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NTBS516 HISTORY AND METHOD OF THE STUDY OF THE NEW TESTAMENT: FROM REFORMATION TO THE PRESENT

END OF SECOND SEMESTER SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATIONS

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DURATION: 3 HRS

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Do not write your name on the answer sheet.
- 2. Answer THREE questions.
- 3. Each question carries 100 marks
- 4. Credit is given for neat, well written and lucid work.

- 1. 'The attempt to defend Catholicism from the attack of the Protestants shaped Catholic scholars' interpretation of the New Testament.' Examine the validity of this claim.
- 2. Evaluate the contribution of form criticism to the study of the gospels.
- 3. Explore the concerns of the new hermeneutic movement and evaluate this movement's contribution to New Testament interpretation.
- 4. Beginning with its history, discuss the goals of feminist criticism in New Testament interpretation.
- 5. Compare and contrast the objectives of historical criticism and what has come to be called African Biblical Interpretation/Hermeneutics (ABI/H) in New Testament interpretation.
- 6. Discuss the contribution of Applied and Advocacy Hermeneutics to New Testament interpretation.

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