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**FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES**  
**DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE**  
**2021\_1 POP EXAMINATION**

**COURSE CODE: INR 331**

**COURSE TITLE: INTERNATIONAL LAW**

**CREDIT UNIT: 2**

**TIME ALLOWED: 2<sup>1/2</sup> HOURS**

**INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS**

- 1a.** List and explain three (3) major reasons why the international system is devoid of supreme law-making body in international law (10 Marks)
- 1b.** State and discuss theories that explain the relationship between international and domestic law and which one takes precedence (13marks)
- 2a.** Mention the Seven Core Freedoms of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR) of 1948 (13 marks)
- 2b.** Briefly explain six (6) ways through which governments could facilitate the implementation of International Human Rights Law (IHRL) either immediately or progressively (10marks)
- 3a.** Within his Summa Theological orientation, Saint Thomas Aquinas, established the three conditions under which a just war could be initiated. What are these three conditions and Saint Thomas Aquinas position on them? (10marks).
- 3b.** Identify and briefly discuss the seven (7) most fundamental principles of Just War Doctrine (13marks)
- 4a.** Mention and highlight any three (3) of the four (4) main focus areas of the African Peer Review Mechanism (APRM) (10marks)
- 4b.** Identify the standing organs of the African Union and its functions (13 marks)