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MAIN EXAMINATION

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SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION

MRI 504: REGIONAL INTEGRATION IN AFRICA

Date: APRIL 2018

Duration: 3 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer ALL Questions

- Q1. Given African's current experience with integration, what would you say are the successes and failures in view of Kwameh Nkrumah's aspirations for the continent's integration? **(20 marks)**
- Q2. In December 2015, the African union Peace and Security Council (meeting in the level of ambassadors) authorized the deployment of a protection force in Burundi. The African Prevention and Protection Mission in Burundi (MAPROBU). This mission however failed to take off for various reasons. Explain the pertinent issues that affect intervention by the Union in member states. **(20marks)**
- Q3. Since 2002, African regional blocs have negotiated Economics Partnership Agreement (EPAS) with the EU. In the case of the EAC, after concluding the negotiations, some member States are reluctant to sign the agreements.
- a) Explain what you understand by the EU-EAC Economic partnership Agreements. **(5 marks)**
 - b) Explain the reasons why Kenya signed the EU-EAC EPA agreements despite other EAC countries resisting the same. **(5marks)**
 - c) Explain the arguments being advanced by some EAC member states against signing the said agreements. **(10 marks)**

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