Examination Period 3: 2016/17

IRD106817N

Module Title: Introduction to International Relations
Level: Four
Time Allowed: Two hours

Instructions to students:

- Enter your student number not your name on all answer books.
- Answer two out of ten questions.
- All questions are equally weighted.
- Neither books nor notes may be taken into the examination.

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Answer two out of ten questions.

1. Why do realists regard the international state system as anarchical? Are they right to think this?

2. What is democratic peace theory? Do you find it convincing?

3. Explain and explore Lenin's theory of imperialism and the system of international power.

4. As developed by Ole Wæver, explain the processes of securitisation.

5. How do feminists tend to view the international system?

6. How far do you agree with Mary Kaldor’s view of ‘new wars’?

7. Is the threat of terrorism exaggerated and/or manipulated? How might this be a problem?

8. What role does the nation state play in international relations according to Samuel Huntington?

9. What role did Afghan warlords play in constructing the political infrastructure of Afghanistan?

10. What impact did 9/11 have on the United States role in the world?