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DURATION: 3 HOURS	MARKS: 100

SECOND OPPORTUNITY EXAMINATION	
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INSTRUCTIONS

ANSWER THREE (3) QUESTIONS

QUESTION 1 IS COMPULSORY. CHOOSE TWO (2) QUESTIONS FROM SECTION B

- 1. Write clearly and neatly
- 2. Read all questions carefully
- 3. Number the answers clearly

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SECTION A

INSTRUCTION: COMPULSORY QUESTION

Question 1 (Schools of Thoughts in Media, Communication and Development) (40 Marks)

Manyozo (2006) suggests that development communication be discussed in plural and divided into six schools of thoughts in media, communication and development. The categorisations are based on planned, systematic and strategic communication strategies; coherent method; attachment to academic, training and research institutions; and sources of project funding. With examples, discuss the six schools of thought in development communication.

SECTION B

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS ONLY

Question 2 (Social-Ecological Model on Communication for Development) (30 Marks)

Discuss the influence of the socio-ecological model on communication for development initiatives. Use an example of a social ill for which you are supposed to develop a communication campaign to illustrate how the model can influence the development and success of the initiative.

Question 3 (Information and Communication Technologies) (30 Marks)

The rise of more sophisticated Communication and Information Technologies (ICTs), such as satellites or the Internet, social media and many others, has opened new horizons and opportunities for development communication. Critically examine the role of Information and Communication Technologies in supporting development communication.

Question 4 (Development Defined) (30 Marks)

'Development' is a concept which is contested both theoretically and politically, and is inherently both complex and ambiguous. In one of your readings by Sumner, A. (2007) What is 'Development'?, development is explained in three different definition: 'Development' as a long-term process of structural societal transformation, 'Development' as a short- to medium-term outcome of desirable targets and 'Development' as a dominant 'discourse' of Western modernity. Pick one of the definitions and with at least six local examples, explain what the definition means to you.

Question 5 (Seven Threads of Development) (30 Marks)

According to Colle (1998), there are seven threads that have contributed to the fabric we call 'development communication'. These threads highlight the patterns of actions that reflect how development communication evolved. With examples, discuss the assumptions of these seven threads of development communication, highlighting the patterns of actions that reflect how development communication evolved.

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