



RIARA SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS & DIPLOMACY

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EXAMINATIONS FOR DEGREE IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS & DIPLOMACY

DAY PROGRAMME

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RIR 307: DOCUMENTS OF DIPLOMACY COURSE

DATE: 11TH DECEMBER 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 One in Section B
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
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 examination room 30 minutes to the end of the Examination

SECTION A: COMPULSORY

QUESTION ONE

- a) Explain the Role of Documents of Documents of Diplomacy to Diplomacy and International Relations in general. **(10 Marks)**
- b) Assess the role of treaties as a salient document of Diplomacy in the conduct of International Relations in the 21st Century. **(10 Marks)**
- c) Explain the various problems associated with the classification of Documents of Diplomacy. **(10 Marks)**

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS

QUESTION TWO

- a) Treaties play various roles in modern International Relations and Diplomacy and this accounts for their importance as documents of Diplomacy. Discuss **(10 Marks)**
- b) Analyze the various types of briefs and their significance as documents that aid the practice and conduct of Diplomacy. **(10 Marks)**

QUESTION THREE

- a) Write an internal letter of Diplomatic communication from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to the Kenyan Mission in Uganda, Informing them of an intended visit by Students of Riara University to Kampala Uganda. They intend to travel on 12th -14th January, 2019 and the agenda is to visit Makerere University for a Technological Symposium themed 'Technology for Sustainable Development in Africa' agreements. The delegation comprising of 40 Students and 3 staff Members would also like to pay a courtesy call to Kenyan High Commission Offices in Kampala. **(10 marks)**
- b) Write a response to the above Internal Diplomatic letter and conclude all the matters therein **(10 Marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

Write a Note verbale: From the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International trade of the Republic of Kenya to the Islamic Republic of Iran and inform them of a visit by our Cabinet Secretary of Energy and Petroleum on 25-30 August 2014. The agenda of the meeting is to hold talks with his counterpart regarding the management of Oil resources. The Cabinet Secretary of Energy would also like to visit key Oil Industries in Iran. The Delegation is composed of 12 Members including the Cabinet Secretary. **(20 Marks)**

QUESTION FIVE

Discuss the structures of Diplomatic Bilateral Negotiations and cite the documents that are relevant to the process. **(20 Marks)**