

# Faculty of Usuluddin Semester II, 2017/2018 Academic Session

# **Final Examination Question Paper**

Course Code: UM3003

**Course Name: STUDIES IN WORLD RELIGION** 

Programme : Minor in Contemporary Da'wah

Time : 3 hours

Note (s):

Answer Three (3) of the following questions.

Question One (#1) is Compulsory

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### Question One: (30%)

Why you are studying world religions? State the advantages and disadvantages; provide your own perspective(s) and experience on the subject.

#### Question Two: (15%)

Write a short essay on the concept of "God" in world religions.

#### Question Three: (15%)

Worships and rituals are essential elements to understand religious identity, discuss these two elements from a perspective of <u>One</u> religion which you had studied.

#### Question Four: (15%)

In each major world religions there are "sects" and/or "cults"; describe <u>One</u> of these religious groups compare to its main religion (the founder, book, teachings).

#### **Question Five: (15%)**

Why religious ceremonies and festivals have been very essential to understand world religions today?

#### Question Six: (15%)

What are the differences between monotheism and polytheism? Which methodology classical Muslim scholars utilized to study world religions?

Biltawfiq Insha-Allah