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End of First Semester Examination Paper December 2015

TITLE OF PAPER: Comparative History of Slavery: Ancient and New World

COURSE CODE: H618/HIS633

TIME ALLOWED: THREE (3) Hours

Instructions: Answer any **THREE (3) Questions**. All Questions carry equal marks.

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1. Critically examine the continuities and discontinuities in slavery in the Greco-Roman World and the New World.

2. Examine the acquisition of slaves for the New World and compare this method to that used in the Greco-Roman World.

3. With the use of specific examples compare and contrast slave rebellions in the Greco-Roman and New Worlds.

4. Evaluate the practice of slavery in the United States and Latin America through the prism of the Tannenbaum/Elkin thesis

5. Compare the treatment of female slaves in the Greco-Roman World and the New World.