



GRE TSA UNIVERSITY - THIKA

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS MAY - AUGUST 2023 SEMESTER

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

COURSE CODE: RELI 401

COURSE TITLE: MODERN ISAMIC REFORM

DATE: 31 JULY 2023

TIME: 11:30 AM – 2:30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. SECTION A IS **COMPULSORY**.
2. SECTION B: ANSWER ANY OTHER **THREE** QUESTIONS.
3. **DO NOT** WRITE ANYTHING ON THIS QUESTION PAPER AS IT WILL BE AN EXAM IRREGULARITY.
4. ALL ROUGH WORK SHOULD BE AT THE BACK OF YOUR ANSWER BOOKLET AND CROSSED OUT.

CAUTION: *All exam rooms are under CCTV surveillance during the examination period.*

SECTION A: COMPULSORY

QUESTION ONE

- a) Define Islamism. **[3 Marks]**
- b) Expound Salafism concept in Islamic. **[5 Marks]**
- c) Who is a Mujtahid? **[2 Marks]**
- d) Explain the place of women in Islamic theology. **[5 Marks]**
- e) Who was Hamid Abu Zayd and what was his contribution to liberalism in Islam? **[10 Marks]**
- f) State and explain any two main sources of Islamic law. **[10 marks]**
- g) Illustrate Muslim secularism. **[5 Marks]**

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS

QUESTION TWO

- a) Expound Muslim's liberal views on Human rights. **[8 Marks]**
- b) State and explain any four objectives of conservative Muslim forum. **[12 Marks]**

QUESTION THREE

- a) Illustrate what Salafi theology entails. **[10 Marks]**
- b) Describe the vision of political Islam. **[10 Marks]**

QUESTION FOUR

- a) Describe what Islamic Movement of Nigeria stands for. **[10 Marks]**
- b) Expound the origin of Muslim brotherhood in Egypt. **[10 marks]**

QUESTION FIVE

- a) What is the place of women in Islam? **[10 Marks]**
- b) Explain how Islamic revolution emerged. **[10 Marks]**

QUESTION SIX

- a) What Ijtihad means in Islam? **[5 Marks]**
- b) Discuss the rise and development of political Islam in 19th and 20th centuries. **[15 Marks]**