APCHAEOLOGY 101 Introduction to Archaeology

Final Examination

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I Identifications 50%

Tíme: 60 mínutes

Significant heritage sites, artifacts and images you have seen:

- Please, identify the EIGHT images and describe what they represent.
- Note that several images combine more than one artifact from different origins.
- The descriptions should include the type of artifact(s), its origin, period and purpose, as well as its present significance.

II Essay questions I & 2 50 %

Tíme: 60 mínutes

Beirut's Past included in the Beirut Central District (BCD) through presentations, actual and/or virtual:

The postwar Souks excavations have taught us much about Beirut's past, particularly in Ottoman (18th to early 20th century) and Roman-Byzantine times (first to sixth centuries AD until the 551 earthquake destruction).

- 1. What aspects of recently (1993 and on) excavated Ottoman and Roman-Byzantine Beirut could be recreated in the BCD?
- 2. How can existing and restored Ottoman period buildings and museums be better included on a 'heritage walk through Beirut's Past'?
- Ottoman suggestions
 Excavated: Ottoman port, workshops, gardens and fountains...
 Surviving: the 'Grand Sérail' and clocktower; Ottoman period mosques and churches; a public bathhouse; Ottoman period houses.....
- Roman-Byzantine suggestions
 Roman hippodrome; Byzantine shops (glass, essential oils/herbal medicine, and a laundry/clothes shop) below the modern Souks; Roman baths; tavernas; houses.....
- Any other suggestions?

