

CHUKA



UNIVERSITY

RESIT/ SPECIAL EXAMINATIONS

**SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS**

HIST 212: HISTORY OF THE MIDDLE EAST

STREAMS: BED (ARTS)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 26/07/2018

11.30 AM – 1.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO

1. a Discuss the historical entity known as the Middle East. (15mks)
b. Discuss the peopling of the Middle East by the Canaanites, Philistines and the Hebrews.
(15mks)
 2. Discuss the meaning of the Eastern Question.
(10mks)
b. Explain the institutions of the Ottoman Empire. (10mks)
 3. Account for the rise of Zionism and its impact on the politics of the Middle East. (20mks)
 4. With the use of appropriate examples, explain the origins of armed conflict in the Middle East. (20mks)
 5. Explain your understanding of the “Arab Spring.” (20mks)
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