



PROGRAM : BACHELORS URBAN AND REGIONAL
PLANNING (BURP)

SUBJECT : **SOCIOLOGY AND PLANNING 3A**

CODE : **SOCTRA3**

DATE : WINTER EXAMINATION (SUPPLEMENTARY)

DURATION : SESSION-1: 8:30 - 11:30 HRS

WEIGHT : 50 : 50

TOTAL MARKS : 100

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INSTRUCTIONS:

- All questions are compulsory.
- Read the questions carefully and present your answer in a clear and logical manner for respective sections of the questions.
- Any question can be answered first, however mark the question number clearly.

Q1. Briefly define what sociology is and discuss the key contributions the three founding scholars of sociology made to the field of sociology. (15)

Q2. What do you understand by social stratification and of what relevance is it to town and regional planning policy and practice in South Africa (15)

Q3. 'The settler's town is a strongly built town, all made of stone and steel. It is a brightly lit town [...] The native town is a hungry town, starved of bread, of meat, of coal, of light...' (Fanon, 1968: 39).

Using the above statement as a starting point, reflect on the apartheid town planning system and the influence played by racial and ethnic ideologies in creating contemporary South African cities (20)

Q4. Discuss how systemic violence limits the urban poor's realisation of full citizenship. What is the relationship between the concepts of citizenship and the rights to the city? (15)

Q5. Provide a critical reflection on the relationship between mobility, gender, urban crime and spatial planning in the making and shaping of cities in South Africa and in the globe. (20)

Q6. What is social change? Discuss the agents of social change in societies around the globe. (15)

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