Content

Course Code	Course Name	Semester	Theory	Practice	Lab	Credit	ECTS
HUK377	The Economic and Social History of the Ottoman Empire (1300-1600)	5	2	0	0	2	2

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	Turkish
Course Type	Elective
Course Level	Bachelor Degree
Objective	The aim of this course is to provide students with an analytical perspective on the economic and social infrastructure of the first 300 years of the Ottoman Empire.
Content	Economic and social structure of the Ottoman Empire
References	Halil İnalcık, "Osmanlı İmparatorluğu: Klasik Çağ 1300-1600" Halil İnalcık, "Osmanlı İmparatorluğu Ekonomisi"

Theory Topics

Week	Weekly Contents
1	Introduction, the issue of periodization in Ottoman and European history
2	Dynamics of the Ottoman Foundation Period
3	Structure of the State
4	The "Kul" system and the court
5	Provincial organization: the state land system (miri) and timar
6	The legal system: center and provinces
7	Public finance
8	Economic structure
9	Economic structure
10	Women: royal/court women and ordinary women
11	Non-Muslims and "foreigners"
12	Trade/Commerce
13	Case study presentations
14	Case study presentations