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**MAIN EXAMINATION**

**SEPTEMBER –DECEMBER 2021**

**FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT & SOCIAL STUDIES**

**REGULAR/ODEL PROGRAMME**

**BIR 205: EVOLUTION OF DIPLOMACY**

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**Date: DECEMBER 2021**

**Duration: 2 Hours**

**INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any TWO Questions**

- Q1. (a) The function of a modern-day diplomat can be loosely compared to that of a Greek proxenos. Discuss **{10 marks}**
- (b) Critically examine how the Byzantine Empire institutionalized diplomacy. **{10 marks}**
- (c) The origin of good diplomatic practice could be traced to the Italian-city-states system. Discuss **{10 Marks}**
- Q2. Discuss the improvements that Cardinal Richelieu of France introduced to the field of Diplomacy. **{20 marks}**
- Q3. Discuss the regulatory impact on diplomatic practice by the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations (1961). **{20 marks}**
- Q4. Assess the effectiveness of diplomacy as an instrument for achieving national interests within a global context. **{20 marks}**
- Q5. Critically examine the FIVE types of diplomacy. **{20 Marks}**

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