



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	Civil Society Readings								
Course Code	KYL524		Course Level		Second Cycle (Master's Degree)				
ECTS Credit	5	Workload	130 (Hours)	Theory	3	Practice	0	Laboratory	0
Objectives of the Course	Explain the role played by civil society in the analysis of the structure of modern society and its problems. To comparatively analyze political structures of Western and Turkish societies. To explain the role played by civil society in the development of democracy. To follow the theoretical discussions on the concept of civil society.								
Course Content	State and civil society. The rise of capitalism and the bourgeois society. Hegelian concept of civil society. Marx and civil society. Gramsci and historical block concept. Democracy and civil society. Debates on civil society and Ottoman social structure in Turkey. The type of Asian production style. Discussion of the thesis of İdris Küçükömer and Şerif Mardin.								
Work Placement	N/A								
Planned Learning Activities and Teaching Methods	Explanation (Presentation)								
Name of Lecturer(s)									

Assessment Methods and Criteria		
Method	Quantity	Percentage (%)
Midterm Examination	1	40
Final Examination	1	60

Recommended or Required Reading	
1	Sivil Toplum

Week	Weekly Detailed Course Contents	
1	Theoretical	Economic and political foundations of modern society
2	Theoretical	Civil society in according to Hegel
3	Theoretical	Karl Marx and civil society
4	Theoretical	Civil society, historical block and ideological hegemony in Gramscien thought
5	Theoretical	Relation between democracy and civil society
6	Theoretical	Civil society and public sphere
7	Intermediate Exam	Midterm exam
8	Intermediate Exam	Midterm exam
9	Theoretical	The structure of Ottoman society and Asiatic production style
10	Theoretical	İdris Küçükömer and alienation of order
11	Theoretical	Thesis of Şerif Mardin and Turan Güneş
12	Theoretical	Debates on center-periphery theory
13	Theoretical	Democracy and social classes in Turkey
14	Theoretical	Political effects of civil society approach in Turkey
15	Theoretical	Overview of the course issues: Civil society theory and analysis of Turkey's democracy

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 be able to explain the role of civil society in the analysis of the structure of modern society and its problems
2	To gain a comprehensive view of the problems of the democratic system in Turkey
3	Having knowledge about application-operation and institutions in the field.
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 interpret 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	3	2		3	
P2			4	2	
P3	5	3		4	
P4			4		
P5	2				3
P6	4	5		5	
P7		2	2		
P8		1	1		3

