



KIBABII UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION

ACADEMIC YEAR 2023/2024

FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER

MAIN EXAMINATION

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS

COURSE CODE: HIS411

COURSE TITLE: ISSUES IN AFRICAN HISTORIOGRAPHY

DATE: 11TH DEC 2023

TIME: 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer **ALL** Questions in Section (A) and any other **TWO (2)** Questions in Section (B) ▶

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SECTION A (COMPULSORY QUESTIONS)

1. Assess the contribution of Africans to the development of;
i) Islam (10 marks)
ii) Science and Technology (10 marks)
iii) Slavery (10 marks)

SECTION B (OPTIONAL QUESTIONS)

2. Evaluate any FOUR forms of oral historiography used to write African history (20 marks)
3. To what extent has the colonial legacy continued to influence development challenges in contemporary Africa? (20 marks)
4. Compare and contrast the Colonial with the Africanist school of thought in the writing and interpretation of African history (20 marks)
5. Explore how efforts to decolonize historical narratives have evolved and their implications for understanding the complexities of Africa's past. (20 marks)