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**COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES THEOLOGY,  
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**TCH 212 MEDIEVAL CHURCH HISTORY  
END OF SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS**

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**DURATION: 3 HRS**

***INSTRUCTIONS***

1. Answer **four** questions only.
2. Each question carries 25 marks.



1. What were the factors that led to the development (centralization of power) of the Papacy? How much influence was exerted by Leo the great and Gregory the great?
2. The first two ecumenical councils dealt with the theology of the Trinity. What is the main theological issue in the next three ecumenical councils? How did the Eastern and Western churches react to them?
3. What were the theological controversies in the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> centuries?
4. What were the four main aspects of monastic reform? What were the emphases in papal reform and what led to its failure?
5. Discuss the methods used by scholasticism? How much contributions did they make on today's theology?
6. Critically examine the causes of the Babylonian captivity and the Great schism? What lessons can be drawn from these unfortunate events?
7. What were the main teachings of Wycliffe, Huss, and Savonarola? Were they judged (as heretics) correctly by the church?

**THE END**