



MASENO UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2013/2014

THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS) AND
BACHELOR OF ARTS WITH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
(MAIN CAMPUS)

AHI 301: RESEARCH METHODOLOGY IN HISTORY

Date: 25th November, 2013

Time: 2.30 - 4.30 p.m.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer **THREE** questions.

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Instructions: Answer THREE Questions

- 1 Define history and explain the phases through which it developed to become an academic discipline.
- 2 Explain the significance of research in the production of historical knowledge.
- 3 How is a research topic arrived at and why is it considered an important step in conducting research?
- 4 Assess the usefulness of primary and secondary data in historical research.
- 5 Explain the basic elements of a research proposal.
- 6 Why is it important to observe ethical issues while conducting research?