University of Eswatini

Faculty of Humanities

Department of History

Semester 1 Re-sit Examination Paper

December 2019

Course name: Topics in World History to 1900

Course Code: His 101

Time Allowed: 2 Hours

Instructions:

- 1. Choose and answer two (2) questions
- 2. All questions carry equal marks [25]
- 3. Write your programme on the cover page of the answer booklet

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Critically examine the factors that characterised the interactions between the Bushman and the Khoikhoi. [25]
What possible factors have been advanced by scholars to explain why the Sumerians were the first people to experience civilisation? [25]
Account for the rise and fall of the Aztec civilisation. [25]
Explain how Egyptian society came to be organised in a hierarchical manner following the Agricultural revolution. [25]
Critically show how the Voyages of Discovery were detrimental to the less developed societies of the world. [25]