



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY
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**FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS
AND BACHELOR OF EDUCATION**

AHT 415: INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS SINCE 1900 CE

DATE: Friday, 2nd December 2016

TIME: 4.30 p.m. - 6.30 p.m.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer any **Three** questions.

1. (a) Differentiate between the following concepts:
 - (i) International relations and international politics.
 - (ii) State actors and Non-state actors.
 - (iii) Foreign policy and public policy.
 - (iv) Legitimacy and sovereignty.

(b) Trace the historical evolution of International Relations as an academic discipline.

(c) Critically examine the Peace Treaty of Westphalia and the legacy of Sovereignty.
 2. Critically examine realism, idealism and Marxism as the main theoretical perspectives of International relations.
 3. In which ways would you consider the systems of alliances in Europe as significant in shaping the nature of international relations towards the First World War.
 4. (a) Briefly discuss the nature of the cold war that began in the aftermath of World War II.

(b) Analyze the concerns of the Yalta Conference of 1945.
 5. "The United Nations Organization is a typical example of 'an old woman in a new dress'". Citing relevant examples, analyze the validity of this statement.
 6. Discuss Woodrow Wilson's contribution to International Peace under the following subheadings;
 - (i) His philosophy as encapsulated in the 14 points.
 - (ii) His relations with the American Public after the Paris Peace Conference.
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