SCHOOL OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

BACHELOR OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

UNIT CODE/NAME: BCD 115: INTRODUCTION TO CRIMINOLOGY

January – April 2018/2019 End Semester Exam - Time: 2 Hours

Instructions: Answer Question ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions.

QUESTION ONE

a). Discuss the four Social Dimensions of Crime. **(8 marks)**

b). Discuss any five forms of crime. **(10 marks)**

c). Define the following terms: **(2 marks)**

i). Crime

ii). Criminology

d). Differentiate between deviance and crime. **(4 marks)**

e). By use of relevant examples, explain the following terms **(6 marks)**

i) Crimes against the person and property

ii) Crimes against society and morality

QUESTION TWO

a). Discuss the Criminal Justice system in Kenya by showing the key goals for CJS.**(5 marks)**

b). Interpret Lombroso's Theory of crime. **(5 marks)**

c). Name any five factors which contribute to crime: **(5 marks)**

QUESTION THREE

a). Discuss any Five forms of crime. **(5 marks)**

b). Demonstrate the 4 levels or types of 'mensrea' **(4 marks)**

c). Criminologists have come to some consensus that a crime must have some features. Outline the six features. **(6 marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

a). Analyze the following four elements of crime **(8 marks)**

i) The criminal act – actusreus.

ii) A culpable mental state – the mensrea

iii) A Harm

iv) Legality

b). Discuss the social dimensions of crime. **(7 marks)**

QUESTION FIVE

a). State the strain Theory in relation to crime **(7 marks)**

b). State the fundamental assumptions that all psychological theories on deviance have in common. **(8 marks)**