

**INSTITUTE OF DISTANCE EDUCATION**

**FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER MAY, 2013**

**TITLE OF PAPER : GLOBALIZATION AND POLITICAL  
REFORM IN AFRICA SINCE 1920**

**COURSE CODE : IDE H216**

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

**INSTRUCTIONS :**

- 1. ANSWER TWO (2) QUESTIONS**
- 2. WRITE DOWN THE NUMBER AND  
QUESTION YOU HAVE CHOSEN TO  
ANSWER**
- 3. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL  
[25] MARKS**

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HAS BEEN GRANTED BY THE INVIGILATOR**

### **QUESTION ONE**

Do you subscribe to the view that the First World War was a turning point in the history of European imperialism and colonialism in Africa? Explain how Africa became an important theatre for this war.

### **QUESTION TWO**

What was the purpose of European colonial administrative policy in Africa from 1919 to 1939? Critically analyse the British administrative policy in Africa during this period.

### **QUESTION THREE**

In what ways did the Great Economic Depression of 1929 – 1933 affect African colonial economies? Explain why African economies were greatly affected by this depression.

### **QUESTION FOUR**

Critically examine the role played by Africa during the Second World War.

### **QUESTION FIVE**

Compare and contrast the processes of decolonization in British and French West Africa after the Second World War.

**END OF EXAMINATION**