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COURSE CODE: IAE 491

COURSE TITLE: TECHNOLOGY & MODERN INDUSTRIAL SOCIETY

DATE: 01/02/2021. TIME: 2HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- 1. Carefully read and follow the instructions contained in your answer booklets.
- 2. This Paper consists of **FIVE** questions. Marks for each question are indicated against them.
- 3. Answer **QUESTION ONE** and any other **TWO** questions.

Question One (30 marks)

a). Describe two models used by many countries as an insight for Education.

b). Outline four processing invention that have greatly increased productivity in the recent years in the area of Technology.

c). Explain three types of knowledge technology according to Woodward approach.

d). Discuss eight areas under which intellectual property systems focuses.

(4 marks)

(6 marks)

(16 marks)

Question Two (20 marks)

a). Describe three things that Japan undertook to accelerate their economic growth. (8 marks)
b). Discuss three factors that enhance intellectual property administration at the stage of

enhancing domestic capabilities and having imported technologies established in the local economy. (12 marks)

Question Three (20 marks)

a). Define the term innovating by doing as used Industrial society. (2 marks)

b). Describe three classes of relevant models of the relationship between Education and growth.

(6 marks)

c). Discuss the approach of James Thompson in understanding technology.

(12 marks)

Question Four (20 marks)

a). Highlight five components of economic growth in an Industrial society. (10 marks)

b). Give five negative consequences of the greater wonders of technology. (10 marks)

Question Five (20 marks)

a). Explain **five** processing inventions that greatly influenced productivity in the past 200 years.

(10 marks)

b). Compute and comment the technological progress of USA from 1900- 2009, using the following information. $G_L = 1.1\%$, $G_K = 1.8\%$, $E_{Q,L} = 0.7\%$, $E_{Q,K} = 0.40\%$ and $G_Q = 2.2\%$.

(10 marks)