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MAIN EXAMINATION

SEPTEMBER – DECEMBER 2019 TRIMESTER

FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

REGULAR PROGRAMME

SPO 344: INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION

Date: DECEMBER 2019

Duration: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Questions ONE and any other TWO Questions

- Q1. (a) Discuss the major functions of the United Nations Security Council as provided by the UN Charter. To what extent has the Security Council fulfilled these functions?
(10 marks)
- (b) Discuss the major successes and threats that faced the League of Nations.
(10 marks)
- (c) What are the irreducible characteristics and elements which typify international organizations?
(5 marks)
- (d) With reference to the functions and activities of the United Nations Educational Scientific and Cultural Organization, discuss how functionalism contributes to world peace.
(5 marks)
- Q2. (a) There is no express provision of peacekeeping operations in the United Nations Charter. In light of this, discuss the legal basis of these operations and examine their contribution to maintenance of international peace and security.
(10 marks)

- (b) Critically analyze the main successes and failures of the United Nations in its disarmament efforts. **(10 marks)**
- Q3. Comment critically on Georg Schwarzenberger's views that the activities of international organizations constitute power politics in disguise. **(20 marks)**
- Q4. Discuss and analyze the main issues of concern with regard to the calls for reforming the United Nations. **(20 marks)**
- Q5. Examine the main the roles and functions of international organizations as actors in the international system. **(20 marks)**

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