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SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION, July 2017

TITLE OF PAPER: EUROPE SINCE 1870

COURSE CODE: HIS214/H214

TIME ALLOWED: TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER *TWO (2)* QUESTIONS IN ALL. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS.

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1. How did the policies of Mikhail Sergeyevich Gorbachev contribute towards the end of the Cold War? [25 marks].
2. Why was Czar Nicholas II overthrown in March 1917?[25 marks]
3. Evaluate the development of church-state relations in either France or Germany in the last quarter of the 19th century [25 marks].
4. What are the similarities and dissimilarities between Fascism and Nazism? [25 marks]
5. Examine circumstances leading to the birth of the EEC. Why did Britain hesitate to join the EEC when it was established? [25 marks].