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| Course Code | Course Name | Semester | Theory | Practice | Lab | Credit | ECTS |
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| SP413 | Global City | 8 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 6 |

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| Prerequisites | |
| Admission Requirements | |

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| Language of Instruction | French |
| Course Type | Elective |
| Course Level | Bachelor Degree |
| Objective | Globalization created both challenges and opportunities for global cities and regions. Aim of this course is to examine impacts of these on processes and institutions such as urbanization, immigration, social and spatial segregation as well as urban governance |
| Content | This course takes the concepts and theoretical approaches as a starting point and will try to identify the strengths and weaknesses of them. The major challenges of those cities concerning urban governance as well as social, economic and spatial issues will be examined and the dimensions of the life in the global cities will be discussed. Particular attention will be on Istanbul as a big city with a capacity to become a global city. |

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Theory Topics

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| 1 | Introduction |
| 2 | Theories and concepts, definition of the global city |
| 3 | Critics of the theories |
| 4 | The major challenges of the global cities |
| 5 | Urbanization, immigration and social segregation |
| 6 | Film: La Zona |
| 7 | Handing-in and presentation of the reviews |
| 8 | Urban governance |

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| 9 | Urban governance and competition among the cities |
| 10 | Social movements and the global city |
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| 12 | Presentations of the research projects |
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