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Albert Einstein, whose theories on space time and matter helped unravel the secrets of the atom and of the universe, was chosen as

“ Person of the Century ” by Time magazine on Sunday. www.

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synonymous with scientific genius, Einstein has come to represent more than any other person the flowering of 20th century scientific

though that set the stage for the age of technology. “ The world has

changed far more in the past 100 years than in any other century in history. The reason is not political or economic, but

technological technologies that flowed directly from advances in

basic science, ” wrote theoretical physicist Stephen Hawking in a

Time essay explaining Einstein ’ s significance. _____ (1) _____.

Time chose as runner-up President Franklin Roosevelt¹ to represent

the triumph of freedom and democracy over fascism, and Mahatma

Gandhi² as an icon for a century when civil and human rights

became crucial factors in global politics. “ What we saw was

Franklin Roosevelt embodying the great theme of freedom ’ s fight

against totalitarianism, Gandhi personifying the great theme of

individuals struggling for their rights, and Einstein being both a great genius and a great symbol of a scientific revolution that brought with it amazing technological advances that helped expand the growth of freedom, ” said Time Magazine Editor Walter Isaacson. Einstein was born in Ulm, Germany in 1879. _____ (2) _____. He was slow to learn to speak and did not do well in elementary school. He could not stomach organized learning and loathed taking exams³. In 1905, however, he was to publish a theory which stands as one of the most intricate examples of human imagination in history. _____ (3) _____. Everything else mass, weight, space, even time itself is a variable. And he offered the world his now-famous equation: energy equals mass times the speed of light squared $E=mc^2$. _____ (4) _____. “ There was less faith in absolutes, not only of time and space but also of truth and morality. ” Einstein ’ s famous equation was also the seed that led to the development of atomic energy and weapons. In 1939, six years after he fled European fascism and settled at Princeton University, Einstein, an avowed pacifist⁴, signed a letter to President Roosevelt urging the United States to develop an atomic bomb before Nazi Germany did. _____ (5) _____. Einstein did not work on the project. Einstein died in Princeton, New Jersey in 1955.

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