



AYDIN ADNAN MENDERES UNIVERSITY COURSE INFORMATION FORM

Course Title		International Security and Conflict Management							
Course Code		UYL505		Couse Level		Second Cycle (Master's Degree)			
ECTS Credit	5	Workload	127 (Hours)	Theory	3	Practice	0	Laboratory	0
Objectives of the Course		The aim of this course is to inform students on theoretical discussions related to security issues and to encourage them to do further readings and academic researches on this issue area.							
Course Content		Major international security problems, intergovernmental policies to provide international security and relation/conflict between national-international security will be examined.							
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	Williams, P. D. (2008). Security Studies – An Introduction. London: Routledge.
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Week	Weekly Detailed Course Contents	
1	Theoretical	Information About Course Content and Methodology
	Preparation Work	Ders içeriği bilgi formunun değerlendirilmesi
2	Theoretical	Security Concepts and Security Studies
	Preparation Work	Paul D. Williams, Security Studies – An Introduction, London and New York, Routledge, 2008, s. 1-12. Hans Günter Brauch, Güvenliğin Yeniden Kavramsallaştırılması: Barış, Güvenlik, Kalkınma ve Çevre Kavramsal Dörtlüsü, Uluslararası İlişkiler Dergisi, C. 5,
3	Theoretical	Security and Theoretical Approaches: Realism, Liberalism, Game Theory and constructivism
	Preparation Work	Paul D. Williams, Security Studies – An Introduction, London and New York, Routledge, 2008, s. 13-72.
4	Preparation Work	Paul D. Williams, Security Studies – An Introduction, London and New York, Routledge, 2008, s. 73-130.
5	Theoretical	Uncertainty, War and Terrorism
	Preparation Work	Paul D. Williams, Security Studies – An Introduction, London and New York, Routledge, 2008, s. 131-185.
6	Theoretical	Genocide, Ethnic Conflict, Human Security
	Preparation Work	Paul D. Williams, Security Studies – An Introduction, London and New York, Routledge, 2008, s. 185-244.
7	Theoretical	Revision for Midterm
8	Intermediate Exam	Midterm Exams
9	Theoretical	Poverty, environmental problems and health
	Preparation Work	Paul D. Williams, Security Studies – An Introduction, London and New York, Routledge, 2008, s. 244-289.
10	Theoretical	Alliances, Regional Organisations and Security
	Preparation Work	Paul D. Williams, Security Studies – An Introduction, London and New York, Routledge, 2008, s. 289-325.
11	Theoretical	The United Nations and Security
	Preparation Work	Paul D. Williams, Security Studies – An Introduction, London and New York, Routledge, 2008, s. 325-343.
12	Preparation Work	Paul D. Williams, Security Studies – An Introduction, London and New York, Routledge, 2008, s. 343-376.
13	Theoretical	Combating Terrorism and Peace Operations
	Preparation Work	Paul D. Williams, Security Studies – An Introduction, London and New York, Routledge, 2008, s. 376-438.



14	Theoretical	Private Security
	Preparation Work	Paul D. Williams, Security Studies – An Introduction, London and New York, Routledge, 2008, s. 438-453. Evren Haspolat, Devlet-Güvenlik İlişkisinin Değişen İçeriği: Dünyada ve Türkiye’de Özel Güvenlik, Eğitim, Bilim, Toplum Dergisi, C. 4, S. 13, 2005, s.
15	Theoretical	Transnational Organized Crime
	Preparation Work	Paul D. Williams, Security Studies – An Introduction, London and New York, Routledge, 2008, s. 453-468.
16	Final Exam	Final Exams

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	To be able to gather knowledge on the theoretical discussions related to security issues.
2	To be able to analyse in depth international security problems and conflict resolution.
3	To be able to analyse in a structurally-analyzing manner the functions of securitization processes that are irrelevant to security.
4	To be able to write a brief paper on a topic related to an international security problem through using the theoretical background, provided during the course.
5	Comprehend knowledge on current international security problems for the purpose of conducting case study analysis

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

