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## UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

### 2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR

THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER REGULAR EXAMINATION

**FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF  
EDUCATION (ARTS)**

**COURSE CODE: HIS 311:**

**COURSE TITLE: DEVELOPMENT OF HISTORICAL THOUGHT UPTO THE 19TH  
CENTURY**

**DATE: 13<sup>TH</sup> December 2022**

**TIME: 9.00-12.00 PM**

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### INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

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**REGULAR-MAIN EXAM**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- i) Answer Question ONE and any other Two*
- ii) Do not write on the question paper*

**Question One**

a) Briefly explain the contributions of the following individuals:

- i) Herodotus Halicarnassus (5 Marks)
- ii) Thucydides (5 Marks)
- iii) Titus Livi (5 Marks)
- iv) Plutarch (5 Marks)

b) Using examples, briefly outline the dominant ideas during the Medieval period. (10 Marks)

**Question Two**

Examine the ideas of Confucius and how they contributed to Ancient Chinese Historiography (20 Marks)

**Question Three**

Assess the ideas of R.G Collingwood and E.H Carr on history as a discipline (20 Marks)

**Question Four**

Trace the historical thought in Medieval Asia using illustrations from Islamic Historiographies (20 Marks)

**Question Five**

Analyze the Contribution of Leopold Von Ranke to the development of history as a discipline (20 Marks)

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