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Course Code	Course Name	Semester	Theory	Practice	Lab	Credit	ECTS
ECON422	Economic history of the Ottoman Empire and Turkey	8	3	0	0	3	6

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	French
Course Type	Elective
Course Level	Bachelor Degree
Objective	Socio-economic evolution of the Ottoman Empire and Turkey (19th-20th centuries)
Content	<p>The first half of the course provides an overview of socio-economic and institutional developments during the 19th and 20th centuries. The second half of the course focuses on specific topics, with presentations based on research articles.</p> <p>* Presentation topics:</p> <p>Population, demographic dynamics</p> <p>Inequalities</p> <p>Standard of living and well-being</p> <p>Prices and economic integration</p> <p>Fiscal policy and public debt</p> <p>Sources of growth</p> <p>Reforms, modernization and economic impact</p> <p>Infrastructure</p> <p>Economic crises</p> <p>Institutional legacy</p> <p>Trade</p> <p>Training and state capacity</p> <p>Agriculture - reforms, performance, policies</p> <p>Industrialization</p> <p>Education</p>
References	<p>Pamuk, Şevket (2018) Uneven Centuries: Economic Development of Turkey since 1820, Princeton University Press.</p> <p>Selected research articles on topics covered in the lectures. These articles are presented and discussed by participants during the second half of the course.</p>

Theory Topics

Week	Weekly Contents
1	Introduction
2	Globalization, crisis and reform in the 19th century
3	Globalization, crisis and reform in the 19th century
4	Transition from empire to nation-state (1914-1950)
5	Transition from empire to nation-state (1914-1950)
6	Post-WWII economy (1950-1980)
7	Post-WWII economy (1950-1980)
8	Globalization and liberalization (1980-)

Week	Weekly Contents
9	Globalization and liberalization (1980-)
10	Presentations*
11	Presentations*
12	Presentations*
13	Presentations*
14	Presentations*