

## AYDIN ADNAN MENDERES UNIVERSITY COURSE INFORMATION FORM

Course Title	American Foreign Policy									
Course Code	UGYL514 Couse		se Level		Seco	Second Cycle (Master's Degree)				
ECTS Credit 5	Workload	125 <i>(Hours)</i>	Theory	y	3	Prac	tice	0	Laboratory	0
Objectives of the Course	The objective of this course is to provide students with a historical and theoretical understanding of American foreign policy. Students will develop the ability to appreciate recurrent patterns in American foreign policy and analyze the content of American foreign policy from a theoretical perspective.				erican					
Course Content  The course introduces students to the hickness will also focus on the current issuprepare and present a policy brief (appreforeign policy. It will be a group project. Couple weeks of the semester. More informational readings and announcement Attendance will be taken randomly.				nt issue (approx oject. Yo re infori ment at	es and p k. 2000 - our grou mation v	roblem 2500 ps and vill be p	s in Amer words) on d issues w provided a	rican foreign p a contempor rill be assigne about policy b	policy. You have to rary issue in Ame and by lecturer in the priefs during the s	to erican ne first emester.
Work Placement	N/A									
Planned Learning Activities	and Teaching M	1ethods	Explar	nation (	Present	ation),	Discussion	on		
Name of Lecturer(s)										

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

## **Recommended or Required Reading**

1 A Concise History of U.S. Foreign Policy (3rd Edition) by Joyce P. Kaufman.

Week	Weekly Detailed Course Contents					
1	Theoretical	Introduction				
2	Theoretical	Understanding American Foregin Policy				
3	Theoretical	From Founding to Second World War				
4	Theoretical	Cold War I				
5	Theoretical	Cold War II				
6	Theoretical	Cold War III				
7	Theoretical	Post-Cold War				
8	Intermediate Exam	Mid term Exam				
9	Theoretical	Current Issues in American Foreign Policy I				
10	Theoretical	Current Issues in American Foreign Policy II				
11	Theoretical	The Future of American Foreign Policy				
12	Theoretical	Presentations of Policy Briefs				
13	Theoretical	Presentations of Poliy Briefs				
14	Theoretical	Review of the Semester				
15	Theoretical	Review of the Semester				
16	Final Exam	Final Exam				

Workload Calculation				
Activity	Quantity	Preparation	Duration	Total Workload
Lecture - Theory	14	2	3	70
Individual Work	7	2	2	28
Midterm Examination	1	10	1	11



Final Examination	1		15	1	16
			To	tal Workload (Hours)	125
			[Total Workload (	Hours) / 25*] = <b>ECTS</b>	5
*25 hour workload is accepted as 1 ECTS					

Learn	Learning Outcomes					
1	will be able to discuss the historical evolution of American foreign policy.					
2	will be able to identify the domestic and international sources of American foreign policy.					
3	will be able to discuss the current issues in American foreign policy.					
4	will be able to understand the American foregin policy tradition.					
5	will be able to discuss the decision making in the American foreign policy.					

Progr	amme Outcomes (International Relations and Security Studies Master)
1	Students discuss basic theories and approaches of international relations
2	Students discuss basic approaches and theories of security studies
3	Students gain the ability to think and question analytically
4	Students discuss war theories
5	Students discuss regional security issues
6	Students use scientific research methods
7	Students gain ability to discuss the current developments in security issues
8	Students explain the current issues in foreign policy by IR theories.
9	Students gain ability to access to the Phd programmes
10	Students discuss Turkey's Security issues

## Contribution of Learning Outcomes to Programme Outcomes 1:Very Low, 2:Low, 3:Medium, 4:High, 5:Very High L1 L2 L3 L4 P1 P2 P3 P4 P5 P6 P7 P8 P9 P10

