

UNIVERSITY OF KWAZULU-NATAL
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SCHOOL : ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES
LEVEL : HONOURS
MODULE : ADVANCED TOURISM STUDIES
CODE : GEOG 744

DURATION: 3 HOURS

TOTAL MARKS: 300

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INSTRUCTIONS: Answer THREE questions.
Each question is worth 100 marks.

1. Discuss critically the influence of globalization and climate change on tourism development.
2. Provide an in-depth analysis of how tourism can contribute to urban and rural rejuvenation. Use case studies to enhance your discussion.
3. Discuss the various management techniques (tools) that help minimize the negative ecological impacts of tourism in order to maintain sustainable levels of usage.
4. Assess the strengths and weaknesses of the South African White Paper on Tourism (1996) and discuss its implications for sustainable tourism development.
5. Event tourism is one of the fastest growing components of the tourism industry and is a relatively new focus in tourism planning. Using examples, explain event tourism and assess opportunities and challenges that this type of tourism presents in the African context.
6. A major concern in the tourism sector is crime. This includes both perceptions of and actual crime rates in a country. Examine the impacts of crime on the tourism sector in South Africa.