



(Knowledge for development)
KIBABII UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER

**SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION
FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)**

COURSE CODE: HIS 313

**COURSE TITLE: DEVELOPMENT OF HISTORICAL THOUGHT
SINCE 1900**

DATE: NOVEMBER 15, 2022

TIME: 2 – 4 PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- 1. Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions**
- 2. Question ONE is compulsory (30 marks)**

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QUESTION ONE

a) Illustrating your answer with historical explanation, discuss the following aspects of causation in history. (15 marks)

i) chance

ii) Great man theory.

b) Explain the following theories of truth and how they apply in history (15 marks)

i) Coherence

j) Pragmatic theory of truth

QUESTION TWO

Explain the main features of Plekhanov in the role of individual ideas. (20 marks)

QUESTION THREE

“Illustrating your answer with historical examples, explain Toynbee’s theory of challenge and response and its applicability in a school environment (20 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

Illustrating your answer with historical examples explain Toynbee’s theory of challenge and response and its applicability in a school environment. (20 marks)

QUESTION 5

Why is debate on subjectivity in history unresolved? (20 marks)