



AYDIN ADNAN MENDERES UNIVERSITY COURSE INFORMATION FORM

Course Title		Eu's Security and Foreign Policy							
Course Code		UYL508		Course Level		Second Cycle (Master's Degree)			
ECTS Credit	5	Workload	127 (Hours)	Theory	3	Practice	0	Laboratory	0
Objectives of the Course		This course focuses on the contemporary security challenges facing Europe, and on how the European Union (EU) and Europe's main powers are adapting to such challenges. The course aims to provide an understanding of the EU as an actor in the foreign, security and defence policy fields. The course will examine the institutions of EU foreign and security policy; the future of the transatlantic relationship; regional challenges such as engaging the Middle East and engaging Russia; and tackling new security challenges, including climate change, energy and migration. The aim of the course is to give students a thorough overview of contemporary security issues and the ability of European security actors and institutions to address them.							
Course Content		Searching EU and third party relations, the EU's security policies and role in international era.							
Work Placement		N/A							
Planned Learning Activities and Teaching Methods				Explanation (Presentation), Discussion, Individual Study					
Name of Lecturer(s)									

Assessment Methods and Criteria

Method	Quantity	Percentage (%)
Midterm Examination	1	40
Final Examination	1	60

Recommended or Required Reading

1	Yıldız, Uğur Burç. (2015), Avrupa Birliği'nin Dış İlişkileri Bölgesel Politikalar, Bölgeler ve Uluslararası Aktörler ile İlişkiler, Nobel.
2	Ülger, İrfan K. (2002), Avrupa Birliği'nde Siyasal Bütünleşme, Gündoğan Yayınları, İstanbul.
3	Çakmak, Haydar (2007), Avrupa Güvenliği, Platin Yayınları, Ankara.
4	Dedeoğlu, Beril (2014), Uluslararası Güvenlik ve Strateji, Yeni Yüzyıl Yayınları, İstanbul.
5	Erhan, Çağrı ve Akdemir, Erhan (2008), Avrupa Bütünleşmesi, (Editörler: Belgin Akçay, Sevilay Kahraman ve Sanem Baykal), Avrupa Birliği'nin Güncel Sorunları ve Gelişmeler, Seçkin Yayınları, Ankara.
6	Zuhssipbek, Galym (2009), AGSP'nin Tanımı ve Düşünsel Arka Planı, Uluslararası Hukuk ve Politika Dergisi, 5 (19).
7	Buzan, Barry (1991), New Patterns of Global Security in the Twenty-First Century, International Affairs, 67 (3).
8	Ağır, Bülent S. (2003), "Soğuk Savaş Sonrası Avrupa Güvenlik Düzenine Kurumsal Bir Bakış", Avrasya Dosyası Dergisi, 9 (2).
9	Özdal, Barış (2013), Avrupa Birliği Ortak Dış Politika ve Güvenlik Politikası ile Ortak Güvenlik Savunma Politikası Oluşturma Süreçlerinin Tarihsel Gelişimi, Siyasi Bir Cüce, Askeri bir Solucan mı?, Dora Yayınları, Bursa

Week	Weekly Detailed Course Contents	
1	Preparation Work	Syllabus and introduction
2	Theoretical	European security in the Cold War
3	Theoretical	European Union security after the Cold War
4	Theoretical	Contribution of the European Union to global peace and security
5	Theoretical	Transatlantic Relations
6	Theoretical	EU-Russian Federation Relations
7	Theoretical	EU-China relations
8	Intermediate Exam	Midterm Exam
9	Theoretical	Course review
10	Theoretical	EU-Western Balkans relations
11	Theoretical	EU-Middle East and North Africa relations
12	Theoretical	EU-Turkey relations
13	Theoretical	EU's energy, climate and environmental policies
14	Theoretical	EU-Refugee crisis
15	Theoretical	Rising Nationalism, populism and Islamophobia in the EU



16	Final Exam	Final exam
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Workload Calculation

Activity	Quantity	Preparation	Duration	Total Workload
Lecture - Theory	14	3	3	84
Assignment	1	15	1	16
Midterm Examination	1	10	1	11
Final Examination	1	15	1	16
Total Workload (Hours)				127
[Total Workload (Hours) / 25*] = ECTS				5

*25 hour workload is accepted as 1 ECTS

Learning Outcomes

1	Analyzes EU foreign policy conceptually and theoretically.
2	Gets to know the Union's Common Foreign and Security Policy.
3	Understands the foundation and development of the European Security and Defense Policy (ESDP).
4	Analyze the place of the EU in world politics.
5	Analyze the relations of the EU with other countries and regions.

Programme Outcomes (*International Relations Master*)

1	To be able to extend further the knowledge in a determined expertise field based upon the competencies gained in the first cycle.
2	To be able to work interdisciplinarily, interpret international relations by combining the present knowledge with the new knowledge from various disciplines.
3	To be able to conduct a study independently requiring expertise in international relations.
4	To be able to develop new strategic approaches to the issues regarding the discipline
5	To be able to take a systemic verbal or visual presentation of current developments in international relations or his/her own studies with the support of qualitative and quantitative data.
6	To be able to follow scientific studies on international relations in Turkish and other languages, prepare and present articles, essays, thesis and reports.
7	To be able to work both as a team leader and team member; gain experience both in team and individual work.
8	To be able to regard social, scientific, cultural and moral values while gathering, interpreting and applying and declaring relevant data.
9	To be able to work with extended IT skills.

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	5	5	5	5	5
P2	5	5	5	5	5
P3	3	3	3	3	3
P4	3	3	3	3	3
P5	3	3	3	3	3
P6	4	4	4	4	4
P7	3	3	3	3	3
P8	3	3	3	3	3
P9	3	3	3	3	3

