UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION PAPER, DECEMBER 2012

TITLE OF PAPER: EUROPE FROM 1789 to 1870

COURSE CODE: H213

TIME ALLOWED: TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ANY TWO (2) QUESTIONS. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS

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- 1. (a) What necessitated the holding of the Vienna Settlement of 1814-1815?
- (b) What were the merits and demerits of the Vienna Settlement?
- 2. Account for the rise and fall of the Orleanist Monarchy.
- 3. Why did Revolutions break out so widely across Europe in 1848 and why did they fail?
- 4. Account for the role of Giuseppe Mazzini and Count Camillo Cavour in the unification of Italy?
- 5. Why and how did Bismarck use war as an instrument for achieving the unification of Germany?