

MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

University Examinations for 2018/2019 Academic Year

SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

SECOND YEAR SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF ARTS

AHT 201: THEMES IN AFRICAN HISTORY

DATE: 23/7/2019 TIME: 2.00-4.00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer QUESTION ONE and any other TWO QUESTIONS

- 1. a) Examine the motives behind the Europeans' scramble for and partition of Africa (15 marks)
 - b) Identify and discuss the main achievements of the Ancient Egyptian civilization (15 marks)
- 2. What is the significance of studying the theme of migration and settlement patterns in the history to a student of history (20 marks)
- 3. "Slave trade is a major explanation for the current state of underdevelopment in Africa".

 Discuss. (20 marks)
- 4. Critically assess the core issues that define nationalist and Marxist interpretation of East
 African History (20 marks)
- 5. Evaluate the salient propositions of the feminist and gender perspective to contemporary economic development in Africa. (20 marks)