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FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ECONOMICS

BEC 3453: PROJECT PLANNING AND EVALUATION

DATE: APRIL 2024

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer question *one* and any other *two* questions

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Explain the following concepts as used in project planning and evaluation
- i) Logical framework (2 marks)
 - ii) Work breakdown structure (2 marks)
 - iii) Project indicators (2 marks)
 - iv) Project monitoring (2 marks)
 - v) Project appraisal (2 marks)
- b) Discuss the interrelatedness of the project performance parameters/constraints (10 marks)
- c) With the use of appropriate examples explain areas in which project designers focus on during project evaluation (10 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) With the use of appropriate examples explain the components of a good evaluation report (10 marks)

- b) Elucidate the importance of stakeholders analysis during project designing phase
(10 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) You were invited to an international forum to give a talk on project feasibility studies.
Describe key issues you would capture in your write up (12 marks)
- b) Elucidate the possible causes of project monitoring and evaluation system failure
(8 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) Identify a problem in your community and construct a project problem tree
(12 marks)
- b) What is a project budget? Elucidate its importance in project planning (8 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- a) What is a project proposal? Explain its components (12 marks)
- b) (i) What is meant by participatory monitoring and evaluation (2 marks)
(ii) Explain its merits (6 marks)