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Q2(a)

Sociology is the product of European enlightenment and renaissance. Critically examine this statement

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Sociology - The Discipline: Modernity and social changes in Europe and emergence of sociology; Scope of the subject and comparison with other social sciences; Sociology and common sense.

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Comte's positive science

A European Enlightenment heir who named sociology and sought laws of social development.

Dual revolution

Hobsbawm's pairing of the French political revolution and the British industrial revolution as the setting of classical sociology.

Southern Theory

Connell's argument that the metropolitan canon treated the rest of the world as data rather than as theory-producing.

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