

# MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (MMUST)

# UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

## 2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

# FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

#### MAIN EXAMINATION

### FOR THE

# DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY DEGREE IN EDUCATIONAL MANAGEMENT AND POLICY STUDIES

COURSE CODE:

**EPM 933** 

COURSE TITLE:

STRATEGIC PLANNING MANAGEMENT

AND MANAGEMENT OF CHANGE

DATE: 18 DECEMBER 2023

TIME: 1400HRS - 1700HRS

### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Answer Any THREE (3) Questions

TIME: 3 Hours

MMUST observes ZERO tolerance to examination cheating

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### **QUESTION ONE**

- a) Define the concepts Innovation and Evaluation. Briefly analyze the significance of each term, noting their applicability in strategic planning and management (10 marks)
- b)Analyze and synthesize any five approaches through which members of any social organization respond to change (10 Marks)

### **QUESTION TWO**

- a) Explain in what ways the secondary schools have benefited from the strategic management process (8 Marks)
- b) Using relevant examples discuss six characteristics of a good strategic plan (12 Marks)

### **QUESTION THREE**

- a) Using Bass's Theory, briefly compare and contrast, noting the significance of transactional and transformational leadership in this 21<sup>st</sup> century social organizational management (6 Marks)
- b) Analyze and synthesize applicability of strategic management in social organizations (14 Marks)

# **QUESTION FOUR**

In his 14 Principles for management, Deming argues that social organizations should "eliminate Management By Objectives (MBO). Give a clear synthesis of this principle in the context of a secondary school in Kenya presently (20 Marks)