Solution EX-104 A19, generell informasjon

Course code: EX-104

Course name: Examen facultatum – social science theory

Date: 02.12.2019 **Duration**: 5 hours

Resources:

Dictionary (not thesaurus) from native language to English/English to native language

Notes:

The exam consists of several brief answers and one longer answer.

Both parts need to be answered.

Read the instructions carefully and make as much use of your core readings as you can.

It may be relevant to use student exam answers in educational contexts and for purposes of instruction at the university. UiA requires the students approval in order to do so. The answer will under all circumstances only be used in an anonymous format.

Will you allow your answer to be used for this purpose? Chose an alternative

No

¹ EX-104 A19, question 1 (40%)

Short full-text answers

Answer **four** of the following seven questions, using about 40% of your time and space. Provide about 150 words +/- 10 % for each one.

- 1. How do you understand the term *citizenship*?
- 2. How do you understand the term mobility?
- 3. Define the term *culture*, according to course readings
- 4. What is meant by the term *the industrial revolution*?
- 5. What is meant by the term social class?
- 6. What is meant by the term ideology?
- 7. What is the distinction between a *state* and a *nation*?

Fill in your answer here



² EX-104 A19, question 2 (60%)

Long full-text answer

Use about 60% of your time, answering **one** of three questions: Write about 1500 words +/- 10%.

- 1. In your course readings there are a number of ways in which you can define the concept of *globalization* as either a positive or a negative concept, or both: Based on those perspectives, what would you say are key challenges facing Norway or your home country stemming from the processes and dynamics of globalization today? And what relevance does social science have? Outline one ore or more social scientific debates on the matter that you find relevant.
- 2. What defines *social science* as a form of knowledge more generally? How would you say the course readings approach and answer that question? Elaborate your answer using two or more examples from the course readings and/or lectures that you find relevant and interesting.
- 3. In what sense would you say *technology is a key factor* in explaining social change? To the extent of your memory of course readings and lecture notes, what would you say are some key social science positions that can be taken on explaining technology as a catalyst of social change? Use examples from the course materials and lectures to illustrate.

Fill in your answer here

