



UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS
EXAMINATION FOR MAY TO AUGUST 2016 FOR
BACHELOR OF ARTS IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS & DIPLOMACY
COURSE CODE: RIR1103

**COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL CONFLICT
MANAGEMENT**

DATE: 8TH AUGUST 2016

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 questions 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 examination room 30minutes to the end of the Examination.**

SECTION A: 30 MARKS – Answer all questions in this section

QUESTION ONE

- a) Distinguish violent conflict with any other types of conflict. (10 marks)
- b) Structural conflict is at the core of many conflicts in Africa. Discuss (10 marks)
- c) Using relevant explain the concept of internationalization of conflict. (10 marks)

SECTION B: 40 MARKS: Answer any TWO questions in this section

QUESTION TWO

Different approaches are used to manage conflict. Discuss the merits and demerits of these approaches

(20 marks)

QUESTION THREE

With relevant examples from the African continent, explain the following;

- a) Ethnic conflicts (10 marks)
- b) Asymmetric conflicts. (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

The nature - nurture debate is the scientific, cultural, and philosophical debate about whether human culture, behavior, and personality are caused primarily by nature or nurture. Discuss how the debate has contributed to the explanation of International conflict.

(20marks)

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