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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES
BACHELOR OF ARTS IN INTERNATIONAL STUDIES
END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

BIS 2102: INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND INSTITUTIONS

Date: 19th October 2023

Time: 13:00 – 15:00

Instructions

1. This examination consists of **FIVE** questions.
 2. Answer **Question ONE (COMPULSORY)** and any other **TWO** questions.
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1. (a) Using concrete examples discuss key elements of international organizations **(15 Marks)**

(b) Analyse John J. Mearsheimer's contribution to our understanding of international organizations **(15 Marks)**
2. Illustrate how international organizations address the lack of cooperation, absence of monitoring and enforcement mechanisms in the international system **(15 Marks)**
3. Examine the mandates and obligations member states have under
 - a) World Bank **(7 Marks)**
 - b) International Monetary Fund **(8 Marks)**
4. Using concrete examples discuss the roles of the following African Union (AU) organs:
 - a) The Assembly of the Union **(5 Marks)**
 - b) The Executive Council **(5 Marks)**
 - c) The Pan-African Parliament **(5 Marks)**
5. Examine the claim that powerful states use international organizations to achieve their sovereign goals **(15 Marks)**