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UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

MAIN EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2013

TITLE OF PAPER:

HISTORIOGRAPHY

COURSE CODE:

IDE H311/H311

TIME ALLOWED:

TWO HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. ANSWER TWO QUESTIONS

2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS

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- 1. What is history? What is its subject matter? How does it differ from historiography?
- 2. What do professional historians do? How do they do it? Why do they do it?

3. Do you consider history to be a science or an art?

4. Analyse the relationship between causation and effect in history.

5. Examine objectivity and subjectivity in history.