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MAIN/EMBU CAMPUS

EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS

RELI 221: COMPARATIVE RELIGIONS

STREAMS:

TIME:2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 28/04/2023

8.30 A.M. –10.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN SECTION A AND ANY OTHER TWO IN SECTION B

SECTION A

1. Religion plays a vital role in shaping society. Discuss (15 marks)
2. (i) Give a critical definition of religion (7 marks)
(ii) Comment on the common aspects found in most religions (8 marks)

SECTION B

3. Explain why the study of comparative religion is an important undertaking by all students of religion (20 marks)
 4. Interreligious dialogue is an essential tool in promotion of religious harmonious co-existence. Discuss (20 marks)
 5. “Religion is not always positive.” Evaluate the meaning of this statement and recommend ways to address the challenges facing religions today (20 marks)
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