

University of Kelaniya - Sri Lanka

Centre for Distance and Continuing Education

Bachelor of Arts (General) Degree Third Examination (External) – 2016

November 2022 – January 2023

Faculty of Social Science

Economics (Old Syllabus)

Comparative Economic Development - ECON-E 2025

Answer five (05) questions only

No. of questions: 07

Time: 03 Hours

- 01. "The collapse of the feudal system led to the revival of the European economy." Explain this statement using relevant examples.
- 02. Explain the reasons that affected for industrial revolution in Britain and discuss its socio-economic impact.
- 03. Evaluate the contribution of the Zollverein custom union to the economic development of Germany.
- 04. Analyze the distinctive features that can be seen in Russian economic development in comparison with other European countries.
- 05. Discuss the contribution of the railway transport system to the agricultural and industrial development of Europe.
- 06. Discuss the main features of trade union movement of Russia.
- 07. Write notes on following two (02) topics
 - i. French Revolution
 - ii. Napoleon Bonaparte
 - iii. Eden Trade Agreement
 - iv. Mercantilism
