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Course Code	Course Name	Semester	Theory	Practice	Lab	Credit	ECTS
RI419	U.S. Foreign Policy	7	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