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## UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

**SECOND SEMESTER 2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF  
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS/SCIENCE)**

### **GEOG 229: HUMAN GEOGRAPHY II**

***STREAM: R***

***TIME: 2 HRS***

***DAY: THURSDAY [8.30 – 10.30 A.M]***

***DATE: 18/04/2024***

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

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**Instructions**

*Answer question ONE and any other TWO Questions*

*Sketch Maps and diagrams should be used whenever they serve to illustrate an answer.*

**QUESTION ONE**

- a) Explaining the meaning of the following terms as used in human geography:
- i. Economic activity (2 Marks)
  - ii. Cost distance (2 Marks)
  - iii. Chain migration (2 Marks)
  - iv. Population growth (2 Marks)
  - v. Locational theory (2 Marks)
- b) Citing relevant examples, discuss the factors that impel people to migrate (10 Marks)
- c) Explain how cost factors influence the location of human activities (10 Marks)

**QUESTION TWO**

Citing relevant examples, explain locational behavior depicted by consumers (20 Marks)

**QUESTION THREE**

- a) Explain how the Spatial Limit Model has been used to show that several different points may be optimal manufacturing locations (8 Marks)
- b) Examine the factors that are considered in explaining movement patterns. (12 Marks)

**QUESTION FOUR**

- a) Explain the positive effects of population growth on economic development. (12 Marks)
- b) Explain the locational implications of communication networks. (8 Marks)

**QUESTION FIVE**

Concerning developing countries, discuss the positive and negative effects of economic globalization. (20 Marks)

