

(KNOWLEDGE FOR DEVELOPMENT) KIBABII UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2020/2021 ACADEMIC YEAR

SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER MAIN EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTERS DEGREE IN HISTORY

Course code: HIS 812

COURSE CODE: PHILOSOPHY OF HISTORY

DATE: SEPTEMBER 6, 2022 TIME: 9 - 12 NOON

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS. EACH

QUESTION IS 20 MARKS.

- 1. Discuss the origins and meaning of philosophy of history
- 2. Examine the question of objectivity and subjectivity in historical studies
- 3. Explain the concept of causation as used in history
- 4. Why is explanation so vital in the philosophy of history?
- 5. Examine the Philosophy of G W Hegel
- 6. Interrogate the ideas of Karl Marx in terms of historical studies