STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI 600 086 (For candidates admitted during the academic year 2015 – 16 & thereafter)

SUBJECT CODE: 15IS/PC/AF34

M. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2019 BRANCH II (E) - INTERNATIONAL STUDIES THIRD SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR - CORE

PAPER : AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX. MARKS: 100

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 1500 WORDS: (5 X 20 = 100)

- 1. Discuss the United States' rise from the status of thirteen colonies to the world's superpower.
- 2. Trace the roots of the American Grand Strategy and the changes it underwent since the end of cold war.
- 3. Examine the relevance of NATO in the 21st century.
- 4. "Globalization equals Americanization"- Analyse.
- 5. "The President of the United States overrides all other institutions of foreign policy making"- Elucidate.
- 6. Examine the impact and implications of media on the foreign policy of the United States.
- 7. "John F. Kennedy's handling of the Cuban Missile Crisis was a clear demonstration of his leadership skills"- Enumerate.
- 8. Discuss Obama's engagement in the Israeli-Palestinian peace process and the resultant opposition from the Republicans.
- 9. Describe the fundamentals and assumptions of the US policy towards China.
- 10. Discuss Trump's South Asia policy.
