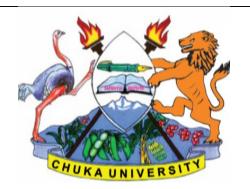
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FOURTH YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS

HIST 412: PHILOSOPHY OF HISTORY

STREAMS: BED (ARTS) Regular TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 04/12/2019 2.30 P.M. – 4.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer questions ONE and any other TWO questions

- 1. (a) Discuss the origins of philosophy of history as a discipline [10 marks]
 - (b) Explain the problems of critical philosophy of history as expounded by W.H.

 Walsh (1967) [20]

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- 2. How did historical context inform St. Augustine's philosophy of history? [20 marks]
- 3. Assess the place of the materialist (Karl Marx) conception of history in explaining the historical process. [20 marks]
- 4. "What is History?" Base your answer on the views of:
 - (i) E.H Carr [10 marks]
 - (ii) R. G Collingwood [10 marks]
- 5. Citing examples, critique Fukuyama's 'End of History' thesis [20 marks]