



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2018/2019

FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

AHT 816: POLITICAL ECONOMY OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

DATE: Tuesday, 20th November 2018

TIME: 2.00p.m-5.00p.m

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer any FOUR questions

1. Examine fundamental issues that characterize political economy analysis in public administration
2. Discuss the shift in the theory and practice of public administration from traditional Weberian model to neo-liberal market based model towards the 21st century A.D
3. Critically discuss the contribution of the International Monetary Fund and World Bank in redefining political economy of public administration in the developing world.
4. Interrogate the role of international terrorism in shaping policy frameworks in West and East Africa.
5. Examine the challenges of addressing the political economy of corruption in any one African state
6. Using a case study of Ghana demonstrate how political economy analysis is useful in enhancing public sector efficiency.
7. Assess the political economy of decentralization in one State in Asia.