AYDIN ADNAN MENDERES UNIVERSITY
COURSE INFORMATION FORM

Course Title		Labor Markets and Employment						
Course Code		İKP616		Couse Level		Third Cycle (Doctorate Degree)		
ECTS Credit	5	Workload	131 *(Hours)*	Theory	3	Practice	0	Laboratory	0
Objectives of the Course		The main aim of this course is to give the capability of analyzing labor markets and constituting employment policies.						
Course Content		Modern labor market theories. Employment policies and applications. Regulatory institutions and functions. Labor force planning. Unemployment insurance. Control of labor markets.						
Work Placement		N/A						
Planned Learning Activities and Teaching Methods			Explanation (Presentation), Individual Study					
Name of Lecturer(s)								

Assessment Methods and Criteria

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

Recommended or Required Reading

1	Işığıçok, Özlem (2018). İstihdam ve İşsizlik, Bursa: Dora Yayınları.
2	Berg, Janine ve David Kucera (2010). İşgücü Piyasası Kurallarının Savunusu, Ankara: Efil Yayınevi.

Week	Weekly Detailed Course Contents	
1	Theoretical	Main characteristics of the labor market: definitions and labor market institutions
2	Theoretical	Global labor market models
3	Theoretical	Globalization: Neoliberal restructuring and flexible labor markets
4	Theoretical	Characteristics of labor markets in the Western and Northern Europe region
5	Theoretical	Characteristics of labor markets in the Central and Eastern European region
6	Theoretical	Characteristics of the North American labor market
7	Theoretical	Characteristics of the Latin American region labor market
8	Intermediate Exam	Midterm
9	Theoretical	Characteristics of the labor market in Asian and Pacific countries
10	Theoretical	Characteristics of the labor market in the East Asian region
11	Theoretical	Characteristics of the labor market in Middle Eastern countries
12	Theoretical	Characteristics of the labor market in the African region
13	Theoretical	Global labor market policies (1): International Labor Organization policies
14	Theoretical	Global labor market policies (2): International Organization for Development and Cooperation policies
15	Theoretical	Global labor market policies (3): European Union labor market policies
16	Final Exam	Final

Workload Calculation

Activity	Quantity	Preparation	Duration	Total Workload
Lecture - Theory	14	2	3	70
Individual Work	14	1	2	42
Midterm Examination	1	8	1	9
Final Examination	1	9	1	10
Total Workload (Hours)				131
[Total Workload (Hours) / 25*] = **ECTS**				5

*25 hour workload is accepted as 1 ECTS

Learning Outcomes

1	Understand regionally different and similar labor market regulations.
2	To be able to analyze the structure of labor markets on a global scale and comparatively.
3	To be able to analyze global employment trends with the help of up-to-date reports and data.
4	To be able to evaluate employment policies and basic policy tools.
5	To be able to comprehend the historical developments that direct the global labor market and employment policies.

Programme Outcomes *(Economic Policy Doctorate)*

1	To be able to understand and interpret basic economic concepts, theories and methods
2	To be able to apply mathematical, statistical and econometric analysis tools to economic problems
3	To be able to interpret the structure and characteristics of the markets in the economy by understanding current economic events.
4	To be able to describe the role of innovation, creativity and technology in the dynamic global economy.
5	Ability to prepare projects and acquire creativity skills
6	Ability to analyze macro and micro economic developments
7	Being able to adopt the philosophy of lifelong learning

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	4	5	4	5
P2	4	3	3	4	3
P3	3	4	5	4	5
P4	4	4	3	4	3
P5	4	4	3	4	3
P6	4	4	3	4	3
P7	4	4	4	4	3