



**NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA  
14-16 AHMADU BELLO WAY, VICTORIA ISLAND LAGOS  
SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2015 EXAMINATION**

**SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**

**COURSE CODE: ESM 301**

**COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO PEACE AND CONFLICT  
RESOLUTION**

**INSTRUCTION – ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS**

**TIME ALLOWED – TWO (2) HOURS.**

- 1a. Explain the Consensus model theory of conflict **or** the coercion model theory of conflict (12.5 marks).
  - b. List five basic assumptions of each of the theories (5 marks).
2. Distinguish between political conflict and economic conflict. (17.5 marks)
- 3a. Define the term environment. (2.5 marks)
  - b. Explain any five factors in the environment that may lead to conflict in your locality. (15 marks)
- 4a. What is conflict analysis ? (5 marks)
  - b. Why is conflict analysis an important process in peace management? (12.5 marks)
5. What are the similarities and differences between conflict resolution and conflict transformation?(17.5 marks)
6. Are the traditional methods of conflict resolution still relevant in Nigeria of today? (17.5 marks)