



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY
DIGITAL SCHOOL OF VIRTUAL AND OPEN LEARNING (DSVOL)
EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR ARTS
AND BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

AHT 300: SPECULATIVE PHILOSOPHY OF HISTORY

2nd Trimester 2022/2023

TIME: 2 Hrs

INSTRUCTIONS:

Attempt ALL Questions in this Section (30 marks)

SECTION A

1. Highlight the concerns and issues raised in speculative philosophy of history (15 marks)
2. Comment critically on Edward Carr's view on the role of an individual in the history of a society (15 marks)

Attempt TWO Questions in this section (40 marks)

SECTION B:

3. Evaluate the philosophy of history of Saint Augustine (30 marks)
4. Using illustrative examples, discuss how Wilhelm Fredrick Hegel viewed the concept of "Freedom" as the main goal of history. (20 marks)
5. With use of relevant examples, critically analyze the linear and cyclic processes in historical interpretation. (20 marks)