



**REFORMED CHURCH UNIVERSITY**

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**FACULTY OF ARTS, THEOLOGY AND HERITAGE  
STUDIES**

**BACHELOR OF ARTS HONOURS DEGREE IN MEDIA AND  
DEVELOPMENT STUDIES**

**MEDIA AND GENDER DEVELOPMENT IN AFRICA**

**HMDS 204**

**PART 2 SEMESTER 1 EXAMINATION**

**TOTAL MARKS [100]**

**DATE: DECEMBER 2022**

**TIME: 3 HOURS**

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

1. This paper has *five (5)* questions
2. Each question carries *100 marks*
3. Answer three (*3*) questions
4. Start each question on a new page

1. 'Media reinforces traditional sex-role stereotypes.' Discuss this assertion using examples in the Zimbabwean Context. (100)
2. Discuss any two feminist theories in relation to the advancement of women's rights in Zimbabwe. (100)
3. Examine the possible benefits of new media to women in politics in Zimbabwe. (100)
4. Gender is a social construct? Comment. (100)
5. Examine the representations of women in Tabloids in Zimbabwe and the possible implications of such representations on gender relations. (100)

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