



**COLLEGE OF BUSINESS, PEACE, LEADERSHIP AND GOVERNANCE**  
**NRID 500: AFRICAN PERSPECTIVES TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND  
DIPLOMACY**

**END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS**

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**TIME: 3 HOURS**

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## **INSTRUCTIONS**

1. This paper contains **five** questions.
2. Answer **three** questions.
3. Answer question **1** in section A and any other **2** questions from section B.
4. Start each question on a new page.
5. Section A carries 40 marks and Section B 30 marks each question

## **SECTION A (COMPULSORY)**

1. You are the lead researcher for the Institute for Pan African Thought and Conversation (IPATC) commissioned to write a position paper addressed to the continental Heads of States and Governments as AU marks 20 years after its evolution from the Organisation of African Unity (OAU). Give an outline of your position paper emphasizing the dearth of African agency in international relations and diplomacy. **(40 marks)**

## **SECTION B**

2. Discuss the view that for African continents to thrive in terms of international relations and diplomacy, nations and states must die. **(30 marks)**
3. Give an appraisal of Africa's international relations and diplomacy in the context of Russo-Ukraine War **(30 marks)**
4. Evaluate Sino-Africa relations in the past 22 years. **(30 marks)**
5. Discuss the view that Covid 19 has given birth to the return of the state? **(30 marks)**

**END OF EXAMINATION**

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