



AYDIN ADNAN MENDERES UNIVERSITY COURSE INFORMATION FORM

Course Title		Metaphysics							
Course Code		FLSF616		Course Level		Third Cycle (Doctorate Degree)			
ECTS Credit	5	Workload	120 (<i>Hours</i>)	Theory	3	Practice	0	Laboratory	0
Objectives of the Course		To introduce main discussions on Metaphysics. To introduce Plato's, Aristotle's, Kant's, Hegel's and Heidegger's main arguments on metaphysics							
Course Content		Plato's, Aristotle's, Kant's, Hegel's and Heidegger's views on metaphysics.							
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	Plato, Republic
2	Aristotle, The Metaphysics I-II, (Translation by Hugh Tredennick), William Heinemann Ltd., London, 1926
3	Kant, Immanuel, Kritik der reinen Vernunft, Werkausgabe ed. Weischedel, Suhrkamp, Frankfurt am Main, cilt I-II, 1968.
4	Hegel, The Phenomenology of Spirit, trans. by. A. Miller, London: Oxford U. P., 1979
5	Heidegger, Being and Time: A Revised Edition of the Stambaugh Translation, trans. J. Stambaugh, New York: Suny Press, 2010

Week	Weekly Detailed Course Contents	
1	Theoretical	Introduction
2	Theoretical	Plato
3	Theoretical	Plato
4	Theoretical	Aristotle
5	Theoretical	Aristotle
6	Theoretical	Aristotle
7	Theoretical	Aristotle
8	Intermediate Exam	Midterm
9	Theoretical	Kant
10	Theoretical	Kant
11	Theoretical	Hegel
12	Theoretical	Hegel
13	Theoretical	Heidegger
14	Theoretical	Heidegger
15	Theoretical	General Assessment

Workload Calculation

Activity	Quantity	Preparation	Duration	Total Workload
Lecture - Theory	15	1	3	60
Seminar	1	8	2	10
Reading	5	0	2	10
Midterm Examination	1	18	2	20



Final Examination	1	18	2	20
Total Workload (Hours)				120
[Total Workload (Hours) / 25*] = ECTS				5
*25 hour workload is accepted as 1 ECTS				

Learning Outcomes

1	Interpreting ontological-metaphysical ideas of philosophers.
2	Understanding relation between metaphysics and other disciplines of philosophy
3	Understanding relation between ontology and other disciplines of philosophy.
4	Examining the basic problems of ontology from a historical perspective.
5	Comparing ontological views of philosophers such as Plato, Aristotle, Aquinas, etc

Programme Outcomes (Philosophy Doctorate)

1	By deepening the rooted vision that has been built on the masters proficiency, to be able to create an original philosophical solution to a specific problem.
2	Being able to systemize, analyze and critically evaluate philosophical knowledge, being able to conduct an independent philosophical research and gaining expertise in the field
3	To be able to comprehend the source and position of a specific philosophical issue in the history of philosophy and being able to realize its contemporary social value
4	To be able to access and understand the recent work of contemporary thinkers and being capable of genuine interpretation
5	To be able to contribute to the wellbeing of society by pursuing an academic education at advanced level

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		
P2	3				
P3		3			
P4				4	
P5					4

