

FACULTY OF LAW
END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS - APRIL 2025

PROGRAMME: LLB

YEAR/SEM: YEAR 3/SEMESTER 2

COURSE CODE: LLB 3205

NAME: JURISPRUDENCE II

DATE: 2025-04-14

TIME: 2:00-5:00PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

1. Read the instructions very carefully
2. The time allowed for this examination is STRICTLY three hours
3. Read each question carefully before you attempt and allocate your time equally between all the Sections
4. Write clearly and legibly. Illegible handwriting cannot be marked
5. Number the questions you have attempted
6. Use of appropriate workplace examples to illustrate your answers will earn you bonus marks
7. Any examination malpractice detected will lead to automatic disqualification.

DO NOT WRITE ANYTHING ON THE QUESTION PAPER

Section A Compulsory

Question 1:

Â Â Â A multinational construction company, BuildTech Ltd, was awarded a government contract to construct a major highway. Midway through the project, the Ministry of Infrastructure terminated the contract, citing delays and alleged breaches of contract. BuildTech Ltd argues that the delays were due to unforeseen circumstances, including government bureaucracy and changes in project specifications. The company demands compensation for losses incurred, while the government insists it acted within its rights. Both parties seek a resolution without lengthy process since the works are urgently required in preparation of the international events to be hosted by Uganda.

Required: *With reference to your knowledge of dispute resolution, discuss possible ways and available options of resolving this dispute effectively. (25 Marks)*

Section B Choose only one question

Question 1:

1. With relevant examples and authorities, write short notes on the following;
 - a) Critical Legal Studies (CLS)
 - b) Feminist theory
 - c) Popular justice
 - d) Sociological theory
 - e) Relationship between the law and religion **(25 marks)**

Question 2:

1. With examples, write short notes on the following;
 - a) Cultural feminism
 - b) Separation of powers
 - c) Distributive justice
 - d) Ubuntu
 - e) Theories of adjudication **(25 marks)**

Section C

Question 1:

1. Critically analyze the relevance of Karl Marx's theory of law of class struggle in the 21st century. In your response, discuss whether Marxist thought remains useful for understanding modern economic and social inequalities. **(25 marks)**

Question 2:

1. *Uganda's legal education is an impractical incoherent monologue of theories and principles. It is unable to prepare students for the practical application of the law and justice upon the conclusion of their journey.* Discuss the above statement and suggest reforms to practicalize legal

education and increase the quality of law students.

(25 marks)

Question 3:

1. With examples and by examining relevant theories that support or challenge the idea that law must reflect moral principles, discuss the extent to which law and morality are inter-connected? **(25 marks)**

Question 4:

1. The concept of popular justice in Uganda is a total failure. It is of no relevance in the administration of justice in Uganda. Do you agree? Discuss your position with reasons. **(25 marks)**