



AYDIN ADNAN MENDERES UNIVERSITY COURSE INFORMATION FORM

Course Title		Crime Analysis							
Course Code		SOSY612		Course Level		Third Cycle (Doctorate Degree)			
ECTS Credit	5	Workload	125 (<i>Hours</i>)	Theory	3	Practice	0	Laboratory	0
Objectives of the Course		Guiding the bachelors of doctor of sociology to gain insight into developing further knowledge of the subject concerned, approaching from an interdisciplinary perspective the concept of crime that has been observed to develop into a severe social problem during the historical process and considered a universal phenomenon, and performing further criminological analyses.							
Course Content		The course widely considers the different aspects and kinds of criminal events from the scientific, theoretical, and precedential standpoints.							
Work Placement		N/A							
Planned Learning Activities and Teaching Methods				Explanation (Presentation), Discussion, Individual Study, Problem Solving					
Name of Lecturer(s)		Lec. Şebnem ÖZKAN							

Assessment Methods and Criteria

Method	Quantity	Percentage (%)
Midterm Examination	1	25
Final Examination	1	40
Attending Lectures	1	35

Recommended or Required Reading

1	AKINCI, F. SOKULLU (2010) Kriminoloji, 7. b., İstanbul: Beta Basım A. Ş.
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3	CANTER, D. (2011), Suç Psikolojisi, Ankara: İmge Kitabevi.
4	DEMİRBAŞ, T. (2001) Kriminoloji, Ankara: Seçkin Yayıncılık.
5	DOLU, O. (2011) Suç Teorileri, Ankara: Seçkin Yayıncılık.
6	NEWBURN, T. (2007) Criminology, Devon: Willan Publishing.
7	POLAT, A. Z. (1999) Öğreti ve Uygulamada Adam Öldürme Suçları, İstanbul: Alfa Basım Yayın Dağıtım.
8	SÖZER, M. A. ve D. R. Lee (2011) Suç Önleme- Teori, Pratik ve Değerlendirme, Ankara: Adalet Yayınevi.
9	YÜCEL, M. T. (2004) Kriminoloji, İstanbul: Umut Vakfı Yayınları.
10	----,-- (2007) Türk Ceza Siyaseti ve Kriminolojisi, 4.b., Ankara: Türkiye Barolar Birliği.

Week	Weekly Detailed Course Contents	
1	Theoretical	Definition of the Course
	Preparation Work	Determining the individual expectations, and revising the references available.
2	Theoretical	Criminologic terminology
	Preparation Work	Revising the terminology from the regulations concerned and major references.
3	Theoretical	What are the theories of crime causation? Vertical and horizontal integration of the theories.
	Preparation Work	Reading theories of crime from the references suggested.
4	Theoretical	Method in criminology
	Preparation Work	One should read subjects on the methods and techniques used in criminology.
5	Theoretical	(Discussion : What are the reasons for lower rates of crime in any given country?) Comparing the crime rates across the countries with lower and higher rates, and the reasons of the differences in crime rates.
6	Theoretical	Obtaining and assessing the international statistics of crime.
	Preparation Work	The studies and reports are to be read
7	Theoretical	Gender-crime relationship
	Preparation Work	Theories dealing with the variable of gender should be revised and those evaluating gender-crime relationship should be read.
8	Preparation Work	Readings on the theories accounting for homicide, supreme court decisions, and male and female victims are to be made.
	Intermediate Exam	Analysis of child delinquency
9	Theoretical	Crimes against human life in terms of legal and scientific precedents.



10	Theoretical	Delinquency in mass media
	Preparation Work	Sample news of crime are to be read and the way of presentation of crime news are to be assessed.
11	Theoretical	Discussion of sample case
	Preparation Work	Typical news of crime to be assessed.
12	Theoretical	Victimological approaches
	Preparation Work	The theories accounting for crime should be read.
13	Theoretical	Studies of victim(ization)
	Preparation Work	The studies concerned are to be examined.
14	Theoretical	Probation system
	Preparation Work	The history should be read, available examples should be found, and what else to do should be considered.
15	Theoretical	Strategies for fight against crime
	Preparation Work	The specific favorable and adverse/unfavourable preventive measures should be read and what else to do should be considered.
16	Final Exam	Final Exam

Workload Calculation

Activity	Quantity	Preparation	Duration	Total Workload
Lecture - Theory	14	3	3	84
Assignment	1	8	2	10
Term Project	1	12	4	16
Final Examination	1	12	3	15
Total Workload (Hours)				125
[Total Workload (Hours) / 25*] = ECTS				5

*25 hour workload is accepted as 1 ECTS

Learning Outcomes

1	The students have the ability to evaluate the concept of crime from an interdisciplinary perspective,
2	to form horizontal –vertical theoretical patterns to account for various categories of crimes systematically,
3	to carry out a criminological research individually,
4	to develop new models for probation programme, ...
5	to suggest original social policies to reduce the rate of crime and criminality.
6	To be able to develop crime preventive measures

Programme Outcomes (Sociology Doctorate)

1	To be able to understand and explain the functioning of social structure, institutions and processes, and social action.
2	Ability to make advanced sociological analyzes based on the current theoretical and conceptual framework.
3	To be able to think critically about the causes and consequences of social inequalities (in the areas of class, ethnicity, religion, and gender).
4	To be able to use sociological research methods and techniques effectively in work life and academic studies.
5	To be able to understand and explain social and intercultural differences from a comparative perspective.
6	Being sensitive to universal values and ecological problems by using a scientific perspective.
7	To be able to look at current social problems and phenomena from an interdisciplinary perspective.
8	To follow current sociological developments, to be open to professional innovations and to be able to predict.
9	Having professional sensitivity and scientific ethical responsibility.
10	To be able to express oneself in an advanced academic sense, both verbally and in writing, and to communicate effectively.
11	To be able to follow basic sociological texts in a foreign language.

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

	L1	L2	L3	L4	L5	L6
P1	4	4	5	4	4	4
P2	4	5	5	4	5	4
P3	3	5	4	3	4	5
P4	4	5	5	5	3	3
P5	5	4	4	4	4	3



P6	3	3	3	3	4	5
P7	5	4	4	4	4	4
P8	4	4	4	4	4	3
P9	4	3	3	4	4	5
P10	3	3	3	4	4	3
P11	2	3	3	3	3	3

