

**UNIVERSITY OF COLOMBO**  
**Faculty of Graduate Studies**  
**Masters in Conflict and Peace Studies**  
**Semester I Examination, January 2017**

**MCPS 6102: Conflict and Peace Processes: Theories into Practice**

**Duration: Three (03) hours only**

**Answer Three (03) Questions Only**

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1. Assess the challenges for International Peacebuilding Process in Balkan states.
2. Citing empirical evidence write an essay on the role of the ethno-religious identities in the disintegration of former Yugoslavia.
3. For a peace process to be successful it needs to have national ownership. In your opinion do Peacebuilding mechanisms that resolve internal conflicts require external support and pressure? Illustrate the answer with examples.
4. 'Guatemalan civil war was a war against civilians'. Examine the validity of this statement.
5. Critically analyze the strengths and weaknesses of the activities undertaken by UN to ensure world peace with special reference to the UN mission in Haiti.
6. Write notes on any **Two (02)** of the following:
  - i. 1994 Rwandan Crisis
  - ii. Peace Process in El-Salvador
  - iii. The Conflict in Central Africa
  - iv. Systematic approach to Conflict Transformation