



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE
POP 2021_1 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: POL 422

COURSE TITLE: REVOLUTION AND SOCIETY

CREDIT UNIT: 3

TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS (17.5 Marks is allocated for each question)

1. Discuss the concept of society and analyse its five basic features.
2. Mention and explain the four common characteristics of Revolution and the reasons why they sometime fail.
3. The 2011 revolution in Tunisia marked the beginning of what came to be known as the “Arab Spring”, a revolutionary period within the Arab World. Discuss.
4. Examine the concept of social movement and the four stages associated with its development.
5. List and explain the four critical stages of “decline” or “institutionalisation” in the life cycle of a social movement.