



## AYDIN ADNAN MENDERES UNIVERSITY COURSE INFORMATION FORM

Course Title		International Relations Simulations							
Course Code		ULU419		Couse Level		First Cycle (Bachelor's Degree)			
ECTS Credit	6	Workload	147 ( <i>Hours</i> )	Theory	3	Practice	0	Laboratory	0
Objectives of the Course		The aim of this course is to enhancement the basic concepts and theories of the field by using the "learning by doing" method through simulations of current events in international relations.							
Course Content		Students, individually or as a group, apply games and scenarios by using the relevant concepts and theories of the discipline in current developments in international relations such as the nuclear disarmament regime, the refugee regime, the fight against climate change, Turkey's EU membership negotiations, etc.							
Work Placement		N/A							
Planned Learning Activities and Teaching Methods				Explanation (Presentation), Discussion, Case Study, Individual Study, Problem Solving					
Name of Lecturer(s)									

### Prerequisites & Co-requisites

ECTS Requisite	150
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### Assessment Methods and Criteria

Method	Quantity	Percentage (%)
Report	4	100

### Recommended or Required Reading

1	A weekly reading list will be given and the course will be based on current scientific articles on current international issues.
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Week	Weekly Detailed Course Contents	
1	Theoretical	Introduction
2	Theoretical	Introducing the Simulation Topic and Distribution of Tasks
3	Theoretical	Simulation preparation
4	Theoretical	Simulation preparation
5	Theoretical	Simulation
6	Theoretical	Introducing the Simulation Topic and Distribution of Tasks
7	Theoretical	Simulation preparation
8	Theoretical	Simulation
9	Intermediate Exam	Mid term exams
10	Theoretical	Introducing the Simulation Topic and Distribution of Tasks
11	Theoretical	Simulation preparation
12	Theoretical	Simulation
13	Theoretical	Introducing the Simulation Topic and Distribution of Tasks
14	Theoretical	Simulation preparation
15	Theoretical	Simulation
16	Final Exam	Final Exam

### Workload Calculation

Activity	Quantity	Preparation	Duration	Total Workload
Lecture - Theory	15	4	3	105
Individual Work	14	0	3	42
Total Workload (Hours)				147
[Total Workload (Hours) / 25*] = ECTS				6

\*25 hour workload is accepted as 1 ECTS



**Learning Outcomes**

1	Learn to use the basic concepts of the discipline of international relations appropriately and correctly.
2	Understands how the basic theories of the discipline of international relations are applied in real life politics.
3	Understands how similar events are perceived and evaluated by different actors.
4	Gains knowledge of the place and priorities of different actors in international politics.
5	Have in-depth knowledge of current events in international relations.
6	Conducts research on the foreign policy of the actor he/she represents.
7	Gains the ability to research and presentation individually and/or as a group member.
8	Gains decision making, problem solving and negotiation skills.

**Programme Outcomes (International Relations)**

1	Students understand, evaluate and implement the basic concept and theories of the discipline of International Relations.
2	Students examine and follow up the political and social developments in the world. They understand and interpret current issues in the field of International Relations.
3	Students evaluate and explain international relations from an historical and legal perspective.
4	Students gain a general vision of international relations and political science. In that respect, they examine and analyze Turkey's place in world politics, its relationship with its neighbors and the world.
5	Students comprehend local, regional and national developments and establish links between them and global developments.
6	Students comprehend development processes, structures and functions of international political institutions and international / intergovernmental / regional organizations.
7	Students conduct research on academic and vocational subjects and interpret numerical and statistical data.
8	Students use basic computer programs and information technologies.
9	Students think analytical and critical and produce solutions within cases and problems.
10	Students follow up scientific studies on International Relations, published in Turkish and foreign languages and prepare and present articles, papers, theses and reports.
11	Students are open-minded and respectful for others' thoughts and acts. They become socialized well in a social environment. They can express their opinions and thoughts easily.
12	Students take various tasks as team leader or as a member within the teamwork and are inclined to both teams work and individual work.
13	Students gain professional knowledge and theoretical background, required by the public sector and the private sector.

**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	L7	L8
P1	5	5	4	4	5	4	2	2
P2	4	5	5	5	5	5	2	2
P3	4	4	4	5	5	5	2	2
P4	5	4	5	5	5	5	2	2
P5	3	5	5	5	5	5	2	2
P6	4	4	5	5	5	5	2	2
P7	3	3	4	4	5	5	5	2
P8	2	2	3	3	3	4	5	3
P9	2	2	5	5	5	5	5	5
P10	2	2	4	5	5	5	5	3
P11	1	1	3	3	3	4	5	5
P12	1	1	2	2	3	2	5	5
P13	3	3	4	4	3	3	5	5

