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**SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF
ARTS**

AGD 102: GENDER, CULTURE AND DEVELOPMENT

DATE: TUESDAY 28TH APRIL 2015

TIME: 8.00 A.M. – 10.00 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer Any Three questions

1. a) Define and explain the relationship between gender, culture and development (13 marks)
b) Briefly explain how development initiatives can be made gender neutral. (12 marks)
2. Explain how initiation rites of passage for boys and girls enhance gender inequalities in African society. (23 marks)
3. Using specific examples describe **any one** major world religion and show how it has enhanced gender inequalities. (23 marks)
4. a) Explain **any four** barriers to women's equal participation in various spheres of economic, social and cultural life of their communities. (13 marks)
b) Explain **any four** measures that would remove these barriers. (10 marks)
5. Explain how culture can be used as an effective tool in correcting gender disparities in Africa today. (23 marks)
6. a) Define sexuality and discuss any three institutions through which men control women's sexuality. (13 marks)
b) Suggest four ways in which these institutions can be improved. (10 marks)