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IGEMBE CAMPUS

EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF  
EDUCATION (ARTS)

RELI 470: CONTEMPORARY RELIGIOUS THOUGHTS

STREAMS: B.ED (ARTS) (PT)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 05/10/2021

11.30 A.M. – 1.30 P.M.

**INSTRUCTIONS**

- Answer ALL questions in section A and any two in section B

**SECTION A**

1. Describe the 9 (nine) Global Trends in religion (15 marks)
2. Define the term secularization and explain its effects on religion. (15 marks)

**SECTION B**

3. “There is a growing importance of religion in Africa in the face of secularization.”  
Discuss this statement, giving practical examples. (20 marks)
  4. Discuss the influence of western secularization in Kenyan society. (20 marks)
  5. Evaluate Fernando Silva assertion that “Christianity is challenged by various internal as well as external contemporary trends.” (20 marks)
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