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NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF IRELAND, GALWAY

THIRD ARTS PSYCHOLOGY, THIRD ARTS PSYCHOLOGICAL STUDIES  
AND VISITING STUDENTS

SEMESTER 1 EXAMINATION 2003-2004

PS317 History of Psychology & Current Issues (5 ECTS)

*Time allowed: One hour*

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*Candidates are required to answer **one** of the following questions.*

1. **Either** (a) Examine the contributions to the development of Psychology made by Socrates and his predecessors in Ancient Greece;  
  
or (b) Compare and contrast the views of Plato and Aristotle on psychological issues.
2. Outline from Descartes (1596-1650) to Wertheimer (1880-1943) the history of the nativist/empiricist controversy with regard to the visual perception of bidimensional space.
3. Consider the contribution to Psychology made by **either** Wilhelm Wundt **or** Sir Francis Galton.