

## ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION JANUARY 2017

## **Human Geography**

## Time Allowed – 1.5 hours TWO questions should be attempted.

- 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 recent European referendum and how might it help us interpret the results?
- 4. What does the Syrian refugee crisis show us about ideas of migration and human mobility?
- 5. How would a human geographer study the internet?
- 6. Is sustainable development the answer to the world's environmental, social and economic problems?
- 7. Globalisation signals the end of geography as a discipline. Discuss with reference to examples you have studied.
- 8. How does knowledge of human geography improve our understanding of the reasons for terrorism?
- 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.