




**FACULTY: HUMANITIES**  
**DEPARTMENT: HISTORY AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS**  
**SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS**  
**2017/2018 ACADEMIC SESSION**

COURSE CODE: IRS 408.

COURSE TITLE: Asia in World Politics (3units)

DURATION: 2 Hours 30 minutes

  
HOD's SIGNATURE

**INSTRUCTION: Answer any Three (3) questions. Each question is 20 marks. Write clearly and logically.**

Question No.		Total Mark
1.	Discuss the factors responsible for the rise of authoritarianism and decline of democracy in Asia in the immediate post-war era.	20
2.	What is the Containment Policy and what impact did it have in escalating the Cold War in Asia?	20
3.	Account for the rise of Japan as an economic and political powerhouse in Asia and the world after the Second World War.	20
4.	What were the fundamental causes for the split between the Chinese Communist Party and the Soviet Union Communist Party?	20
5.	Critically discuss China's meteoric rise in World Affairs since 1949.	20
6.	What factors brought USA fully into Asia?	20