Mid-West University

Examinations Management Office

Birendranagar, Surkhet

End - Semester Examination, 2080

Subject: IR 535-Regional Studies: Western Hemisphere

Time: 3 Hours

FM:60 PM:30

Semester: III Level/program: Master (M.A) Candidates are required to answer the questions in their own words as far as practicable.

Attempt ALL of the following Very Short Answer Questions.

- 1. List out any two major features of Western Hemisphere.
- 2. Define the term 'geo-political importance'.
- 3. Who is the current president of the USA?
- 4. What was the role of UN to collapse the Soviet Union?
- 5. When was their diplomatic relations between the USA and Canada?
- 6. How is the relations between the US and Mexico?
- 7. What are the permanent members of UN?
- 8. Define the term 'Terrorism'.
- 9. What does new economic regime mean?
- 10. Is China becoming the important player in the world politics? Give a reason.

Attempt any THREE of the Following Short Questions.

3x8 = 24

- 11. Define regionalism and its features. Describe its growth in the Western Hemisphere.
- 12. What are the geo-political, demographical and socio-economic importance of Western Hemisphere? Discuss.
- 13. How do you evaluate the rise of the USA in the 21st Century? Is US economy playing important role to make the USA leader of the Western world? How?
- Describe the prospects and challenges of US-Brazil relationship.

Attempt any TWO of the Following Long Questions.

2x13 = 26

- 15. What type of threats are known as social threats to international security? What are they? Explain them with examples.
- 16. What do you think about the role of US in the formation and development of United Nations? How it has been dominating other permanent members of UN in the name of war against terrorism? Discuss.
- 17. The contemporary world is suffering from the giant war between Russia and Ukraine. Is there any role of the USA to promote the contradiction between them? How do you analyze the Russia-Ukraine conflict in the eye of Western Hemisphere? Put your view.