



**AYDIN ADNAN MENDERES UNIVERSITY**  
**GRADUATE SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES**  
**POLITICAL SCIENCE AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION**  
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**POLITICAL SCIENCE AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION MASTER'S WITHOUT**  
**THESIS**  
**COURSE INFORMATION FORM**

Course Title	Social And Political Theory								
Course Code	KYL546			Course Level		Second Cycle (Master's Degree)			
ECTS Credit	5	Workload	130 (Hours)	Theory	3	Practice	0	Laboratory	0
Objectives of the Course	Examining the approaches and the thinkers of social and political theory and explore the concepts of these theories in respect to a historical perspective								
Course Content	Exploring the founder names of social sciences from Enlightenment and political economy in the eighteenth century to our time								
Work Placement	N/A								
Planned Learning Activities and Teaching Methods	Explanation (Presentation), Discussion								
Name of Lecturer(s)									

#### Assessment Methods and Criteria

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

#### Recommended or Required Reading

1	Karl. R. Popper, "Büyük Sözlere Karşı Sözlər", Daha İyi Bir Dünya Arayışı, s. 98-112.
2	Anthony Giddens - Günümüzde Sosyal Teori

Week	Weekly Detailed Course Contents	
1	Theoretical	Meeting. Knowledge, Understanding the issue of science and science assets.
2	Theoretical	Scientific method, research methods of sociology.
3	Theoretical	Theories of Socialization and periods
4	Theoretical	Types of community and social interaction
5	Theoretical	Political, sociological analysis of political thought, government and democracy
6	Theoretical	Sociological analysis of the meaning of religion and religious order, secularism
7	Theoretical	Revision for Midterm Exams
8	Intermediate Exam	Midterm Exams
9	Theoretical	Family and education
10	Theoretical	Social structure and change analysis
11	Theoretical	Liberalism and neo-libertarians
12	Theoretical	Conservatism, neo-conservatives
13	Theoretical	Feminism
14	Theoretical	Nationalism, fascism and racism
15	Final Exam	Final Exams

#### Workload Calculation

Activity	Quantity	Preparation	Duration	Total Workload
Lecture - Theory	14	4	3	98
Midterm Examination	1	10	1	11
Final Examination	1	20	1	21
Total Workload (Hours)				130
[Total Workload (Hours) / 25*] = ECTS				5

\*25 hour workload is accepted as 1 ECTS



**Learning Outcomes**

1	To provide to conceive the interdiscipliner interaction related to the political science
2	o build a problem with regard to Political Science independently, to develop solutions, to resolve the problem, to evaluate the results and to apply it if required.
3	To critically evaluate the knowledge and abilities gained in the field of Political Science through following the emerging theoretical and practical developments.
4	To have knowledge about the teachings and theories in the discipline.
5	Gaining the ability to do analysis.

**Programme Outcomes (Political Science and Public Administration Master's Without Thesis)**

1	To be able to get proficiency in academic expertise
2	To be able to interprete and propose solutions by perceiving the current issues in the field of public administration.
3	To be able to increase the overall vision of political life and public administration.
4	To be able to define local, regional and national developments and increase the capacity to relate them with global developments.
5	To be able to become conscious of social,vocational and scientific principles of ethical behavior.
6	To be able to acquire the skill of thinking critically and finding solutions.
7	To be able to internalize the democratic, legal and universal human values
8	To be able to acquire professional vision on public and private organizations

**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
P2		3	3		2
P3	1			4	
P4	3	2	2		1
P5			1		
P6			5		1
P7	2	1		3	1
P8	1	1	1	2	4

