UNIVERSITY OF RUHUNA

2018/2019 Academic Year B. A. (General/Special) Degree - 2000 Level 1st Semester Examination - 2019 October/November POS 21653/21553 - Human Rights

Answer only four (4) Questions. Each answer carries equal marks (15 marks)

Time: 03 Hours

- 1. "Born as a human is only the condition to claim for human rights" Do you agree with the statement? Explain your answer.
- 2. Describe the legal approach in the concept of human rights.
- 3. Critically evaluate the functioning of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR).
- 4. Explain the contribution of the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (ICCPR-1966) in ensuring rights in the public and private spheres.
- 5. "The state is responsible for the protection of child rights" Critically analyze the statement.
- 6. Explain the importance of regional mechanisms for promoting human Rights in the context of Africa.
- 7. Critically examine the concept of Fundamental Rights.