

# AYDIN ADNAN MENDERES UNIVERSITY COURSE INFORMATION FORM

| Course Title History of Economic Though  |          | nt          |             |             |                                 |               |            |   |
|--|----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------------------|---------------|------------|---|
| Course Code  | ECO214   |             | Couse Level |             | First Cycle (Bachelor's Degree) |               |            |   |
| ECTS Credit 6  | Workload | 150 (Hours) | Theory      | 3           | Practice                        | 0             | Laboratory | 0 |
| Objectives of the Course  The main purpose of this course is to provide the students having a general information and prediction about the economic thought and theories, also being able to make short interpretations regarding the thinkers about their contributions on economics. |          |             |             |             |                                 |               |            |   |
| Course Content  The economic theories and the history of the development of thoughts and some concepts about the history of economic thought, the economic thought at the first age, the economic thought at the middle age, the economic though in 20th century                       |          |             |             |             |                                 |               |            |   |
| Work Placement N/A   |          |             |             |             |                                 |               |            |   |
| Planned Learning Activities and Teaching Methods   |          |             | Explanatio  | n (Presenta | tion), Discussi                 | on, Individua | al Study   |   |
| Name of Lecturer(s) Assoc. Prof. Muzaffer Özgür YANARDAĞ   |          |             |             |             |                                 |               |            |   |

# **Prerequisites & Co-requisities**

ECTS Requisite 50

| Assessment Methods and Criteria |          |                |    |  |  |  |
|---------------------------------|----------|----------------|----|--|--|--|
| Method                          | Quantity | Percentage (%) |    |  |  |  |
| Midterm Examination             |          | 1              | 40 |  |  |  |
| Final Examination               |          | 1              | 70 |  |  |  |

#### **Recommended or Required Reading**

- 1 Mark Skousen History of Economic Thought: The Making of Modern Economics, Adres Yayınları, 2019.
- 2 E. K. Hunt and Mark Lautzenheiser History of Economic Thought, Siyasal Kitabevi, 2019.

| Week | <b>Weekly Detailed Cour</b> | se Contents  |
|------|-----------------------------|--|
| 1    | Theoretical                 | The economic theories and the history of the development of thoughts and some concepts about the history of economic thought |
| 2    | Theoretical                 | The economic thought at the First Age: Ancient China, Indian, Mesopotamia, Jews and Hittites                                 |
| 3    | Theoretical                 | The economic thought at the First Age: Ancient Greek and Rome  |
| 4    | Theoretical                 | The economic thought at the Middle Age of Europe: Magnus, Aquinas, Oresme, Luther ve Calvin                                  |
| 5    | Theoretical                 | The economic thought at the Middle Age of Islamic World: El-Farabi, El-Gazali, İbn-i Haldun                                  |
| 6    | Theoretical                 | The economic thought of Mercantilism and the main principles   |
| 7    | Theoretical                 | The Mercantilism in Spanish, French, Italian, English and German histories and their thinkers                                |
| 8    | Intermediate Exam           | Midterm Examination  |
| 9    | Theoretical                 | Physiocracy in economic thought: Mirabeau, Turgot, de Nemours ve Quesnay   |
| 10   | Theoretical                 | Classical economic thought and Adam Smith  |
| 11   | Theoretical                 | Classical economic thought: J. Bentham, T. R. Malthus ve D. Ricardo  |
| 12   | Theoretical                 | Classical economic thought: N. W. Senior, J. B. Say, C. F. Bastiat, J.S. Mill  |
| 13   | Theoretical                 | Neo-classical economic thought: K. Menger, F. Von Wieser, E. von Böhm-Bawerk, L. Walras                                      |
| 14   | Theoretical                 | Neo-classical economic thought: V. Pareto, W. S. Jevons, A. Marshall, A. C. Pigou  |
| 15   | Theoretical                 | The economic though in 20th century: Keynesian Theory and dynamisation of Keynesian economics                                |
| 16   | Final Exam                  | Final examination  |
| 17   | Final Exam                  | Final examination  |

| Workload Calculation |          |             |          |                |  |  |
|----------------------|----------|-------------|----------|----------------|--|--|
| Activity             | Quantity | Preparation | Duration | Total Workload |  |  |
| Lecture - Theory     | 14       | 0           | 3        | 42             |  |  |
| Reading              | 14       | 0           | 1        | 14             |  |  |
| Individual Work      | 14       | 0           | 4        | 56             |  |  |



| Midterm Examination                            | 1 | 15 | 1 | 16 |
|--|---|----|---|----|
| Final Examination                              | 1 | 21 | 1 | 22 |
| Total Workload (Hours)                         |   |    |   |    |
| [Total Workload (Hours) / 25*] = <b>ECTS</b> 6 |   |    |   |    |
| *25 hour workload is accepted as 1 ECTS        |   |    |   |    |

## **Learning Outcomes**

- 1 Explains some concept of the history of economic thought.
- 2 Expresses the difference in the history of economics and the history of economic thought.
- 3 Makes interpretations regarding economic thought in the firs and middle ages.
- 4 Describes the definitions and concepts related Feudal system and Mercantilism.
- 5 Explains the contributions made by Physiocratics, Classicals, Neo-Classicals and Keynesians to the economic literature.

#### **Programme Outcomes** (Economics)

- 1 It defines and evaluates the basic economic concepts, theories, and methods.
- 2 It offers a basic level of policy proposals towards current economic problems.
- 3 It analyzes in the context of economic and social events in a historical perspective.
- 4 It explains the role of economic actors (such as government, company, or household) in the economy.
- 5 It follows national and international economic indicators and developments and it uses economic knowledge and methods in different areas.
- 6 Itprovides methods, tools and techniques necessary for the modelling and analysis of economic data and evaluates outcomes accordingly.
- 7 It defines economic systems, decision-making, policies and problems and it provides feedback about them.
- 8 It benefits from other disciplines tht contribute to economic basis and holds a basic knowledge of these disciplines.
- 9 It explains and comments on economic growth, development and productivity problems on basic grounds.
- It provides sufficient know-how in sub-branches such as public economics, industry, agriculture, environment and natural resources, labor, knowledge and ownership of the economy, international finance, money, in political economy and econometrics.
- 11 It defines and evaluates the concept of business on basic grounds.
- 12 It provides a sufficient level of legal know-howthat may be demanded from high skill labor in both public and private sectors.
- 13 It defines the role of innovation, creativity and technology in the dynamic global economy.
- 14 It shows skills that will be useful for future employment opportunities and the working environment.
- 15 It considers science as a rational individual with professional and ethical responsibility.

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

|    | L1 | L2 | L3 | L4 | L5 |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| P1 | 2  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 3  |
| P2 | 3  | 3  | 4  | 3  | 3  |
| P3 | 5  | 4  | 4  | 3  | 4  |
| P4 | 2  | 3  | 3  | 2  | 3  |
| P7 | 3  | 2  | 3  | 3  | 3  |

