

WRITTEN EXAMINATION

SOSGEO4800 – Globalisation, migration and religion

April 29th 2016

(4 hours)

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This examination paper consists of **2 pages**, including this page.

The candidate must submit both the original and the copy of their examination answers.

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Good luck!

The exam consists of two parts. Part 1 counts 1/3 and part 2 2/3 in the final grading. The exam can be written in English, Norwegian, Swedish, or Danish.

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PART 1.

Briefly explain three of the following four concepts.

- citizenship
- acculturation
- transnational religious organization
- cosmopolitanism

PART 2.

Discuss ONE of the following topics:

EITHER 2A:

Consider the current influx of refugees and migrants to Europe and its effect on the local economies. Discuss the challenges and opportunities immigration offers to the welfare state of the receiving countries. How do welfare state policies adapt to changing patterns of migration?

OR 2B:

International migration results in people from diverse cultural background living closer together. Explain the role of culture, in terms of values, norms and attitudes, for migration. What implications do cultural differences have in the process of acculturation of migrants into the host society?