



**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**

**International Studies (Old Syllabus)**

**International Politics - INTS– E 3015**

**Answer five (05) questions.**

**No. of questions : 08**

**Time : 03 Hours**

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01. Explain the main factors which determine power of a state referring to the sea power theory of Alfred Mahan. (20 Marks)
02. Explain the main causes for the First World War. (20 Marks)
03. Explain the present day significance of the United Nations. (20 Marks)
04. "One major objective of the Post- Second world war foreign policy of the united states was to curtail the growing Soviet influence in the Europe and in other territories." Examine. (20 Marks)
05. Explain the main challenges faced by the European Union at present as a regional organization. (20 Marks)
06. Explain the role of the non-aligned movement during the cold war period. (20 Marks)
07. As per Zbigniew Brzezinski's view what are the main challenges the united states had to overcome in exercising its power in the international system during the post-cold war period. (20 Marks)
08. Write notes on any **two (02)** of the following topics.
- i. The League of Nations
  - ii. Russian Revolution 1917
  - iii. Heartland Theory
  - iv. Sustainable Development
- (10x2 = 20 Marks)

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