## UNIVERSITY OF MALTA

## EUROPEAN DOCUMENTATION AND RESEARCH CENTRE BACHELORS IN EUROPEAN STUDIES

## **ACADEMIC YEAR 2004-2005**

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**SEMESTER TWO** 

## **TEST**

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2005 from 10.30 am to 12.30 pm

EST 3090 Euro-Mediterranean Relations [4 ECTS]

Answer any two questions. Time allowed 2 hours. Use a fresh page for each answer.

- 1. Outline the development of Euro-Mediterranean relations from 1956 until 1972. Why did the EC feel the need to develop a regional policy in 1972?
- 2. What were the key developments in the EC's Mediterranean policy from 1972 until 1995? Why was the Renovated Mediterranean Policy replaced so quickly by the Barcelona Process?
- 3. What were the factors that led to the Barcelona Declaration establishing a Euro-Mediterranean Partnership? What were the main aspects of the Partnership and it be considered a success?
- 4. MEDA funding is an integral part of the whole Barcelona process. Has it had a positive effect on the development of the countries to the south of the EU? What problems have there been with MEDA?
- 5. What is the New Neighbourhood Policy? Why did the European Union feel the need to develop this policy and do you consider it a positive development for Euro-Mediterranean relations?
- 6. The migration problem in the Mediterranean is a key issue for the European Union. How has migration affected the history of Euro-Mediterranean relations and what is being done at present to tackle the problem?