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DEPARTMENT OF PEACE STUDIES AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION
2025_1 EXAMINATION...

COURSE CODE: PCR 424

**COURSE TITLE: GOVERNANCE, INTERNATIONAL LAW, AND
FUNDAMENTAL HUMAN RIGHTS**

CREDIT UNIT: 3

TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS.

**INSTRUCTION: Answer any four questions. All questions carry equal
Marks**

QUESTION 1:

1. **a.** What do you understand by the term ‘Governance’?

b. Explain the effects of ‘Godfatherism’ within the context of African post – independence political leadership

c. Mention five founding fathers of African nationalism (17.5 marks).
2. Governance in the past era and the contemporary generation has witnessed women’s dynamic roles most especially in Africa. Identify and analyse these roles vis-à-vis the travails of Women in the act of governance in Africa. (17.5 Marks)
3. What is international law? Mention and discuss the sources of International Law (17.5 marks).
4. What do you understand by the theory of good governance and constitutionalism and the militating factors against its firm formation? (17.5 Marks)
5. Mention three (3) origins of rights. Discuss various fundamental rights as enshrined in Chapter IV of 1999 Constitution of Federal Republic of Nigeria, as amended (17.5 marks).
6. Identify and discuss the underlining politics which hinders the effectiveness of human rights and evaluate the possible remedy to such hindrances. (17.5 Marks)