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SUPP/SPECIAL EXAMINATION

**FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF JOURNALISM & MASS
COMMUNICATION**

COURSE CODE: JMC 217

COURSE TITLE: BASICS PHOTOGRAPHY

DATE: 20/07/2022

TIME: 2:00PM – 4:00PM

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question **ONE** and any other **THREE** Questions

TIME: 2 Hours

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QUESTION ONE

- a. "A successful photojournalist is the one who can change the way people see the world. One who can show pictures and images that have never been shown before." Affirm or dismiss this statement.
- b. Briefly explain the difference between a photographer and a photojournalist
- c. Identify and explain challenges facing photojournalist in Kenya
- d. Identify and explain 10 genre of Photography (5Marks)

QUESTION TWO

- a) Explain how a digital camera acquires an image right from exposure (8 Marks)
- b) Discuss the rule of thirds and its importance in the field of Photography
- c) Using a digital camera, explain FIVE ways of controlling exposure.

QUESTION THREE

Compare and contrast chemical image processing and digital image processing (20 Marks)

QUESTION FOUR

The intended message in a shot dictates the depth of field, type of shot and camera

Angle. Discuss

QUESTION FIVE

Lighting is the back born of photography and it's important that a Photographer understands the basic characteristics. Identify and explain five basic characteristics of lighting.