



KISII UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF THE
DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN GEOGRAPHY
SECOND SEMESTER, 2021/2022
(FEBRUARY - JUNE, 2022)

GEOG 810: GEOGRAPHIC THOUGHT

STREAM: Y1 S2

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY: MONDAY, 9:00 – 12:00 P.M.

DATE: 25/05/2022

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Do not write anything on this question paper.***
- 2. Answer any THREE Questions.***

QUESTION ONE

Critically analyse the contributions of the Greeks to the development of Geographic thought. (20 Marks)

QUESTION TWO

Examine the contribution of the Chinese to the development of geographic thought. (20 Marks)

QUESTION THREE

Discuss the applicability of environmental determinism and possibilism to the modern society. (20 Marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- Explain the term quantitative revolution? (5 marks)
- Examine the main objectives of quantitative revolution. (15 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Examine the contribution of the following scholars to the development of modern geography. (20 Marks)

- Karl Ritter
- Charles Robert Darwin
- Friedrich Ratzel
- Alexander von Humboldt