



## SOCIAL AND CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY HIGHER LEVEL PAPER 3

Tuesday 21 May 2013 (morning)

1 hour

## **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- Do not turn over this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Answer one question.
- The maximum mark for this examination paper is [20 marks].

Answer one question. The answer must refer to both theoretical perspectives and theory/schools of thought in anthropology and their application to specific and clearly identified ethnographic illustrations. Each question is worth [20 marks].

- 1. Contrast the approach of a conflict-centred anthropologist with the approach of a cohesion-centred anthropologist.
- 2. Discuss how **one** theoretical perspective and theory/school of thought helps to better understand a contemporary social issue.
- **3.** Discuss a diachronic perspective with reference to **one** of the following:
  - societies and cultures in contact
  - political organization
  - belief systems and practices.
- **4.** Compare how **two** of the following schools of thought have informed ethnography:
  - structural functionalism
  - postmodernism
  - · structuralism.
- **5.** Evaluate the importance of **one or more** of the following in the work of **one** ethnographer:
  - agency-centred perspective
  - idealist perspective
  - materialist perspective.