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FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2017

TITLE OF PAPER: EUROPE FROM 1789-1870

COURSE CODE: HIS213/H213

TIME ALLOWED: *TWO (2)* HOURS

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

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PERMISSION.**

1. Evaluate the contribution of the *philosophes* to the 1789 French Revolution. [25 marks]

2. Do you agree with the verdict that Napoleon Bonaparte was a 'true heir' of the French Revolution? [25 marks]

3. Compare and contrast the role of Camillo Benso Cavour and Giuseppe Garibaldi in the unification of Italy [25 marks].

4. Examine the circumstances leading to the convening of the Congress of Vienna in 1814. What were the congress merits and demerits? [25 marks]

5. Examine the causes and outcome of the Franco-Prussian War of 1870-1871 [25 marks].