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END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION  
DIR 1107: SOCIAL ETHICS

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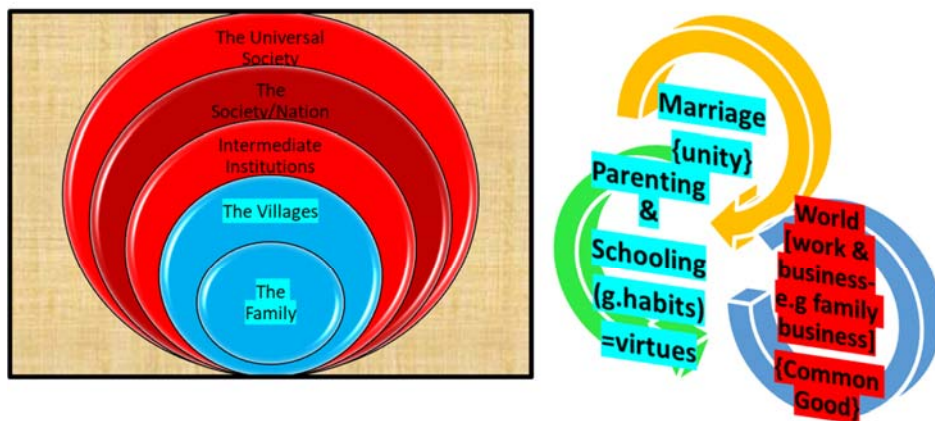
Time: 2Hours

**INSTRUCTION-**

1. This examination consists of **FIVE** questions.
2. Answer **Question ONE (COMPULSORY)** and any other **TWO** questions.

**QUESTION 1 [40 marks]**

Using the theoretical and conceptual framework on how society ought to be organized following an Aristotle-Thomistic tradition as below:



- a. Explain what we mean by certain institutions being natural and others are not. [4 marks]
- b. Illustrate what are “outputs” of a person that are critical as “inputs” in a society for it to flourish [6 marks]
- c. What is the common good? [5 marks]
- d. Marital unity is a factor of understanding the ESSENCE, PROPERTIES and PURPOSE of a marriage. What do these terms mean? [9 marks]
- e. How would you demonstrate how a family business will flourish over generations? – Hint: You may need to demonstrate all the critical social sub-systems [18 marks]

**[ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS] [40 MARKS]**

**QUESTION 2**

- a. Make brief notes on [3 marks each – total of 15 marks]
  - a. Law v/s order
  - b. Eternal law v/s natural law.
  - c. Levels of life
  - d. Learn to live together
  - e. Passions
- b. International society flourishes when certain ethical concepts exist. List and briefly explain TWO of these concepts.  
**[5 Marks]**

### **QUESTION 3**

- a. Illustrate the difference between IQ, MQ, and EQ? **[6 marks]**
- b. There are aspects of one's personality that may or may not change. Using your knowledge of the person, illustrate why we emphasize may or may not change. Give some examples on what you may help a junior staff member joining your team in an NGO on their "MAY NOT CHANGE" aspects of their personality **[14 Marks]**

### **QUESTION 4**

- a. With the knowledge of anthropology how would you explain any of the TWO concepts – RESPONSIBILITY, COMMUNICATION, OR IDENTITY in relation to ones' sexuality? **[6 marks]**
- b. Illustrate how we get to know scientifically? **[12 marks]**
- c. Illustrate ONE WAY using an example that we claim the fact that the soul's faculties are IMMORTAL [2 marks]

### **QUESTION 5**

- a. List any TWO institutions that are involved in a promotion of human dignity or defence of family in our world today. **[4 marks]**
- b. In what TWO ways to these institutions promote policy internationally? **[6 marks]**
- c. List FIVE themes that would be included in a country's Family Policy **[10 marks]**