

# FACULTY OF COMMERCE

# BACHELOR OF COMMERCE HONOURS DEGREE IN HUMAN RESOURCES, INDUSTRIAL & LABOUR RELATIONS MANAGEMENT

# LABOUR ECONOMICS

#### **HHRM 222**

# PART 2 SEMESTER 1

Total Marks [100]

DATE: JUNE 2024

Time: 3 Hours

# INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. This paper has *six* (6) questions
- 2. Answer question *one* (1) and *any* other three (3)
- 3. Each question carries 25 marks
- 4. Start each question on a new page

- 1. Examine the nature of labour economics given the current situation in Zimbabwe. (25)
- Evaluate any 5 factors that influence human capital investment in Zimbabwe. (25)
- Discuss any 5 strategies that can be used to create employment in Zimbabwe.
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- Explain the Becker (1957) "taste for discrimination" model highlighting the extent to which it explains the actual labour market behaviour in Zimbabwe. (25)
- 5. Discuss the implications of the classical wage theory to a human resource manager in an organization of choice. (25)
- 6. Assess the causes of wage differentials in the labour market from the Zimbabwean context. (25)

### **END OF PAPER**