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MAIN EXAMINATION

AUGUST – DECEMBER 2018 TRIMESTER

FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF HUMANITIES

REGULAR PROGRAMME

GEO 114: SETTLEMENT GEOGRAPHY

Date: DECEMBER 2018

Duration: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions

- Q1. a) Examine the basis of classifying settlements **(3 Marks)**
b) Explain the concept of urban settlement in relation to primacy of a city **(6 Marks)**
c) Explain any four functional classification of towns **(4 Marks)**
d) Examine any four socio-cultural problems of urban settlement in developing countries **(8 Marks)**
e) Discuss any three types of settlements patterns and their significance to urban areas **(9 Marks)**
- Q2. Discuss factors that influenced Africa rural settlements before colonial rule **(20 Marks)**
- Q3. Compare and contrast the Patterns of rural and urban land use, citing examples from a country of your choice **(20 Marks)**
- Q4. Compare the physical determinant and historical cause theories of settlement **(20 Marks)**
- Q5. Examine the relationship between human settlement and economic development **(20 Marks)**

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