

# The Co-operative University of Kenya

## **SUPPLEMENTARY / SPECIAL EXAMINATION AUGUST- 2019**

## **EXAMINATION FOR THE DIPLOMA IN CATERING & HOTEL MANAGEMENT**

## <u>UNIT CODE: DCHM 1203</u> <u>UNIT TITLE: HOSPITALITY MARKETING</u>

DATE: 27<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2019 TIME: 2:30 PM – 4:30 PM

#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

• Answer question **ONE** (compulsory) and any other **TWO** questions

#### **QUESTION ONE**

a) Define the following terms;

(10marks)

- i) Marketing
- ii) Product
- iii) Marketing Research
- iv) Market penetration
- v) Niche market
- b) As a chief in town hotel explain FOUR ways how you would excel against your competitors (9marks)
- c) Differentiate between selling and marketing of products (5marks)
- d) Explain Three reasons why you would market your products

(6marks)

## **QUESTION TWO**

a) Explain the 7Ps of marketing

(14marks)

b) During the decline stage of a product, describe TWO ways marketer can rejuvenate the product (6marks)

## **QUESTION THREE**

- a) Explain Eight macro environmental factors which can affect a marketer (16marks)
- b) Giving reasons explain TWO future trends of marketing

(4marks)

## **QUESTION FOUR**

- a) As a marketer it is important to know you target group, giving six reasons. Explain why (12marks)
- b) Explain four issues that happen during the product life cycle at maturity stage

(8marks)

#### **QUESTION FIVE**

Discuss the FIVE impacts of technology in hospitality

(20marks)