

GIS TECHNIQUES ON LAND MANAGEMENT

1	Course Title:	GIS TECHNIQUES ON LAND MANAGEMENT	
2	Course Code:	TPR4920-S	
3	Type of Course:	Optional	
4	Level of Course:	First Cycle	
5	Year of Study:	4	
6	Semester:	8	
7	ECTS Credits Allocated:	3.00	
8	Theoretical (hour/week):	1.00	
9	Practice (hour/week):	2.00	
10	Laboratory (hour/week):	0	
11	Prerequisites:	no	
12	Language:	Turkish	
13	Mode of Delivery:	Face to face	
14	Course Coordinator:	Doç.Dr. ERTUĞRUL AKSOY	
15	Course Lecturers:	Yrd.Doç.Dr. Gökhan ÖZSOY	
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17	Website:		
18	Objective of the Course:	To acquire skills and knowledge on: The basic principles of Geographic Information Systems (GIS); tools and software used in GIS; application areas of GIS; use of GIS techniques in land management and agricultural applications.	
19	Contribution of the Course to Professional Development:		
20	Learning Outcomes:		
		1	To describe the definition of GIS, basic principles and elements, general and agricultural use of GIS.
		2	To describe the GIS software and hardware systems commonly used in Turkey and in the World.
		3	To comprehend adequate information on the basic elements of GIS, digital data sources, methods of obtaining data, and creating data bases.
		4	To use GIS techniques used for monitoring (our) natural resources such as soil, water and forest.
		5	To be able to follow the innovations in GIS applications for monitoring, protecting and developing natural resources in Turkey and in the World.
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21	Course Content:		
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Week	Theoretical	Practice	

1	Introduction to GIS. Geographic information system concept and history of GIS	To Introduce software, hardware and tools of Remote sensing and GIS laboratory
2	Basic principles of GIS	Former systems used in GIS.
3	Hardware and software needs in GIS, data input and output	Data input with a digitizer.
4	Spatial data base concept	To show and explain toolbox and modules of ArcGIS software program
5	Vector model in GIS (vector data types)	To present vector data and their properties in ArcGIS media
6	Raster model in GIS (raster data types)	To present raster data and their properties on different satellite data in ArcGIS media
7	Repeating courses and midterm exam	Basic coordinate systems and GIS.
8	Widely used GIS software programs in national and international scale	NetCAD, ENVI, Geomedia, Global Mapper, ILWIS, ArcGIS.
9	Data analysis and modeling	To show data analysis and modeling methods in ArcGIS Media
10	Data input (geographic correction, digitizing, attribute table and thematic map generating)	To show and teach data input tools of ArcGIS program and data input (analog and digital soil and topographical map sample).
11	Continuous Surface Creation (DEM, TIN)	Explanation of 3D module of ArcGIS program, creation of DEM and TIN surface by using digital elevation contours (points)
12	3D Modeling and analysis in relation to land management (Slope and aspect, cross-section, cut and fill, watershed analysis)	Producing slope, aspect, shadow etc. data and their maps from DEM and TIN surface

Activites	Number	Duration (hour)	Total Work Load (hour)
Theoretical	14	1.00	14.00
Practicals/Labs	14	2.00	28.00
Self study and preperation	14	1.00	14.00
Homeworks	0	0.00	0.00
Projects	0	0.00	0.00
Field Studies	0	0.00	0.00
Midterm exams	1	10.00	10.00
Others	1	10.00	10.00
Final Exams	2	15.00	15.00
Total Work Load			91.00
Total work load/ 30 hr			3.03
ECTS Credit of the Course			3.00

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23	Assesment		
TERM LEARNING ACTIVITIES		NUMBE R	WEIGHT
Midterm Exam		1	20.00
Quiz		1	20.00

Home work-project	0	0.00
Final Exam	1	60.00
Total	3	100.00
Contribution of Term (Year) Learning Activities to Success Grade	40.00	
Contribution of Final Exam to Success Grade	60.00	
Total	100.00	
Measurement and Evaluation Techniques Used in the Course		
24	ECTS / WORK LOAD TABLE	

25	CONTRIBUTION OF LEARNING OUTCOMES TO PROGRAMME QUALIFICATIONS															
	PQ1	PQ2	PQ3	PQ4	PQ5	PQ6	PQ7	PQ8	PQ9	PQ10	PQ11	PQ12	PQ13	PQ14	PQ15	PQ16
ÖK1	3	0	0	0	5	0	4	4	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
ÖK2	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ÖK3	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ÖK4	3	0	3	0	5	0	4	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
ÖK5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LO: Learning Objectives PQ: Program Qualifications																
Contribution Level:	1 very low			2 low			3 Medium			4 High			5 Very High			