Examination Period 3: 2018/19

HIS101519N

Module Title       Blood and Iron: Europe, 1815-1914
Level              Four
Time Allowed       Two hours

Instructions to students:
• Enter your student number not your name on all answer books.
• Answer two out of four questions.
• All questions are equally weighted.
• Answer in a separate answer book; label each answer book clearly with the number of the question you are answering.
• Neither books nor notes may be taken into the examination.
• The same material should not constitute a substantial part of more than one question.

No. of Pages       2
No. of Questions   4
Answer **two** out of **four** questions.

**Question 1**
To what extent does Fritz Fischer continue to have an impact upon interpretations of the Origins of the First World War?

**Question 2**
How important was the Anglo-German naval arms race in causing the outbreak of war in 1914?

**Question 3**
What do reactions to their Archduke’s assassination reveal about the strengths and weaknesses of Austria-Hungary?

**Question 4**
Identify the point at which the July Crisis had reached a ‘point of no return’? Justify your answer with reference to at least three countries.