



# **MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY**

**REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION  
2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**THIRD YEAR SECOND SEMESTER**

**SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES  
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)**

**COURSE CODE: HIS 3227**

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

**DATE: 25<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 2019**

**TIME: 1100 – 1300HRS**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

*Answer questions ONE and any other TWO.*

*This paper consists of 2 printed pages. Please turn over.*

1.
  - a. "History plays an important role in society" Discuss the validity of the above statement **(15 marks)**
  - b. According to Carr, E.H, "Causation is a key component in historical methodology" Discuss **(15 marks)**
2. "Objectivity and truth can never be achieved in history" Discuss the validity of the above statement. **(20 marks)**
3. Examine the ideas of Plekhanov, V. on the role of individuals in history. **(20 marks)**
4. Assess the main features of historical methodology according to R.G Collingwood. **(20 marks)**
5. Analyze the concept of the future and end of history according to Francis Fukuyama. **(20 marks)**

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