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Knowledge for Development

UNIVERSITY REGULAR EXAMINATIONS 2014/2015 ACADEMIC YEAR 1st YEAR 1ST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN HISTORY

COURSE CODE: HIS803

COURSE TITLE: IMPERIALISM, DECOLONISATION AND NEO-COLONIALISM

DATE: 11TH AUGUST, 2014 TIME: 2:00P.M. – 5:00P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

• Answer four (4) questions. All questions carry equal marks: 15 marks

- 1. Discuss the types of imperialism well known to you.
- 2. Explain how long-term imperialist activities were transformed into Colonialism in Africa.
- 3. Do you agree with those who claim that "Africa was ripe for colonization in the nineteenth century"?
- 4. Explain precisely why Africa became ground for European scramble in the nineteenth century whose end results was the partition of the continent.
- 5. "Christianity was a product of social problems in Europe which became a tool for the European colonization of Africa." Discuss
- 6. Examine the economic factors in the European colonization of Africa.
- 7. "While the Africans failed to unite to resist European colonization, they united in the colonies to fight for their independence". Explain.
- 8. Looking at post colonial Africa discuss the problems left behind by the Europeans and those created by African leaders.