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**BACHELOR OF ARTS IN INTERNATIONAL STUDIES**

**END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION  
BIS 2201: FOREIGN POLICY ANALYSIS**

**Date: Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> March 2020**

**Time: 13:00 -15:00**

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**Instructions**

1. This examination consists of **Five Questions**.
2. Answer **Question ONE (COMPULSORY)** and any other **TWO** questions.
  1. a). Using realist approach to the understanding of foreign policy behaviour, critically evaluate Kenya's military engagement in Somalia in 2011. **(20 marks)**.
  - b). Discuss the short comings of a realist approach to foreign policy **(10 marks)**
2. Focusing on any three (3) models of decision making compare and contrast their utility and limitations in maximizing our understanding of foreign policy behaviour. **(15 marks)**
3. Using a case study of your choice, critically examine five domestic attributes that influence the formulation and implementation of a country's foreign policy **(15 marks)**.
4. Focusing on any case that you are familiar with, critically assess the relevance of the three *Levels of Analysis* in maximizing our understanding of foreign policy analysis. **(15 marks)**.
5. Using the example of the United States of America, critically assess the extent to which the *Presidency* can determine a country's foreign policy behaviour. **(15 Points)**