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MAIN EXAMINATION

JANUARY – APRIL 2023 TRIMESTER

FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF POSTGRADUATE STUDIES

HST 516: POLITICAL ECONOMY OF AFRICA

DATE: April 2023	Duration: 2 Hours
INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Any Four Questions	

Q1.

Examine the significance of political economy. (15 Marks)

Q2.

What is the main argument of the Marxian perspective on political economy? (15 Marks)

Q3.

“African politics continues to suffer from the legacy and constraints imposed by colonialism” Argue out. (15 Marks)

Q4.

- “IMF and World Bank are sometimes used to further the exploitation and underdevelopment in Africa and the Third world in general.” Do you agree? (7.5 Marks)
- “Globalization has continued to have both positive and negative impacts in the Third World.” Discuss. (7.5 Marks)

Q5.

- “Africa’s underdevelopment is man-made, hence its solution lies in the hands of man.” What do you think is the solution to underdevelopment in Africa? (7.5 Marks)

- b) “No matter how benevolent, a military rule is not an alternative to a democratic government” Discuss. **(7.5 Marks)**

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