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**SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)**

HIST 253: HISTORY OF THE MIDDLE EAST

STREAMS: BED ARTS Y2 S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 24/3/2021

2.30 PM – 4.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer Question ONE and any other TWO questions.

- 1.a) Explain the reasons why historians should study the geographical location of the Middle East. [15 Marks]
 - b) Examine the relevance of studying The Middle East history. [15 Marks]
 2. Discuss the reasons for the rise and fall of the Ottoman Empire. [20 Marks]
 3. Examine the role of United Nations Organization (UNO) in Israel-Palestine conflict since 1948. [20 Marks]
 4. Discuss the ‘ Arab Spring’ and its effect on the Middle East. [20 Marks]
 5. From the knowledge you have acquired in this course, what would you consider as the way forward in Israel-Palestine Peace building mission. [20 Marks]
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