AYDIN ADNAN MENDERES UNIVERSITY
COURSE INFORMATION FORM

Course Title	Tourism Geography of Turkey						
Course Code	REH102		Couse Level	First Cycle (Bachelor's Degree)			
ECTS Credit	3	Workload	81 *(Hours)*	Theory	2	Practice	0	Laboratory	0
Objectives of the Course	The aim of the course is to give information about the geographical characteristics of Turkey, the recognition of history and the civilizations of Anatolia in prehistoric times and touristic cities and geographical data by region.						
Course Content	The general geography of Turkey, the first civilizations in Anatolia and the archaeological areas, the examination of historical and touristic data by province will be examined.						
Work Placement	N/A						
Planned Learning Activities and Teaching Methods			Explanation (Presentation), Discussion, Individual Study				
Name of Lecturer(s)	Assoc. Prof. Hakan ATAY						

Assessment Methods and Criteria

Method	Quantity	Percentage (%)
Midterm Examination	1	40
Final Examination	1	70

Recommended or Required Reading

1	Gür, S. (2011). İlk İnsandan Selçuklu'ya Anadolu Uygarlıkları ve Antik Şehirler. Alfa Yayınları, 2. Baskı, İstanbul.
2	Şenol, F. (2006). Türkiye Turizm Coğrafyası. Detay Yayıncılık, İstanbul.

Week	Weekly Detailed Course Contents	
1	Theoretical	General Geography of Turkey, Turkey's position, Dimensions and Area, Boundaries and Neighbours, Geographical mountains, plains, plateaus, seas and coasts, Climate and Vegetation, Rivers and Lakes.
2	Theoretical	History and prehistory of Anatolia, Paleolithic period, Mesolithic period, Neolithic period, Chalcolithic period, The Ancient Bronze Age, Assyrian Colony Period, Hittites, Phrygians, Lydians, Persians, Ionians, Hellenistic Period, Roman, Byzantine period of Anatolia Seljuk Period, the Ottoman Period.
3	Theoretical	Turkey's Tourism Regions and Properties, Marmara Region, Edirne, Canakkale, Bursa, Balikesir, Bilecik, Kocaeli.
4	Theoretical	Marmara Region, Istanbul, Yalova.
5	Theoretical	Aegean Region, İzmir, Manisa, Afyon, Denizli.
6	Theoretical	Aegean Region, Aydin, Mugla
7	Theoretical	Mediterranean Region, Antalya, the Lake District (Burdur, Isparta)
8	Theoretical	Mediterranean Region, Mersin, Adana, Hatay, Gaziantep
9	Intermediate Exam	Mid-term Exam
10	Theoretical	Central and Western Anatolia Region, Eskisehir, Ankara, Konya, Corum
11	Theoretical	Central and Western Anatolia Region, Yozgat, Sivas, Amasya, Cappadocia (Nevsehir, Nigde, Aksaray)
12	Theoretical	The Black Sea Region, Bolu, Zonguldak, Kastamonu, Karabük, Samsun, Trabzon, Ordu, Rize.
13	Theoretical	Eastern Anatolia, Kars, Van, Batman.
14	Theoretical	South Eastern Anatolia Region, Mardin, Diyarbakir, Adiyaman, Sanliurfa, Kayseri.
15	Theoretical	General Review
16	Final Exam	Final Exam

Workload Calculation

Activity	Quantity	Preparation	Duration	Total Workload
Lecture - Theory	14	2	3	70
Midterm Examination	1	5	1	6

Final Examination	1	4	1	5
			Total Workload (Hours)	81
			[Total Workload (Hours) / 25*] = **ECTS**	3

*25 hour workload is accepted as 1 ECTS

Learning Outcomes

1	To be able to identify the tourism regions of Turkey.
2	To be able to identify the first civilizations in Anatolia (Assyrian, Hittite, Phrygian, Urartu, Lydia, Persia, Ion), and the historical data based on these civilizations.
3	To get information about the Hellenistic periods,
4	To be able to employ the important historical data about Byzantine, Seljuk and Ottoman periods
5	To get information about Roman period.
6	To be able to identify the important provinces situated in Turkey within the scope of their geographic features and tourism data

Programme Outcomes *(Tourism Guiding)*

1	To have scientific and professional ethical values
2	To gain the ability of analytical and critical thinking
3	To have an awareness of requirement of gaining lifelong new knowledge and skills
4	To know the basic concepts about tourism sector
5	To comprehend relationship between tourism and natural, cultural and social environment
6	To have enough foreign language knowledge to follow trends and studies in his/her field and to be able to communicate
7	to be able to use the second foreign language at medium level.
8	to have the ability of doing team work.
9	To gain the ability to use information technologies in his/her field at a good level.
10	To gain administrative knowledge and ability in his/her field.
11	To be competent on the subject of human relations and behaviours which are required in tourism industry
12	To be able to track the trends in his/her field.
13	To have knowledge and ability on the subjects required for his/her profession.
14	To have comprehensive knowledge required for his/ her profession about other tourism services
15	To have enough knowledge about culture and customs of his/her own country.
16	To have enough knowledge about different cultures and customs.

Contribution of Learning Outcomes to Programme Outcomes *1:Very Low, 2:Low, 3:Medium, 4:High, 5:Very High*

	L1	L2	L3	L4	L5	L6
P1	3	3	3	3	3	3
P2	2	2	2	2	2	2
P3	4	4	4	4	4	4
P4	3	3	3	3	3	3
P5	2	2	2	2	2	2
P6	4	4	4	4	4	4
P7	3	3	3	3	3	3
P8	3	3	3	3	3	3
P9	3	3	3	3	3	3
P10	2	2	2	2	2	2
P11	2	2	2	2	2	2
P12	1	1	1	1	1	1
P13	1	1	1	1	1	1
P14	5	5	5	5	5	5
P15	2	2	2	2	2	2
P16	3	3	3	3	3	3