

GARISSA UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION 2017/2018 ACADEMIC YEAR <u>ONE</u> <u>THIRD</u> SEMESTER EXAMINATION

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

FOR THE DIPLOMA IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

COURSE CODE: DPA 18

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

EXAMINATION DURATION: 2 HOURS

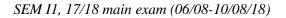
DATE: 08/08/18

TIME: 2.00-4.00 PM

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

- The examination has FIVE (5) questions
- Question ONE (1) is COMPULSORY
- Choose any other TWO (2) questions from the remaining FOUR (4) questions
- Use sketch diagrams to illustrate your answer whenever necessary
- Do not carry mobile phones or any other written materials in examination room
- Do not write on this paper

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QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY)

a) Define International Relations	[2 Marks]
b) State and explain four (4) key actors in the international system	[8 Marks]
c) Explain five (5) reasons why states peacefully cooperate in the international system	
	[10 Marks]
d) International organizations play a key role in the international system. Discuss.	
	[10 Marks]
QUESTION TWO	
Explain state behavior in the international system at the following levels of analysis:	
a) System level	[5 Marks]
b) Organizational level	[5 Marks]
c) State level	[5 Marks]
d) Discuss briefly the Realism theory of International Relations	[5 Marks]
QUESTION THREE	
a) Explain sovereignty as an important tool in international relations	[10 Marks]
b) The international system is perceived to be anarchic in nature with no international police despite	
the existence of numerous international organizations. Discuss	[10 Marks]
QUESTION FOUR	
a) What do you understand by the term non-state actor? Give examples	[4 Marks]
b) Explain the term polarity in international relations	[2 Marks]
c) Explain bipolar international system	[7 Marks]
d) Explain unipolar international system	[7 Marks]
QUESTION FIVE	
a) Discuss the circumstances under which the following tools are used in international relations:	
i. Diplomacy	[5 Marks]
ii. Sanctions	[5 Marks]

b) Explain briefly the Idealism theory of International Relations [5 Marks]

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War

[5 Marks]