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**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS**

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

**GEOG 100: HISTORY OF GEOGRAPHICAL THOUGHT**

**STREAMS:BED(ARTS),B.A**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 4/12/2019**

**8.30 A.M – 10.30 A.M**

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

**Answer question one and any other two questions**

1. (a) Define a paradigm. [4 marks]  
(b) According to the association of American geographers, there are THREE questions that are central to geography as a science. Identify and explain the relevance of the said questions to the study of geography. [6 marks]  
(c) (i) Briefly explain how the various schools of geography developed. [4 marks]  
(ii) Describe the contributions of Herodotus to the development of geographic thought. [16 marks]
2. Discuss any FOUR ways in which geographers can contribute towards achieving Kenya's vision 2030. [20 marks]
3. "Geography is a mother discipline upon which all others hinge and diversity into specialized disciplines'. Discuss. [20 marks]
4. (a) Define quantitative revolution. [4 marks]  
(b) Discuss any four advantages of quantitative revolution in geographical studies. [16 marks]
5. Focusing on Tana river from its sources in Mount Kenya to its entry into the Indian Ocean at Kipini, discuss the concepts of environmental determinism and possibilism.

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