



**COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES, THEOLOGY, HUMANITIES & EDUCATION**

**NHIR 123: ASIAN POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY**

**END OF FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS**

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**DURATION: 3 HRS**

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

Answer Compulsory question in Section A

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Answer any **TWO [2]** questions in Section B

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Start **each** question on a new page in your answer booklet

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## SECTION A

### Question 1

Discuss the impact of Confucianism, Daoism, and Legalism on political rule in ancient China. [40 marks]

## SECTION B

### Question 2

Analyse the significance of Deng Xiaoping Thought on Socialism with Chinese Characteristics as a comprehensive and innovative theory of development. [30 marks]

### Question 3

Explain the ideas and values of Buddhism and its applicability to political contexts. [30 marks]

### Question 4

Evaluate Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi's opinions from the political ideas of Muhammad Ali Jinnah. [30 marks]

### Question 5

Discuss how convincing is the Tokugawa policy of exclusion and isolation from foreign influence [30 marks]

**End of Paper**