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AAR 3104 CONTEMPORARY HISTORY AND THEORY OF ARCHITECTURE I

*Instructions*

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Answer QUESTION 1 which carries 50% of the marks, and two others. All answers should be illustrated with sketches, where appropriate.*

**QUESTION 1**

Write an essay on one of the major 20<sup>th</sup> century movements or theories of architecture, identifying the architects most closely associated with its development and explaining its significance in the development of contemporary architecture.

**QUESTION 2**

Explain the following movements, and describe their application in architectural terms:

- Regionalism
- Rationalism
- Brutalism
- Deconstructivism
- Green Architecture

**QUESTION 3**

Explain the contribution of the following critics and historians to the development of modern architecture:

- John Ruskin
- William Morris
- Nikolaus Pevsner
- Reyner Banham
- Charles Jencks

**QUESTION 4**

Select one key 20<sup>th</sup> century building, write a critique of it, and explain its architectural significance.

THE END

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