



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

University Examinations for 2019/2020 Academic Year

SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

BACHELOR OF ARTS

AHT 0201: TOPICS IN KENYAN HISTORY UPTO THE PRESENT

DATE: 3/12/2019

TIME: 2.00-4.00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer QUESTION ONE and any other TWO QUESTIONS

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Critically assess the historiographical trends in Kenya's history. (15 marks)
- b) With use of illustrative examples, discuss the features of the colonial political economy in Kenya (15 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

To what extent were modes of production in pre-colonial Kenya viable, vibrant and sustainable?

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

Analyze gender, class and corruption as challenges to governance and economic development in Kenya today

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

“Colonialism was (under)developmental to Kenya”. Discuss.

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

“To delink negative ethnicity from electoral processes in Kenya is to live in denial”. Discuss