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Course Code	Course Name	Semester	Theory	Practice	Lab	Credit	ECTS
RI-518	Conflict Resolution	1	3	0	0	3	8

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	Turkish
Course Type	Compulsory
Course Level	Masters Degree
Objective	The aim of this course is to analyze conflict situations in the IR, according to symmetrical and asymmetrical positions of actors and to study the conditions of cooperation. Within this framework, conflict factors, their interaction are also analyzed through non-cooperative game theory. Moreover, concepts like balance of power, hegemonic stability are explored as complementary tools.
Content	See "Weekly Contents"
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- sustainable use of Tigris and Euphrates», in Howard Hensel (Dir.), Sovereignty and the Global Community. The Quest for Order in the International System, Cornwall, Ashgate Publishing Company, 2004, ss. 167-194.
- Selcan Serdaroglu, "Thomas C. Schelling", Erhan Büyükkıncı (Der.), Savaş Kuramları, Liberte Yayınları, Eylül 2015, ss. 690-713.
  - John A. Vasquez (Der.), Beyond Confrontation: Learning Conflict Resolution in the Post-Cold War Era, University of Michigan Press, 1995

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Week	Weekly Contents
1	What is conflict? Definition in the IR
2	Conflict-based IR theories Realism-Neorealism (power and interest)
3	Geopolitics: from geographic and historical determinism to the clash of civilizations
4	Geopolitics seen from the other part of the world: Conflict axes according to Russia
5	Globalism (economic and social dimensions, center-periphery dichotomy)
6	Game theory 1 : Basics and non-cooperative game theory
7	Mid-term exam
8	Game theory 2: Non-cooperative game models
9	Game theory 3: How to apply game theory to analyze concrete international cases?
10	Conflict resolution: Cooperation analysis based on game theory
11	Conflict analysis and resolution: concepts and conflict factors
12	Implementation of conflict resolution : from peace workshops to diplomatic, political and jurisdictional instruments; UN interventions (peace-making, peace-building, peace-keeping....)
13	Conflict cases and debate on resolution instruments 1
14	Conflict cases and debate on resolution instruments 2

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RI-808	International Organizations	1	3	0	0	3	8

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	Turkish
Course Type	Compulsory
Course Level	Masters Degree
Objective	A)Uluslararası sistemin, uluslararası örgütler ve uluslararası sivil toplum kuruluşlarının çalışmaları yoluyla incelenmesi; B) Bu tür örgütlerde uluslararası memur olarak çalışmak isteyenlere gerekli temel ve pratik bilgilerin verilmesi
Content	Uluslararası örgütlerle ilgili tarihsel ve kavramsal bir girişin ardından, herhangi bir tipoloji uygulanmadan, birinci kısımda günümüzün en önemli küresel ve bölgesel örgütleri ayrı ayrı ve kıyaslamalı olarak ; ikinci kısımda ise faaliyet alanlarına göre aynı şekilde incelenmekte; üçüncü ve son kısımda uluslararası sivil toplum kuruluşları ele alınmaktadır.
References	BETTATI Mario, Le droit des organisations internationales; CHARPENTIER Jean, Institutions internationales; COT Jean Pierre et PELLET Alain, La Charte des Nations Unies: commentaire article par article; DORMOY Daniel (ed.) L'UE et les organisations internationales; JOYNER Christopher, The UN and international law; SMOUTS Marie Claude, Les organisations internationales; WEISS Thomas G and GORDENKER Leon, NGOs, the UN and Global Governance; WHITE N.D., Keeping the peace: the UN and the maintenance of international peace and security. Süreli yayın: International Organization

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1	Introduction, the first international organizations, The League of Nations
2	The UN I
3	The UN II
4	Council of Europe
5	NATO
6	The EU
7	OSCE
8	Social and humanitarian organizations:a) The ILO
9	b) Refugee organizations: UNHCR and UNRWA
10	c) WHO, UNESCO, UNICEF
11	Introduction to NGOS:ICRC as a hybrid organization
12	NGOs I
13	NGOs II
14	Wrap-up and general debate

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RI-804	Current Issues in the Middle East	1	3	0	0	3	8

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	Turkish
Course Type	Compulsory
Course Level	Masters Degree
Objective	Uluslararası İlişkiler Disiplininin en çok incelenmiş bölgelerinden olan Ortadoğu'nun tarihi, ekonomik, siyasi ve geopolitik özelliklerini incelemek ve bu bölge üzerinden uluslararası ilişkiler disiplinin temel kavramlarının kullanımına örnekler getirmek.
Content	Bkz. Konu Başlıkları
References	<p>ATTIAS, Jean-Christophe, BENBASSA Esther. Paylaşımayan Kutsal Topraklar ve İsrail, Çev Nihal Önol, İstanbul, İletişim Yayıncıları, 2002.</p> <p>BISHARA, Marvan. Palestine/Israël : la paix ou l'apartheid, Paris, Editions La Découverte, 2001.</p> <p>CORM, Georges. L'Europe et l'Orient, La Découverte, Paris, 1989.</p> <p>CLOAREC, Vincent. Le Moyen-Orient au 20ème siècle, Colin, Paris, 2003.</p> <p>ÇARKOĞLU, Ali; EDER, Mine; KİRİŞÇİ, Kemal. The Political Economy of Regional Cooperation in the Middle East, London &amp; New York, Routledge, 1998.</p> <p>DEDEOĞLU, Beril. Ortadoğu Üzerine Notlar, Derin Yayıncıları, İstanbul, 2002.</p> <p>EICKELMAN, Dale F. The Middle East and Central Asia: An Anthropological Approach, New Jersey, Prentice Hall Inc., 1998.</p> <p>HOURANI, Albert. A History of Arab Peoples, New York, Warner Books, 1992.</p> <p>JANKOWSKI, James. Rethinking Nationalism in the Arab Middle East, New York, Columbia University Press, 1997.</p> <p>JOXE, Alain. L'Empire du Chaos, La Découverte, Paris, 2002.</p> <p>KAREL, William; RUCKER, Laurent. Une terre deux fois promises: Cinquante ans d'histoire racontée par ceux qui l'ont faite, Editions Gallimard, 2000.</p> <p>KHALIDI, Rashid; ANDERSON, Lisa. The Origins of Arab Nationalism, New York, Columbia University Press, 1991.</p> <p>LEWIS Bernard. The shaping of the modern Middle East, New York &amp; Oxford, Oxford University Press, 1994.</p> <p>SALAME, Ghassan. Démocraties sans démocrates, Paris, Fayard, 1994.</p> <p>SAVIR, Uri. Les 1100 jours qui ont changé le Moyen-Orient, Odile Jacob, Paris, 1998.</p> <p>SPAGNOLO, John. Problems of the Modern Middle East in Historical Perspective, Oxford, Ithaca, 1992.</p> <p>THOBIE, Jacques. Impérialismes et le Moyen-Orient de 1914 à nos jours, Messidor, Paris, 1985.</p> <p>YAPP, M.E. The Near East since the First World War, London, Longman, 1996.</p> <p>ZUBAIDA, Sami. Islam, the People and the State: Essays on Political Ideas and Movements in the Middle East, London, I. B. Tauris, 1993.</p>

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1	Introduction
2	Religious and Ethnic Groups in the Middle East
3	Historical Background: the Middle East until the Eastern Question
4	Historical Background: "The Eastern Question"
5	Zionism and Arab Nationalism
6	The Middle East between the two world wars: Mandates Era
7	Partial Exam
8	Israeli-Palestinian Issue: 1948-1987
9	Israeli-Palestinian Issue: From 1987
10	Iran after 1945
11	Iraq after 1945
12	Egypt after 1945, The Arab Spring
13	Saudi Arabia and Gulf States
14	Civil Wars in the Middle East: Lebanon, Yemen, Syria

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RI-807	Globalization and World Economy	1	3	0	0	3	8

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	Turkish
Course Type	Compulsory
Course Level	Masters Degree
Objective	Bu dersin amacı Uluslararası İlişkiler öğrencilerini küreselleşme olgusu ve küresel ekonomik düzen hakkındaki teorik yazınla tanıtmak, bu alanlardaki güncel tartışmalardan haberdar kılmaktır. Bu amaçla, ders kapsamında, küreselleşme ve bölgeselleşme, küresel ekonomik dönemin dünü ve bugünü, uluslararası ticaret sistemi, finansal krizler ve krizlerin uluslararası sistem üzerindeki etkileri gibi konularda okumalar yapılacaktır. Derste küreselleşmenin ve 'yeni' küresel ekonomik düzene temel teşkil eden çok-taraflı anlaşmaların gelişimekte olan ülkelerin politika özerliği üzerindeki etkileri de ele alınacaktır.
Content	Ders akışında açıklanmıştır.
References	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Acemoglu, Daron &amp; James A. Robinson. (2013). Why nations fail : the origins of power, prosperity and poverty. London : Profile books.</li><li>• Bhagwati, Jagdish. (2007). In Defense of Globalization. New York: Oxford University Press.</li><li>• Stiglitz, J. E. (2002). Globalization and its discontents. New York: W.W. Norton.</li><li>• Gilpin, Robert. (2003). Global Political Economy: Understanding International Economic Order. Princeton, New Jersey: Princeton University Press.</li><li>• O'Brien, R., &amp; M. Williams. (2010). Global political economy : evolution and dynamics. 3rd ed. Hounds mills, Basingstoke, Hampshire: Palgrave Macmillan.</li><li>• Şenses, Fikret (der.) (2009). Neoliberal Küreselleşme ve Kalkınma. Seçme Yazilar. İstanbul: İletişim Yayınlari.</li><li>• Şenses, Fikret , Ziya Öniş &amp; Caner Bakır(der.) (2015). Küresel Kriz ve Yeni Ekonomik Düzen. İstanbul: İletişim Yayınlari.</li></ul>

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RI-819	Comparative Political Systems	1	3	0	0	3	8

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	Turkish
Course Type	Compulsory
Course Level	Masters Degree
Objective	Öğrencinin dünyadaki çeşitli siyasal sistemleri ülke etütleri çalışmaları ile birlikte öğrenmesi amaçlanır.
Content	Karşılaştırmalı Siyaset Alanı – Kökenleri ve Gelişimi Kuramsal Yaklaşımalar Siyasal Partiler – Parti Sistemleri Seçimler – Seçim Sistemleri Ülke etütleri
References	

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1	Definitions and classifications
2	Comparative politics and theoretical approaches
3	Parties and party systems
4	Elections and Election Systems
5	CASE STUDY
6	CASE STUDY
7	Midterm
8	CASE STUDY
9	Presentation
10	Presentation
11	Presentation
12	Presentation
13	Presentation
14	General analysis

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RI-806	Geopolitics of Contemporary World	1	3	0	0	3	8

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	Turkish
Course Type	Compulsory
Course Level	Masters Degree
Objective	
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