Exam #3

1.(t/f) According to the “Story” of globalization, the world is in the process of becoming a completely integrated system, politically, economically, socially, and culturally, a global village.

2.(m/c) According to the “Story,” \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is the primary force that drives the process of globalization.

a. democracy b. capitalism c. violence

3.(m/c) According to the “Story,” all of the following are true about globalization EXCEPT:

a. it is a natural process. b. it is inevitable c. it is irreversible and progressive

d. TINA e. none are exceptions

4. (t/f) According to the “Story,” both nations and people must adapt to globalization and if they

choose not to adapt they are being irrational.

5.(t/f) According to the “Story,” there is a single political and economic model for the new “global village” and that is the United States.

6.(t/f) According to the “Story,” the main method for creating a global free market is through

free trade agreements that eliminate trade barriers so that all countries can compete evenly and

freely in the global market place.

7.(m/c) According to the “Story,” which of the following are barriers to free trade?

a. tariffs b. subsidies c. government price controls d. a and b e. all of the above

8.(t/f)According to the “Story,” the result of a global free market in the long run will be a higher

standard of living for everyone.

9.(m/c) According to the “Story,” the transfer of technology from developed countries to underdeveloped countries will help them develop and compete in the global market place. This presupposes which theory of technology?

a. critical theory b. instrumental theory

10.(t/f) According to the “Story,” Structural Adjustment Plans (SAPs) will not result in the long term debt of countries, but will guarantee that the governments of the countries will pursue the necessary free market policies to make them competitive in the global market place.

11.(t/f) The banking method of education has an implicit goal of social control; it is another means of making students passive.

12.(t/f) According to Neo-Colonial theory, globalization is not a process but a struggle dominated by a powerful minority whose goal is to create a globally integrated system to serve the principle interest of multi-national corporations, profit..

13.(m/c) According to Neo-Colonial theory, the “global village” will be:

a. a system of domination and subordination b. a system of economic dependence

c. a system where technology will reinforce the system of domination and subordination

d. a system that will require strong militaries to maintain the status quo, inequality.

e. all of above

14.(t/f) According to Neo-Colonial theory, globalization is not inevitable and not progressive and there are alternatives.

15. (t/f) According to Neo-Colonial theory, the “story of globalization” ignores the legacy of colonialism.

16.(t/f) Haiti was never rich in resources, so was never colonized, and that is the reason it became the second democracy in the Western Hemisphere.

17.(m/c) Colonialism was justified by a racial theory called biological determinism. The theory claimed which of the following?

a. People can be categorized by race according to certain shared physical characteristics, like skin color.

b. Racial characteristics are transmitted from generation to generation by members of a race.

c. Racial characteristics can be correlated to other factors like intelligence, laziness, and moral inferiority or superiority.

d. a and be e. all of above

18.(t/f) The colonial empires broke down after which war?

a. Franco-Prussian War b. Vietnam War c. WWI d. WWII e. Korean War

19.(m/c) According to Neo-Colonial theory, the global power structure consists of all of the following EXCEPT:

a. Multi-National Corporations b. First World governments c. United Nations

d. U.S. military and national militaries e. none are exceptions

20.(t/f) According to Neo-Colonial theory, “friendly dictators” and large militaries in Third World countries are necessary to maintain control over domestic populations because the populations frequently resist their exploitation and need to be violently suppressed..

21.(m/c) All of the following are goals of MNCs and First world governments, according to Neo-Colonial theory EXCEPT:

a. access to cheap natural resources b. access to cheap labor

c. open markets for their products and services d. increased social services for the poor

e. none are exceptions

22.(t/f) According to Neo-Colonial theory, invasion and conquest is now the primary means of subjugating poorer countries.

23.(m/c) Structural adjustment plans demand all of the following EXCEPT:

a. privatization of profitable national industries b. privatization of government services

c. decrease in social services for the poor d. increased use of tariffs e. none are exceptions

24.(t/f) According to Neo-Colonial theory, export processing zones have been shown to benefit the people of the host country significantly through the trickle down effect.

25.(m/c) Structural adjustment plans have forced half of the world’s population from rural to urban areas. This has created a planet of slums whose residents are more vulnerable to all of the following EXCEPT:

a. natural disasters b. fires c. toxic pollution d. contaminated water e. none are exceptions

26.(m/c) According to Neo-Colonial theory, all of the following are ways that have been or are being used to control poorer nations EXCEPT:

a. ideological control: global corporate mass media “news,” advertising, and entertainment.

b. state violence directed at domestic populations that are resisting globalization.

c. corporate-sponsored violence like Shell’s paramilitary called “kill and go.”

d. global democracy with wide popular participation. e. none are exceptions

27.(m/c) All of the following are examples of resistance to globalization EXCEPT:

a. Third world countries electing socialist or progressive political leaders.

b. Third world countries refusing to ratify free trade agreements.

c. Law suits against multinational corporations.

d. Assassinations of CEOs of major multinational corporations. e. none are exceptions

28. (m/c) According to Life and Debt, Jamaica gained its independence from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .

a. France b. U.S. c. England d. Dutch e. Spain

29.(m/c) What was the shock that forced Jamaica to take a loan from the IMF?

a. independence b. global oil crisis c. devaluation of currency

d. decline in tourism e. privatization

30.(m/c) The first demand that the IMF made of Jamaica was to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. privatize its dairy industry b. cut back in money to education

c. devalue its currency d. eliminate trade barriers

31.(m/c) In Life and Debt, which of the following industries were hurt by the demands of the IMF?

a. agriculture b. dairy c. technology d. a and b e. all of above

32.(t/f) McDonald’s refused to use Jamaican beef for its hamburgers because it was not the same high quality beef that was being imported from the U.S.

33.(t/f) The development of the Kingston Free Zone was rationalized as a job creation investment for the lower working classes.

34.(m/c) At the end of Life and Debt, workers from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ were being transported to Jamaica to work in the free zone because they were cheaper than even Jamaican workers.

a. Haiti b. Asia c. Latin America d. Asia e. Africa

35.(m/c) Which of the following were characteristics of the free zone in the above country?

a. gated and guarded compounds. b. free zone corporations were given a tax holiday

c. it was not legally even part of Jamaica d. a and b e. all of above

36.(t/f) According to the documentary, the Jamaican banana industry was undermined because it produced low quality bananas.

37.(m/c) All of the following were social movements in the U.S. EXCEPT:

a. Civil Rights Movement b. Anti-Vietnam War movement

c. American Indian Movement d. Environmental Movement e. none are exceptions

38.(m/c) All of the following are characteristics of social movements EXCEPT:

a. grassroots b. shared grievances c. belief in the need to act outside the system

d. legitimate goals e. none are exceptions

39.(m/c) All of the following were tactics of the Civil Rights movement EXCEPT:

a. lunch counter sit-ins b. freedom rides c. non-violent civil disobedience

d. marches and demonstrations e. none are exceptions

40.(m/c) Political process theory assumes which of the following theories of power?

a. state autonomy b. modified elite c. pluralist d. elite

41.(m/c) Political process theory assumes that social movements are rational because:

a. they are a means for excluded groups to change society for their benefit.

b. groups are excluded from the normal political process and therefore must act extra-institutionally.

c. social movements are directed towards achieving political goals.

d. a and c e. all of above

42.(t/f) Political opportunity refers to the breakdown in the elite power structure that then allows marginalized groups to pursue their goals.

43.(t/f) According to political process theory, the existence of indigenous organizations is a necessary condition for the emergence of a social movement.

44.(t/f) According to political process theory, once a social movement begins, it needs to build new organizations.

` 45.(m/c) Cognitive liberation refers to which of the following?

a. Change of thinking in excluded groups so that they believe change is possible.

b. Realization by excluded groups that the system is unjust.

c. Belief by excluded groups that through collective action progressive social change is possible.

d. b and c e. all of above

46.(m/c) All of the following are necessary factors for the emergence of a social movement according to political process theory EXCEPT:

a. increase in political opportunity and political breakdown in system of oppression/power.

b. existence of viable indigenous organizations.

c. social strain d. cognitive liberation e. none are exceptions

47.(m/c) According to political process theory, for a social movement to sustain itself, it needs:

a. new organizations b. external support

c. to focus on specific goals, strategies and tactics d. a and b e. all of above

48.(m/c) According to political process theory, all of the following were factors in the breakdown the power elite and the emergence of political opportunity for the black insurgency EXCEPT:

a. decline in importance of cotton to northern industrialists.

b. black migration to the North c. Cold War d. blacks voting in North

e. none are exceptions

49.(m/c) All of the following were indigenous groups which provided membership and institutional resources for emergence of the black insurgency EXCEPT:

a. black colleges b. black churches c. NAACP d. Black Panthers e. none are exceptions

50.(t/f) One of the reasons political process theory gives for the failure of social movements is disagreements within the movement in regard to goals, strategies and tactics.

51.(m/c) COINTELPRO involved all of the following EXCEPT:

a. infiltration and disruption of social movement groups engaged in constitutionally protected activity.

b. dirty tricks directed at black insurgent groups.

c. harassment: suborning perjury, lying under oath, falsifying evidence.

d. violence against persons and property. e. none are exceptions

52.(m/c) According to Klein, the Secretary of Defense, Donald Rumsfeld, used 9-11 to bring both the Nike model and the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_model to the U.S. military.

a. Microsoft b. Wal\*Mart c. Apple d. McDonalds e. none of above

53.(m/c) According to Klein, Donald Rumsfeld’s transformation of the U.S. military meant all of the following EXCEPT:

a. cutting the military budget. b. outsourcing services previously performed by the military

c. privatizing the housing for soldiers d. privatizing intelligence operations e. none are exceptions

54.(m/c) According to Klein, in a “town hall” meeting at the Pentagon, Rumsfeld told the managers and staff that the biggest threat to the security of the U.S. was:

a. communism b. Soviet Union c. terrorism d. them

e. military-industrial complex

55.(t/f) According to Klein, the central tenet of Rumsfeld’s transformation of the military is based on Milton Friedman’s belief that the private sector does it better than government.

56.(m/c) According to Klein, the novelty of the Bush administration was its goal of hollowing out the core functions of government through privatization. All of the following are examples EXCEPT:

a. military b. prisons c. covert intelligence d. public schools

e. none are exceptions

57.(t/f) According to Klein, the U.S military under Rumsfeld continued to give out guaranteed profit contracts, what are called “cost plus” contracts, even though this practice contradicted his free market theory.

58.(m/c) Klein argues that “Shock Therapy” in the U.S has led to the rise of a disaster capitalism complex. Which of the following is true about this complex, according to Klein?

a. It is increasingly profitable for the corporations involved.

b. The profits of the complex depend on disaster therefore the complex needs/wants “disaster.”

c. The complex is a threat to democracy. d. a and b e. all of above

59.(t/f) Klein argues that the U.S. is really a socialist state; she calls it “totalitarian.”

60.(t/f) According to Klein, the Department of Homeland Security is an empty shell; its main function is to outsource its security operations to private corporations.

61.(m/c) Which of the following are true about the proliferation of the surveillance component of the disaster capitalism complex and its increasing profitability?

a. there are 30 million cameras throughout the U.S. that record billions of hours of surveillance footage.

b. technology had to be developed to scan the billions of hours of footage filmed by millions of cameras.

c. Facial recognition technology had to be improved so that digital enhancement technology could make positive identification. d. a and c e. none are exceptions

62.(t/f) According to Klein, video surveillance, Web tracking and data mining technologies first developed by the government to fight the war on terror are now being used by the private sector to build customer/consumer profiles in order to open up new areas of micromarketing.

63.(m/c) The structural adjustment plan for Poland included all of the following EXCEPT:

a. immediate loans from the U.S. to stabilize the newly emerging non-communist country.

b. elimination of price controls and subsidies. c. privatization of state mines, shipyards and factories

d. creation of a stock exchange and capital markets e. none are exceptions.

64.(t/f) According to Klein, the state violence at Tiananmen Square caused the shock necessary for the supposed communist Chinese government to impose Chicago School neo-liberal policies.

65.(m/c) All of the following are parts of South Africa’s Freedom Charter EXCEPT:

a. free and compulsory education for all. b. land to be returned to the people of South Africa.

c. living wages and shorter work hours. d. right to live and move about freely.

e. none are exceptions

66.(m/c) The total amount of money spent in the 2012 election cycle was:

a. $4 billion b. $6 billion c. $8 billion d. $11 billion

67.(m/c) Barack Obama held \_\_\_\_ political fundraisers.

a. 153 b. 221 c. 254 d. 307

68.(t/f) Twenty per cent of the U.S. population made recordable donations to candidates.

69.(m/c) Which country has created the best environment, cheap capital costs, abundant labor force, state support, for multinational corporations , according to Klein?

a. Bolivia b. Argentina c. China d. Vietnam e. India

70.(m/c) According to Klein, the tsunami in southeast Asia created the crisis that allowed the government of Sri Lanka to do which of the following?

a. Engage in the mass eviction of traditional fishing villages, so that resort hotels could be built.

b. Impose new rules for rebuilding on the beaches called “buffer zones.”

c. Level an entire city that had not been destroyed by the tsunami and rebuild it for “ecotourism.”

d. a and b e. all of above

67.(t/f) According to Klein, the U.S. was so excited about the “wonderful opportunities” in Sri Lankan tourism that it used U.S. tax payer money to organize a Sri Lankan lobby group to lobby for Sri Lankan tourism.

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70,(m/c) According to the Daily Show, Foxconn, the Chinese contractor, makes products for which of the following corporations?

a. Nike b. Kathy Lee Gifford c. Apple d. Dell e. Adidas

30.(m/c) In the documentary “Trading Democracy” dealing with NAFTA Ch 11 Tribunals, a \_\_\_\_\_\_company was suing (the) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ because a town would not allow a corporation to reopen a nearby toxic dump.

a. Mexican/U.S.. b. U.S/Mexico c. Canadian/U.S. d. Canadian/California

31.(m/c) In the documentary “Women’s Work,” the MNC left \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the search of a country where wages were even lower. a. Mexico b. Cambodia c. Thailand d. Vietnam e. Guatemala

32.(m/c) In the documentary “Women’s Work,” workers were fined three times their daily wage or \_\_\_\_\_\_\_dollars for yawning at work. a. $3 b.$6 c. $9 d.$12 e. $15

39.(m/c) The originator of scientific management was: a. Frederick Taylor b. Frederick Douglas

40.(t/f) One of the characteristics of Fordism is highly specialized division of labor in the production process.

34.(m/c) McDonaldization theory is influenced by which classical theorist?

a. Marx b. Weber c. Durkheim

35.(t/f) According to McDonaldization theory, a component of the standardized setting at a fast food restaurant is the predictable emotions of the employees.

36.(t/f) According to McDonaldization theory, a primary goal of McDonaldization is the continual introduction of non-human technology so that workers can be either replaced or controlled.

37.(m/c) Which of the following are characteristics of Fordism?

a. automation b. specialized division of labor c. standardization

d. a and b e. all of above

38.(m/c) The McDonald brothers applied Fordism to their drive-in in which of the following ways?

a. They fired the car hops. b. They made the menu smaller.

c. They installed large grills. d. They introduced paper and plastic utensils. e. all of above

39.( t/f) Calculability as a dimension of McDonaldization refers to the reduction of every aspect of the process of production and distribution of goods and services to a formula of money and time.

40.(m/c) Which of the following does Ritzer say are successes of McDonaldization?

a. The production and distribution of more goods and services to more people throughout the world..

b. The creation of safe and stable environments.

c. Less discrimination because everyone is labeled and treated the same, as a standardized consumer.

d. a and c e. all of above

41.(t/f) According to McDonaldization theory, the result of McDonaldization will be a homogenized world where everyone will have the same desires and access to the same standardized goods and services.