



KISII UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF THE
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS
FIRST SEMESTER, 2021/2022
(FEBRUARY - JUNE, 2022)

HIST 121: SELECTED TOPICS IN GLOBAL HISTORY II

STREAM: Y1 S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY: WEDNESDAY, 3.00 – 5.00 PM

DATE: 25/05/2022

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Do not write anything on this question paper.***
- 2. Answer Question ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO Questions.***

- 1 a) Distinguish between commercial revolution and European colonization overseas. (6 marks)
 - b) Identify six western countries that developed interest in the colonization of America.? (5 marks)
 - c) Examine the main features and effects of commercial revolution. (18 marks)
2. a) What is the main differences between old imperialism and new imperialism. (5 marks)
 - b) Old imperialism was motivated by Gold, God and Glory popularly termed as 3GS.To what extent was this assertion true? (15 marks)
- 3a) State the reasons why African slaves were preferred as compared to Indian and white slaves. (5 marks)
 - b) What were main effects of slavery in the Americas during the age of European imperialism? (15marks?)
4. Discuss the causes and effects of the Second World War. (20 marks)
5. Discuss the rise and development of European interest in Africa and Asia. (20 marks)