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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

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FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER

SPECIAL/SUPPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION

COURSE CODE: JMB 412

COURSE TITLE: RADIO PRODUCTION

DATE: 15TH NOVEMBER, 2022

TIME: 8.00 - 10.00AM

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions

TIME: 2 Hours

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QUESTION ONE - COMPULSORY (30 MARKS)

- a) Assume that you been hired as a manager for a radio station to be launched in the near future, explain to your colleagues the five likely broadcasting challenges likely to be encountered. (15 marks)
- b) You are a newly employed radio station manager in a town full of media outlets, explain to your colleagues' five possible programme scheduling strategies to be used in attempt of maintaining audience attention. (10 marks)
- c) Outline five radio features.

(5 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) Assume that you are a station manager for Kibabii FM. Explain to amateur journalists newly employed in your radio station why audience survey is important for your media house. (10 marks)
- b) Explain to the said journalists above why scripting is important for every radio programme. (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

a) Briefly describe the concept social media.

(5 marks)

b) Discuss how social media platforms have affected radio production.

(15 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

a) What are sound effects in radio production?

(5 marks)

b) Discuss how and when sound effects are used in radio programmes production.

(15 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

Discuss the main types of microphones and explain how they are used in radio programmes production.