

ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION JANUARY 2019

HUMAN GEOGRAPHY

Time Allowed - 1.5 hours

<u>Instructions to candidates: you must answer 2 questions from a choice of 10.</u>

- 1. How is climate change likely to affect different parts of the world and how might states take the lead in ameliorating these challenges?
- 2. How might the use of smart technologies (e.g. smartphones, wearable technologies, biometrics etc.) be changing what it means to be a citizen?
- 3. What does human geography have to contribute to understandings of the 2016 European Union membership referendum and how might it help us interpret the results?
- 4. What does the UK Government's policies of creating a 'hostile environment' for immigrants tell us about ideas of migration and human mobility?
- 5. What insights does studying the sea have for human geography?
- 6. Is sustainable development the answer to the world's environmental, social and economic problems?
- 7. What responsibilities do geographers have towards the people, places, and processes that they study?
- 8. To what extent should development goals emphasize citizens' well-being, rather than increasing their wealth?
- 9. Discuss some of the specific ways in which a map can influence our perceptions of the reality it is supposed to reflect.
- 10. Many of the world's major cities are experiencing acute housing shortages. With reference to a major city outside the United Kingdom, describe the causes and impact of such shortages, and discuss how they might be tackled.