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**YEAR II SEMESTER I EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN LEADERSHIP AND GOVERNANCE**

**HECG 3204: POLITICAL AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION**

**DATE:DECEMBER 2015 TIME: 3 HOURS**

**INSRUCTIONS:** Answer question one (compulsory) and any other two questions.

QUESTION ONE

a. Define the term political conflict using the three dimensional perspective that you can. Use as a student of political and conflict resolution to the understanding of the complexities of conflict. (10 marks)

b. The Thomas-Kilimann conflict mode instrument (TKI) is widely used by conflict resolutions to assess and determine the relevant conflict modes. State and explain in depth on how to mitigate conflict situations. (10 marks)

c. Hobbessina realism relates the cause of violence or conflict to human beings natural inclination to aggressiveness or situations that provoke aggressiveness. Critically discuss your view giving relevant examples. (20 marks)

QUESTION TWO

Discuss the role United Nations (UN) in the prevention and management of conflict resolution during the Rwanda Genocide. Citing the successes and failures in terms of political and conflict resolution. (20 marks)

QUESTION THREE

Using relevant examples discuss the four conflict resolution strategies framework for analyzing conflict and management. (20 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

Distinguish between the structural underlying causes of conflict and proximate causes of conflict and state how it has triggered an outbreak and further escalation of conflict in any of the African countries. (20 marks)