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REGULAR/ODEL PROGRAMME

MSO 509: POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY

Date: APRIL 2022	Duration: 3 Hours
INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Any FOUR Questions	

Q1. Political Sociology is instrumental in understanding the origins and possible resolution or avoidance of political phenomena involving, or potentially producing, sharp conflict and violence. Discuss **(15 Marks)**

Q2. Discuss the factors that drive the origins and formation of social groupings and their expected or presumed political effects. **(15 Marks)**

Q3. Explain the effects of globalization or (transnational political phenomena) in shaping National political processes. **(15 Marks)**

Q4. Discuss the role of culture and ideas as a major theme in political sociology instrumental in shaping political phenomena. **(15 Marks)**

Q5. Division of labor and its various consequences is a key factor in the formation of larger social groupings that can affect politics in national societies. Explain. **(15 Marks)**

Q6. Discuss Marxism as a Political Social Theory against Capitalism. **(15 Marks)**

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