



STRATHMORE INSTITUTE
DIPLOMA IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION
DIR 1205: ROLES OF INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

DATE: 14th December 2018

Time: 2 Hours

Instructions

1. This examination consists of **FIVE** questions.
2. Answer **Question ONE (COMPULSORY)** and any other **TWO** questions.

Question 1 (30marks)

- a) State three objectives of the United Nations Organization (UNO) (3 marks)
- b) Describe the Organization of the UNO – its organs and their functions. (18 marks)
- c) Assess six achievements of the UNO since its inception. (9 marks)

Question 2

Identify any **five** specialized agencies of the UNO and briefly explain their functions. (15 marks)

Question 3

- a) Define the term Peace keeping as applied by the UNO. (3 marks)
- b) Discuss the **three** guiding principles of the UNO in its peace-keeping missions around the world. (12 marks)

Question 4

- a) 'The League of Nations was a toothless dog that was bound to fail right from its formation... .' Analyze that assertion and use four examples to justify it. (8 marks)
- b) With the help of specific examples, identify **two** types of International organizations and briefly explain their functions. (6 marks)
- c)

Question 5 (15 marks)

Write short notes on any one of these regional /international organizations: the European Union, the African Union, ECOWAS or the East African Community under the following headings:

- i. Membership and structure (5 marks)
- ii. Achievements (5 marks)
- iii. Challenges (5 marks)