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**END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION**  
**BIS 2101: CONTINENTAL AFRICAN POLITICS**

**DATE: 17<sup>th</sup> October 2017**

**Time: 14:15 – 16:15**

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

1. This examination consists of **FIVE** questions.
2. Answer **Question ONE (COMPULSORY)** and **any other TWO** questions.
  1. Critically evaluate how Africa's imperially imposed borders affected the continent politically, economically and socially **(30 marks)**
  2. Discuss any **four** key characteristics of Africa's colonial inheritance **(15 marks)**
  3. Using Tanzania as an example, discuss the key elements of African socialism and ujamaa in particular **(15 marks)**
  4. Discuss ways in which African states benefited from the international political environment of the Cold War? **(15 marks)**
  5. Using relevant examples, explain how the 'New World Order' is a positive development for Africa **(15 marks)**