UGANDA MARTYRS' UNIVERSITY FACULTY OF EDUCATION

BAED II: SEMESTER ONE EXAMS, 2023/2024

GEO 2103: REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT GEOGRAPHY OF EUROPE AND ASIA DATE:12/12/2023 DURATION: 3 HOURS TIME: 2:00-5:00PM

Instruction:

• Attempt any four questions in total

- Maps, diagrams and illustrations should be used wherever appropriate
- Do not write anything on the question paper
- 1. "Western Europe developed largely due to her diverse natural resources". How true is the statement above? (25 marks)
- "Despite the fact that Switzerland's relief of above 70% is rugged, the country has emerged as one of the tourists' destinations in the world" Discuss the validity of the statement in comparison with Uganda.

 (25 marks)
- 3. Germany is often referred to as the industrial workshop of Europe. What did Germany do which Uganda can do to be where Germany is? (25 marks)
- "God created the world but the Dutch created the Netherlands" Discuss the validity of the above statement with reference to the agricultural sector in the Netherlands. (25 marks)
- 5. "Despite Japan's limited resource endowments, the country broke the jinx and is regarded as one the most industrialized in the world", Justify the statement. (25 marks)
- 6. Examine the underlying factors that have influenced the rapid development of India.

(25 marks)

7. As a student of regional development geography of Europe and Asia, what can Low Developed Countries (LDCs) do to be where China has reached in terms of industrial and economic development? (25 marks)

END