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

HIST 449: THEMES IN AFRICAN ENVIRONMENTAL HISTORY

STREAMS: B.ED (ARTS) Y4S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 23/09/2021

8.30 A.M – 10.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **ANSWER question 1 and ANY other TWO questions.**

- Q1. (a) Elucidate why historians study environmental history. (15 marks)
- (b) Account for the causes of the late 19th century eco-stress in Eastern, Central and Southern Africa. (15 marks)
- Q2. Assess the environmental factors which influenced the European colonization of Africa. (20 marks)
- Q3. To what extent did the Europeans conserve the African environment? (20 marks)
- Q4. (a) Account for the creation of African reserve in Kenya. (10 marks)
- (b) What were the effects of these reserves on the environment? (10 marks)
- Q5. Discuss the environmental challenges in independent Africa. (20 marks)
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