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IRS 415A&T: Environmental Security /PEA 410 A& T : Environmental Conflict Management

Final Exam

Time: 2 Hours

**Instructions:**

1. Answer **all** questions from section A and **any two** Questions from section B.
2. The exam is two hours long
3. This is not an open book exam. Any form of cheating will lead to immediate dismissal from the exam room. The candidate will earn a failing grade.
4. Follow the instructions carefully.
5. Please write legibly

**Answer all Questions. 30 marks**

1. Current environmental problems make us vulnerable to disasters and tragedies. Evaluate the major environmental problems threatening security today. ( 15 marks)

2. In an attempt to deal with the challenges of climate change, the international community has established the Kyoto protocol. However, it has not effectively lived up to its ideals. Critically examine the reasons why Kyoto protocol is regarded as a weak environmental regime.

(15 marks)

**Answer any Two Questions. 40 marks**

3. Using examples, critically evaluate any *Two* theories of the environment.

(20 marks)

4. a) What is a regime?

(4 marks)

b. With reference to environmental regime theory, using case studies, examine the process of regime formation indicating the positions states adopt and the factors that influence those choices.

( 16 Marks).

5. With the aid of a diagram, explain how the environment can be used to build peace along a conflict continuum. Cite relevant case studies for each stage of the conflict. ( 20 marks)