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**FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES**  
**DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE**  
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**COURSE CODE: INR 441**

**COURSE TITLE: Contemporary Strategic Studies**

**CREDIT UNIT: 3**

**TIME ALLOWED: 3 Hours**

**INSTRUCTION: Answer any 4 questions**

1. Define and explain the nature of contemporary strategy (17.5 Marks)
2. Explain the relation between Realism Theory and Contemporary Strategy (17.5 Marks)
3. Explain the causes of war using the different levels of analysis (17.5 Marks)
4. Identify and discuss the various types of war and how each is likely to occur (17.5 Marks)
5. Examine and explain the impact of weapons technology in 21<sup>st</sup> century warfare (17.5 Marks)
6. Using various perspectives, define terrorism and outline its main causes (17.5 Marks)