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**COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES, HUMANITIES, THEOLOGY & EDUCATION
(CSSTHE)**

**HHS423: HISTORY OF POLITICAL THOUGHT
END OF SECOND SEMESTER FINAL EXAMINATIONS**

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DURATION: 48 HRS

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer **ONE (1)** question only.

All questions carry equal marks (60).

DO NOT repeat material.

Credit will be awarded for logical, systematic and neat presentations

Question 1

- a) Define the concept political thought, and justify its relevance as a discipline of study (20 marks).
- b) "Socrates' political philosophy is still relevant and applicable in the modern society." Do you agree? (40 marks).

Question 2

In what way(s), and how successful has been the application of Niccolo Machiavelli's political thinking by some African leaders in independent Africa? Support your answer (60 marks).

Question 3

How important has been the concept pan-Africanism in shaping the direction of African Union (AU) since the turn of the 21st century? Support your answer (60 marks).

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