

**NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF LESOTHO**  
**B. A. EXAMINATIONS**  
**PS4301: INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY**

**JANUARY 2024**

**MARKS: 100**

**TIME: 3 HOURS**

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**Instructions:** Answer **any THREE** questions

1. Critically discuss the **three** analytical perspectives of International Political Economy.
2. Critically examine the **four** levels of analysis in International Political Economy
3. Compare and contrast the **two** strands of Liberalism in International Political Economy.
4. Since the shift from 'Mercantilism' to 'Economic Nationalism' in the 20<sup>th</sup> century, International Political Economy realist perspective became a more neutral and easily interpreted term. Critically discuss.
5. Critically evaluate Marxism as the third major school of thought in International Political Economy.