

UNIVERSITY OF COLOMBO – SRI LANKA

FACULTY OF ARTS

SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION IN ARTS – SEMESTER 11 – 2016/17

PSC 2240 – CIVIL WAR AND PEACE PROCESS IN COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVE

TIME: TWO (02) HOURS

Answer **three (03)** questions only.

Each answer carries a maximum of **twenty (20)** marks.

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01. Examine the salient features of civil war after cold war period.
02. 'According to the contemporary discourse, civil war has changed its mode in a destructive manner'. Critically evaluate this statement with reference to the concept of complex political emergency.
03. Examine the following.
  - a. The impact of ripe condition approach for negotiation and
  - b. Practical contributions of negotiation to the management of armed conflict.
04. Discuss
  - a. Role of mediation in conflict management and
  - b. Important stages of the process of mediation.
05. Critically explain the debates on the interim vs. final solution in civil war management and peace settlement.
06. Describe the international dimensions of the Sri Lankan civil war during the period of 1990-2003.
07. Discuss any **two (02)** of the following:
  - a. Greed vs. Grievance Theory
  - b. Hurting stalemate of a conflict
  - c. Types of the negotiation
  - d. Reconciliation in civil-war transition