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KIBABII UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2021 /2022 ACADEMIC YEAR FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER

MAIN EXAMINATION

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF JOURNALISM & MASS COMMUNICATION

COURSE CODE: JMA 417

COURSE TITLE: ADVERTISING MANAGEMENT

DATE: 20TH MAY 2022

TIME: 2.00PM - 4.00PM

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question **ONE** and any other **TWO** Questions. Marks will only be awarded to well-articulated, supported and practical answers.

TIME: 2 Hours

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SECTION A: COMPULSORY (30 MARKS)

QUESTION ONE

Kibabii University is about to launch a new FM Radio Station scheduled to go On Air, anytime this year and as well the New Students Centre-Shopping and Recreation Complex. Your JMA 417 Class is fully involved in the management of the event.

Evaluate

- (i) The major preparations that your class will put in place shortly before the Big Day (5 marks)
- (ii) Design a modern, creative, trendy and flashy advertisement to capture the moments, mood and excitement of the launch.(5 marks)
- (iii) Explain any five management challenges that as organizers, you are likely to face (10 marks)
- (iv) Highlight mechanisms that you will put in place to overcome the challenges in (iii) above (10 marks)

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Basing your arguments within the framework of advertisements discuss five reasons why each of the following must be kept in mind?
 - i) The objectives of the advertisement.
 - ii) The target audience.
 - iii) The budget.
 - iv) The message.
 - v) The type of media used for the advertisement.
 - vi) Effectiveness of the advertisement (10 marks)
- (b) Explain five objectives that are mandatory in carrying out effective advertising campaigns. (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Public relations is a key strategy in complex advertising management discipline. Making reference to a corporate organization of your choice that is currently functional in Kenya, discuss the role of public relations in advertising management. (10 marks)
- (b) Examine five public relations tools used as a strategy in advertising management. (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

Media planning and decision is a strategic tool in advertising management. In details discuss the various types of above-the-line media that an advertising manager would consider effective in a huge company such as Safaricom? (20 marks).