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**FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES**  
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**2020\_1 EXAMINATION**

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**Course Code: PAD742**

**Credit Unit: 2**

**Course Title: Development Theory and Administration**

**Time Allowed: 2<sup>1/2</sup> HOURS**

**Instructions:**

- 1. Attempt Question 1 and any other two (2) Questions.**
  - 2. Question 1 is compulsory and carries 30marks while the other 2 Questions carry 20marks each.**
  - 3. Present all your points in a coherent and orderly manner.**
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1(a) What is Development Administration

(b) List and explain any five (5) nature of Development Administration **30marks**

2. Outline and explain any five (5) principal functions of Development Administration as enumerated by Naidu, 2006. **20marks**

3. Discuss the main premise of the Smithian theory of population/Development and briefly highlight any two (2) of its limitations. **20marks**

4. Development Administration has come under certain criticisms. Outline and discuss any five (5) of these criticisms. **20marks**

5. What is Totalitarian Planning? Discuss any two (2) criticisms/limitations of this kind of Planning. **20marks**