

DEPARTMENT OF TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION (TVE)
ISLAMIC UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY (IUT)
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Mid Semester Examination

Course No: HUM 4241

Course Title: Islamic History, Science & Culture

Summer Semester (2017-2018)

Time : 1:30 hours.

Full Marks : 75

There are 4 (four) questions. Answer any 3 (three).
Figures in the right margin indicate marks of the questions.

1. a) 'Studying the *sirah* of Muhammad (saas) is an *ibadah*', based on this statement, discuss the significance of studying the *sirah* of the Prophet. 10
b) Who should be the Role Model for whole mankind? Prove that 'the Prophet Muhammad (saas) is the only Ideal' highlighting the following four areas: 15
 - 1) Historicity
 - 2) Comprehensiveness
 - 3) Perfection
 - 4) Practicality
2. a) 'I am born to the best Arab Family', said the Prophet. In which family he was born? Examine the lineage/genealogy of the Prophet onto his great ancestor Ibrahim (a). 12
b) 'The world including Arabia was steeped into deep darkness in the sixth century AC', What was the scenario of the whole world before the arrival of the Prophet (saas)? 13
3. a) Investigate into the reasons and reactions of the opposition of the Quraysh to the mission of the Prophet Muhammad (saas). What were the kinds and manifestations of this reaction? Give examples. 12
b) The Prophet (saas) changed his strategy of *Da'wah* time to time to match the progression of Islam, on one hand, and to prevent the opposition of the Quraysh. Based on this, give a picture of different phases of the *Da'wah* activities of the Prophet (saas) in Makkah. 13
4. Write notes on the following issues: 25
 - a) Holy Isra' and Miraj of the Prophet Muhammad (saas): Prove scientifically the Miraj of the Prophet (saas).
 - b) '*Hijrah* of the Prophet (saas) from Makkah to Madinah: Reasons, Events and Significance of Hijrah as the beginning of Islamic Victory.

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Summer Semester (2016-2017)

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1. a) Analyze the pitfalls of *ibne Ishaque* as a *Magazi* writer. Who amended them and how? 6
b) Analyze *ibne Khaldoun*'s theory related to the influence of the climate in the modern perspective. 6
c) Why did he criticize other historians like *al-Mas'udi*? Discuss. $4\frac{2}{3}$
2. Narrate condition of the following religion and civilization before the advent of Prophet Muhammad (PBUH): 6
a) Romans and Christianity. $10\frac{2}{3}$
b) Tribal prejudice and warlike temperament of the Arabs.
3. a) "Apparently the terms and conditions of the treaty of *Hudaibiyah* were humiliating for the Muslims, but, in fact its conclusion indicated to the diplomatic foresightedness of Prophet (PBUH)"- Explain your point of view regarding this dictum. 6
b) Analyze administration of Prophet (PBUH) related to the state revenue. $10\frac{2}{3}$
4. Discuss the development of Muslim Navigation system during the time of rightly guided Caliphs. $16\frac{2}{3}$

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- a) Why does al Quran encourage the Muslims to be historically conscious? 6
- b) Analyze ibne Khaldoun's theory of Group Mind in the modern perspective. 6
- c) Why did he criticize other historians like al-Mas'udi? Discuss. $4\frac{2}{3}$
2. Narrate condition of the following religion and civilization before the advent of Prophet Muhammad (PBUH):
- a) Judaism. 6
- b) Tribal prejudice and warlike temperament of the Arabs. $10\frac{2}{3}$
3. a) "Apparently the terms and conditions of the treaty of *Hudaibiyah* were humiliating for the Muslims, but, in fact its conclusion indicated to the diplomatic foresightedness of Prophet (PBUH)"- Explain your point of view regarding this dictum. 6
- b) Analyze administration of Prophet (PBUH) related to the state revenue. $10\frac{2}{3}$
4. Evaluate role of Abu Bakr (R.) in resolving the following internal problems:
- a) Apostasy Movement and denial of Zakat, 6
- b) False prophets. $10\frac{2}{3}$