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1<sup>ST</sup> SEMESTER 2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION (CORE COURSE FOR  
ALL PROGRAMMES)

**HURI 111: HUMAN RIGHTS**

***STREAM:***

***TIME: 2 HRS***

***DAY: WEDNESDAY [11.30-13.30 P.M]***     ***DATE: 06/12/2023***

**THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF TWO (2) PAGES**

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

- (i) Answer Question ONE and any other TWO questions**
- (ii) Do not write on the question paper**

**Question One: Compulsory (30 Marks)**

- (a) Explain what Human Rights are and what they are not **(5 Marks)**
- (b) Explain the concept “Duty Bearer” as used in Human Rights studies **(10 Marks)**
- (c) Explain the various categories of Human Rights as enjoyed in Kenya **(15 Marks)**

**Question Two**

- (a) What are fundamental Human Rights? **(5 Marks)**
- (b) Explain using relevant examples the main sources of Human Rights in Kenya **(15 Marks)**

**Question Three**

- (a) With examples explain the responsibilities of Rights holder of Human Rights **(10 Marks)**
- (b) Explain why a criminologist needs to study Human Rights **(10 Marks)**

**Question Four**

- (a) Explain the contribution of World wars to the development of human rights in the world **(8 Marks)**
- (b) With relevant examples, explain the United Nations’ commissions that deal with women’s rights **(12 Marks)**

**Question Five**

- (a) Explain the situation of Kenyan woman as far as human rights are concerned **(5 Marks)**
- (b) Explain some of the achievements that have been attributed to the United Nations as an organisation concerned with human rights in the world **(15 Marks)**

