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BACHELOR OF ARTS (SOCIAL SCIENCE) YEAR IV  
FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER, MAY 2007

**TITLE OF PAPER :** PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND GOVERNANCE

**COURSE CODE :** PA 409

**TIME ALLOWED :** THREE (3) HOURS

**INSTRUCTIONS :**

1. ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS.
2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS OF 25.

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1. What is governance? Identify and discuss the good governance indicators developed by the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA).
2. Examine both Goran Hyden and Gerry Stoker approaches to governance.
3. Write an analytical essay on the independence of the judiciary in less developed countries.
4. Discuss Gerald E. Caiden's model of administrative reform and change in the third world.
5. What is corruption? Discuss the causes, forms, effects and control of corruption in Africa.
6. Define the term non-governmental organizations (NGOs) and proceed to discuss the strengths and weaknesses of these organisations as instruments for local development.
7. Outline and discuss the main elements of good corporate governance.
8. Write notes on the following aspects of conflict:-
  - (a) Conflict prevention
  - (b) Conflict management
  - (c) Conflict resolution