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FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER, MAY 2011

Title of Paper: **International Relations**

Course Code: **PA 301**

Time Allowed: **Three (3) Hours**

- Instruction:**
1. **Answer Any Four (4) Questions.**
 2. **All Questions Carry Equal Marks of 25 Each**

1. Assess the usefulness of the Dominance and Dependence theory in understanding relations among states.
2. Discuss the reasons that led to the outbreak of World War II.
3. Some states demand the review of the UN Security Council structure and its operations. What are the complaints against the present set up and how do they propose to improve it?
4. Discuss any three instruments used by states to pursue their foreign policy objectives.
5. From the security studies perspective, what lessons can be derived from the Cuban Missile Crisis of 1962?
6. Does Swaziland benefit from the GSP/AGOA facility of the USA? Justify your answer.
7. What are the causes of inter state conflicts in Africa? Suggest solutions.
8. What informs the cordial relations between Swaziland and Taiwan? In your view, who benefits from these close ties?