya? (20mks)
- 5. From the social constructivism perspective, show how gender can be a structure and also a stratification? (20mks)