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**FOURTH YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS**

HIST 411 /412: PHILOSOPHY OF HISTORY

STREAMS: BED (ARTS) (SCHOOLBASED)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 31/3/2021

2.30 PM – 4.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer Question One and any other Two.

- Q1. (a) What is history according to ;
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| (i) Herodotus | [4 Marks] |
| (ii) W.H Wash | [3 Marks] |
| (iii) E.H Carr | [3 Marks] |
- (b) Differentiate between speculative and analytical philosophies of history.[10 Marks]
- (c) Explain the basic characteristics of historical knowledge. [10 Marks]
- Q2. (a) Describe the pre-classical ideas on History. [10 Marks]
- (b) Evaluate the salient features of Greeco-Roman speculations on history.[10 Marks]
- Q3. Critically examine St.Augustine of Hippo’s interpretation of history. [20 Marks]
- Q4. Discuss the ideas of philosophy of history as articulated by **either** George Wilhelm Friedrich Hegel **or** Karl Marx. [20 Marks]
- Q5. Examine the Philosophy of history according to Julius Nyerere. [20 Marks]