University of Kelaniya – Sri Lanka
Centre for Distance and Continuing Education
Bachelor of Arts (General) Degree Third Examination (External) – 2013
2016 August – October
(New Syllabus)
Faculty of Social Sciences
History - HIST- E3025
History of Europe, from 1453 to 1945

Answer five (05) questions

No. of questions : 10

01. Analyse the socio-economic background which led to the rise of nation states in Europe during the 15th and 16th centuries and examine the main features of nation states.

02. What were the main features of Renaissance?

03. Discuss the major results of the protestant Reformation in Europe.

04. What were the major stages in the French Revolution?

05. To what extent did Napoleon Bonaparte carry forward the achievement of the French Revolution.

06. Examine the significance of the Congress of Vienna in modern European history.

07. What were the obstacles which existed against the unification of Italy between 1845 and 1848?

08. Examine the main stage in the unification of Germany between 1848 and 1871.

09. Analyse the main causes of World War I.

10. To what extent did the rise of Nazism and Fascism lead to the outbreak of World War II?

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