

Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka.
Department of History and International Studies,
Second Semester Examination 2018/2019 Academic Session

Course Code: HIS 361

Course Title: East/West Relations

Instruction: Answer three questions ONLY.

Unit: 2

Time Allowed: 2 Hours

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- ✓ 7. During the Cuban missile crisis, humanity came close to the brinks of a nuclear Armageddon. Why did it happen and how was it resolved?
8. Superior weaponry did not always guarantee victory for the USA and the USSR. With the example of the US debacle in Vietnam, and the Soviet invasion of Afghanistan, buttress the above contention.
- ✓ 9. The Truman and Brezhnev Doctrines were propagandistic instruments of the Cold War. How did they influence International Relations between 1947 and 1989?
10. Why, in your opinion, did the Soviet Union collapse?
- ✓ 11. The Cold War has come and gone but its impact have remained deathless. Carefully examine the impact of the Cold War on contemporary International Relations.
12. Write notes on any three of the following:
- f. McCarthyism
 - g. Helsinki Act
 - h. The Berlin Wall ✓
 - i. Lend/Lease Act ✓
 - j. Zhdanov Plan ✓ 1948 22nd Sept

1940, 1941