

NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

2023_2 EXAMINATIONS...

COURSE CODE: POL 412

COURSE TITLE: POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY

CREDIT UNIT: 3

TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS (All questions carry 17.5 marks

each)

- Q.1. Demonstrate an understanding of Talcott Parsons AGIL paradigm which seeks to explain the systems theory. (17.5 marks)
- Q.2. Discuss how Robert Michel's Iron Law of Oligarchy seeks to explain the theory of elitism. (17.5 marks)
- Q.3. Examine National Identity as showcased by citizenship and the methods by which it can be acquired? (17.5 marks)
- Q.4. Evaluate the relationship between globalisation and its effects on Africa's evolving political structures? (17.5 marks)
- Q.5. What is the impact of behaviouralism as a theoretical approach to the study of political sociology. (17.5 marks)