



**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS**  
**EXAMINATION FOR JANUARY TO APRIL 2019 FOR**  
**BACHELORS DEGREE IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS & DIPLOMACY**

**RIR 413: INTERNATIONAL PEACE SUPPORT OPERATIONS**

**DATE 15<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2019**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:**

Students are NOT permitted to write on the examination paper during reading time.

This is a closed book examination. Text book/Reference books/notes are not permitted.

**SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1 Write your REGISTRATION NO. clearly on the answer booklet(s).**
- 2 Answer question one (compulsory) and any other two.**
- 3 Questions in all sections should be answered in answer booklet(s).**
- 4 Marks allocated to each question are shown at the end of the question.**
- 5 PLEASE start the answer to EACH question on a NEW PAGE.**
- 6 For the questions, write the number of the question on the answer booklet(s) in the order you answered them.**
- 7 Write your answers in paragraph form unless stated otherwise.**
- 8 Keep your phone(s) SWITCHED OFF at the front of the examination room and NOT on your person.**
- 9 Keep ALL bags and caps at the front of the examination room and do not refer to any unauthorized material before or during the course of the examination.**
- 10 You are only allowed to leave the exam room 30minutes to the end of the Exam.**

## SECTION A: 30 MARKS (Compulsory)

### QUESTION ONE

- a) Examine at least three humanitarian intervention missions, indicating whether they were genuine or not. **(15 Marks)**
- b) Evaluate the notion that, ‘as peace operation activities have grown in complexity, so have their side-effects.’ **(15 Marks)**

## SECTION B: 40 MARKS (CHOOSE ANY TWO QUESTIONS)

### QUESTION TWO

- a) Analyze the extent to which the basic principles of United Nations Peacekeeping contribute to effective peacekeeping. **(10 Marks)**
- b) To what extent are the recommendations of the *Agenda for Peace Report* and the *Brahimi Report* important to effective peacekeeping? **(10 Marks)**

### QUESTION THREE

- a) Evaluate the suitability of United Nations Peacekeeping Operations as a tool of establishing international peace and security. **(10 Marks)**
- b) Examine the arguments for and against the use of Private Security Companies for Peacekeeping. **(10 Marks)**

### QUESTION FOUR

- a) Analyze the contributions of the *Double Effect Doctrine* and the *Do no Harm Approach* to peacekeeping. **(10 Marks)**
- b) With regard to peacekeeping, analyze the assertion that ‘women can and must play a leading role in conflict resolution and in the transition from conflict to peace’ **(10 Marks)**

### QUESTION FIVE

Assess African Union peacekeeping operations within the context of continental peace and security. **(20 Marks)**