



**REFORMED CHURCH UNIVERSITY**

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

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

**LOCAL GOVERNANCE IN ZIMBABWE**

**HDS 202**

**PART 2 SEMESTER 1 EXAMINATION**

**TOTAL MARKS [100]**

Date: October 2024

Time: 3 Hours

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

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

1. 'Participation in local governance in Zimbabwe only exists on paper.'  
Comment with examples. (100)
  
2. How justified is the view that the tax-payer has become a 'milking cow'  
for local governments? (100)
  
3. Analyse the elements of good governance. Cite relevant examples.  
(100)
  
4. Examine the link between good governance and development. Give  
relevant examples. (100)
  
5. Assess the impact of urban Residents Association in improving service  
delivery. Cite examples. (100)

**END OF PAPER**