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**FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF
MASTER OF ARTS IN HISTORY**

HIST 803: HISTORIOGRAPHY I

STREAMS: MA (HIST) P/T

TIME: 3 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 14/04/2020

8.30 AM – 11.30 AM

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer any Four Questions

1. Discuss the issues studied in historiography. [15 marks]
 2. Examine the historical thought in Medieval Europe and Asia. [15 marks]
 3. Supporting your argument with at least one Greek and one Roman listed below analyze the characteristics of classical historiography (Herodotus, Thucydides, Polybius, Livy, Tacitus and Plutarch). [15 marks]
 4. Evaluate the historiography in modern times of a named Asian country you have studied in class. [15 marks]
 5. “Latin America and the Caribbean are historiographically backward” discuss [15 marks]
 6. Evaluate the problems and prospects of contemporary history. [15 marks]
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