



MASENO UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2015/2016

**SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN RELIGION WITH INFORMATION
TECHNOLOGY**

MAIN CAMPUS

ARE 204: HISTORY OF CHRISTIANITY II

Date: 22nd April, 2016

Time: 2.30 - 4.30pm

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer ANY THREE Questions.**



1. Discuss any five major teachings of Confucianism.
 2. Critically evaluate the spread of Buddhism in the following areas:
 - a) Korea
 - b) China
 3. To what extent is Sikhism a syncretic religion?
 4. a) Describe the life history of Zoroaster.

(b) Explain Zoroaster's teachings on "Ethical Dualism"
 5. Discuss the Shinto beliefs on the following concepts:
 - a) Kami
 - b) Amaterasu omi kami
6. **Either**
- A) Explain the five pillars of Islam.

Or

- B) Discuss the Taoist Pantheon