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EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS (HISTORY)

AHT 805: HISTORY OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

DATE: Friday, 29th April, 2016

TIME: 9.00 a.m. - 12.00 p.m.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer any **FOUR** questions.

1. To what extent would you argue that Africa entered the modern international relations at Berlin Conference from a disadvantaged position.
2. What arguments can you give to demonstrate the view that international relations in Africa predates other continents.
3. What do you consider the driving force behind the rise of alliances in European international relations in the early twentieth century?
4. "A dreamer without significance in the history of international relations." Would you think this to be a fair summary of Woodrow Wilson's contribution to diplomacy?
5. Summarize the significance of the "German Question" as a key talking point in the Cold War period international relations.
6. Demonstrate how the arms race and the formation of the NATO and the Warsaw Pact mutated into a deadly competition between the USA and the Soviet Union during the Cold War Period.
7.
 - a) Articulate the content of globalization.
 - b) How has globalization affected African countries since the 1950s?
8. The African Union has had no significant impact on African diplomacy in the global arena." Discuss.