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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2011/2012

INSTITUTION BASED PROGRAMME

DECEMBER SESSION EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF EDUCATION

EFN/M/510: TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION IN AFRICA

DATE: Friday 4th May, 2012

TIME: 9.00 a.m. – 12.00 p.m.

INSTRUCTIONS: *Attempt any THREE questions.*

1. Examine the view held by some African educators that since independence formal systems of education have been irrelevant to the needs of their countries.
2. Explain whether there should be different curricula for those who will not be going to secondary school in Africa.
3. To what extent could technical and vocational education be considered a panacea to rural-urban migration and unemployment in Africa?
4. Examine the major challenges facing technical and vocational education in Africa. In each case, assess whether the solutions provided redressed the respective challenges.
5. Discuss, with examples, the assertion that technical and vocational education could alleviate poverty in Africa.

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