

#### SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES

## BACHELOR OF ARTS IN DEVELOPMENT STUDIES & PHILOSOPHY

### END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

#### BDP 4107: ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Time: 13:00 – 15:00

DATE: Friday 25th October 2019

# Instructions

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

1.

- 1a) Explain the origins of the global environmental agenda (15 marks)
- 1b) Citing relevant examples, discuss the functions of international environmental cooperation (15 marks)
- 2. Citing relevant examples, explain why international law is needed to protect the environment (15 marks)
- 3. Assess three key areas of human vulnerability to climate change in Africa (15 marks)
- 4. Discuss the key issues and challenges of freshwater scarcity in Africa (15 marks)

5.

- 5a) Define the concept of sustainable development (5 marks)
- 5b) Discuss the history of the concept of sustainable development (10 marks)