

POLITICAL GEOGRAPHY

1	Course Title:	POLITICAL GEOGRAPHY
2	Course Code:	SOS3005
3	Type of Course:	Compulsory
4	Level of Course:	First Cycle
5	Year of Study:	3
6	Semester:	5
7	ECTS Credits Allocated:	3.00
8	Theoretical (hour/week):	2.00
9	Practice (hour/week):	0.00
10	Laboratory (hour/week):	0
11	Prerequisites:	None
12	Language:	Turkish
13	Mode of Delivery:	Face to face
14	Course Coordinator:	Prof. Dr. EMİN ATASOY
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17	Website:	
18	Objective of the Course:	To provide students with basic knowledge and skills about geopolitics, global political problems and basic political concepts.
19	Contribution of the Course to Professional Development:	To raise citizens who are sensitive, informed and conscious about global political developments, regional conflicts and political problems.
20	Learning Outcomes:	
	1	Basic concepts such as politics, politics, political philosophy, political geography will be comprehended.
	2	The relationship between geography and politics, the impact of geography on politics will be comprehended.
	3	The emergence and development of political geography. To have information about Politische Geographie-Friedrich Ratzel.
	4	To have knowledge about the subject and field of study of political geography.
	5	Organizations in political geography. State, nation and national state and non-state actors etc. will be comprehended in terms of their functions in today's political geography.
	6	Students will be informed about the types of states according to different criteria.
	7	The shape of the state territory, the effects of the geographical elements on the structure, ideology and power of the state will be comprehended. Geopolitical theories and their effects on international politics will be comprehended.
	8	The effects of human factors such as population, culture, social structure, economy, information and technology on the structure, ideology and power of the state will be comprehended.

		9	Power centers and power struggles in the world, conflict zones in the world, political borders and border conflicts will be comprehended.	
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21	Course Content:			
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Week	Theoretical	Practice		
1	The Emergence of Political Geography, Views on Geopolitics			
2	Physical Factors in Political Geography: Location, Area, Shape, Boundaries, Landforms, Climate, Soil			
3	Human Factors in Political Geography: Population and Settlement			
4	Economic Factors in Political Geography: Agriculture, Mines, Energy Resources, Industry, Transportation			
5	Major Geopolitical Views and Theories			
6	International Organizations: United Nations, European Union, Organization of the Islamic Conference			
7	Turkey's Geopolitical Position			
8	Midterm Exam			
9	Turkey's Political Geography Problems			
Activites		Number	Duration (hour)	Total Work Load (hour)
12	Theoretical	14	2.00	28.00
13	Cultural Geography			
Practicals/Labs		0	0.00	0.00
14	Self study and preperation	10	2.00	20.00
Homeworks		0	0.00	0.00
Projects	Materials: Management, Pegem Akademik Publications, Gunal, K. (2004). Geography's Political Power, Cantay, Volume II, Istanbul.	0	0.00	0.00
Field Studies		0	0.00	0.00
Midterm exams	Özey, R. (2007), Political Geography, Aktif Publications	1	18.00	18.00
Others		0	0.00	0.00
Final Exams	Smith, C., Taylor, P. J., 2014, Political Geography, World Economy, Nation-State and Locality . Nobel Academic	0	24.00	0.00
Total Work Load				84.00
Total work load/ 30 hr				3.00
ECTS Credit of the Course				3.00
		Bookstore, Istanbul. Akengin, H., 2013, Political Geography, Human and Space Management. Pegem Academy. Karabulut, B., 2013, Strategy, Geostrategy, Geopolitics. Barış Kitap, Ankara. Tezkan, Y., Taşar, M. M., 2013, Geopolitical World and Turkey from Yesterday to Today. Ülke Yayın Habercilik, Istanbul. Karabağ, S., 2014, Geopolitical Borders. Pegem Academy. Heywood, A., 2019, Politics. Felix Book. Hasanov, A., 2012, Geopolitics. Babiali Kültür Publishing, Istanbul. Defay, A., 2009, Geopolitics. Dost Kitabevi.		
23	Assesment			
TERM LEARNING ACTIVITIES		NUMBER	WEIGHT	

Midterm Exam	1	40.00
Quiz	0	0.00
Home work-project	1	60.00
Final Exam	0	0.00
Total	2	100.00
Contribution of Term (Year) Learning Activities to Success Grade	100.00	
Contribution of Final Exam to Success Grade	0.00	
Total	100.00	
Measurement and Evaluation Techniques Used in the Course	comment and test questions	
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	2	3	5	2	4	2	1	1	4	2	2	2	1	2	4	3
ÖK2	2	4	1	4	5	2	2	3	3	1	1	2	5	2	2	5
ÖK3	3	4	2	5	3	5	3	5	3	5	3	5	3	3	5	4
ÖK4	5	2	4	2	4	4	2	3	2	1	1	3	4	3	1	3
ÖK5	3	1	3	2	3	2	2	1	3	2	3	4	3	1	1	4
ÖK6	2	1	4	1	3	1	4	3	5	4	2	5	5	3	3	2
ÖK7	5	2	4	3	3	1	4	2	3	3	5	2	2	2	4	3
ÖK8	4	2	3	2	2	1	2	5	1	3	1	2	2	3	4	3
ÖK9	1	2	4	2	4	2	1	5	1	1	1	3	3	4	2	2
LO: Learning Objectives PQ: Program Qualifications																
Contribution Level:	1 very low		2 low		3 Medium		4 High		5 Very High							