

UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION PAPER JULY, 2013

**TITLE OF PAPER :** HISTORY OF THE USA SINCE 1920

**COURSE CODE :** H423/IDE H423

**TIME ALLOWED :** TWO (2) Hours

**INSTRUCTIONS :**

1. Answer any two (2) Questions
2. All questions carry equal marks

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**Question 1**

Discuss the major sources that were responsible for American economic prosperity in the 1920s. [25 marks]

**Question 2**

Relief, Recovery and Reform” were the major goals of the New Deal. Describe the strategies used by the Roosevelt Administration to achieve them? [25 marks]

**Question 3**

How did Americans’ involvement in World War I shape their attitudes about involvement in World War II? [25 marks]

**Question 4**

Using specific examples, explain why it was necessary to extend the doctrine of containment beyond Europe. [25 marks]

**Question 5**

Account for the revival of the Civil Rights Movement in the United States in the late 1950s and 1960s. What are some of the memorable achievements of this movement? [25 marks]