



***"Investing in Africa's future"***

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

**NHIR 213: COMPARATIVE POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT**

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**DURATION: 5 HRS**

**INSTRUCTIONS**

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

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All questions carry equal marks (100)

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Credit will be awarded for logical AND systematic presentation

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Do Not Repeat material

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### **Question 1**

- a. Discuss, to what extent are the political outcomes in contemporary Africa a consequence of its history, society and geography.
- b. Illustrate with concrete examples.

### **Question 2**

- a. Critically analyse the following assertion that: “elections in Africa have generally been a contentious phenomenon.” What could be the efficacy of the efforts to heal the attendant fissures created by these elections and the sustainability of the measures so instituted?
- b. Illustrate with relevant examples to support your argument.

### **Question 3**

- a. Discuss the challenges and opportunities offered by the contemporary political development in most African states in the promotion of sustainable economic growth? And good governance?
- b. Support your argument with a case study

**End of Paper**