Examination Period 3: 2016/17

GEO310817N

Module Title  Climate and Society
Level       Six
Time Allowed Two hours

Instructions to students:
• Enter your student number not your name on all answer books.
• Answer two questions.
• All questions are equally weighted.
• Begin each question in a separate answer book; label each answer book clearly with the number of the question you are answering.

No. of Pages  2
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Answer two questions.

1. We should dismiss climate scepticism and denial. Examine this contention with reference to the Hockey Stick Controversy. 

   (50 marks)

2. Critically evaluate the reasons why management of the climate change issue has had considerably less success than strategies to deal with local air pollution and ozone depletion. 

   (50 marks)

3. With reference to detailed examples, evaluate the contention that technological development is by far the most important factor in the understanding of, and solution to, the problem of climate change. 

   (50 marks)

4. Critically evaluate the evidence for the role of natural forcing factors in accounting for recent observed changes in global temperature. 

   (50 marks)

End of Paper