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Course Code	Course Name	Semester	Theory	Practice	Lab	Credit	ECTS
RI419	U.S. Foreign Policy	5	3	0	0	3	5

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	
Course Type	Elective
Course Level	Bachelor Degree
Objective	To help students analyze U.S. foreign policy through; a) Various analysis models and Presidential doctrines b) The study of American political culture and system c) The historical development of U.S. foreign policy since WWII
Content	
References	• BAGBY Wesley, America's International Relations Since World War I • BURGESS Françoise, Les institutions américaines • FERGUSON John H., The American System of Government • HOOK Steven W., U.S. Foreign Policy: The Paradox of World Power • MELANDRI Pierre, La politique extérieure des Etats Unis de 1945 à nos jours • SCHULZINGER Robert, U.S. Diplomacy since 1900 • TOINET Marie France, La Présidence Américaine • WIARDA Howard, American Foreign Policy:Actors and Processes • WITTKOPF, Eugene R. (ed.) ,The Domestic Sources of American Foreign Policy:Insights and Evidence • BRZEZINSKI Zbigniew, Second Chance:Three Presidents and the Crisis of American Superpower • FORSYTHE David P., The United States and Human Rights • GERGES Fawaz A., America and Political Islam • HALPER Stefan and CLARKE Jonathan, America Alone:The Neo Conservatives and the Global Order • KAGAN Robert, Of Paradise and Power:America and Europe in the New World Order • KATZENSTEIN Peter J. and KEOHANE Robert O., Anti-Americanisms in World Politics • KISSINGER Henry, Does America Need a Foreign Policy? • NYE Joseph S. Jr., The Paradox of American Power • OBAMA Barack, The Audacity of Hope:Thoughts on Reclaiming the American Dream • VARIOUS ARTICLES

Theory Topics

Week	Weekly Contents
1	Introduction to American political culture
2	Analysis models of U.S. foreign policy
3	American political system
4	From WWII to the Cold War (Roosevelt era)
5	Containment and its practices (Truman, Eisenhower)
6	The era of Détente (Nixon)
7	Back to idealism (Carter)
8	The New Cold War (Reagan)
9	The end of the Cold War and the unipolar moment (George H. W. Bush)
10	Post-Cold War international crises (Clinton)
11	9/11 and its consequences (George W. Bush)
12	The Obama era
13	Trump Administartion
14	Turkish-American relations, Wrap-up and General Debate