

## SCHOOL EXAMINATION

### SGO2200 - Economic globalisation and regional development

May 14 2018

The exam consists of four questions. Students have to answer **three out of the four** questions

1. In "Global Shift", page 6 it is stated that:  
"The crucial diagnostic characteristic of a "global economy", therefore, is *the qualitative transformation of economic relationships across geographical space*, not their mere quantitative geographical space". (authors italics).  
Discuss this statement.
2. How has revolutions in transportation and communication technologies contributed to economic globalization since the 1950s?
3. What are the most important reasons for firms to transnationalize? Use examples.
4. How has income inequality within countries changed since the 1990s? Discuss possible reasons behind these changes.