



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY

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(CITY CAMPUS)

SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF
EXECUTIVE MASTER OF PUBLIC POLICY AND ADMINISTRATION

APP 803: DEVOLVED GOVERNMENT

DATE: Friday, 1st April 2016

TIME: 5.30 p.m. - 8.30 p.m.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer any 3 questions. (Each question carries 20 marks)

1. The UN has asked you to advise on how a neighboring country can decentralize governance in the most optimal manner. Explain the main factors you would consider in your advice on how to plan and execute the decentralization process.
2. Discuss the main efforts undertaken by the Kenyatta government to decentralize the system of government from independence up to 1978.
3. Examine the main land marks of decentralization process in Kenya from 1978 to 2002: What were the challenges experienced?
4. Analyse how the Kenyan system of devolved system compares with any other country of your choice in addressing entrenched iniquities and political marginalization.
5. Using concrete examples, discuss the main causes of friction between the national government and the Council of Governors in Kenya since 2013 and suggest ways of solving the problems.