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| Course Code | Course Name | Semester | Theory | Practice | Lab | Credit | ECTS |
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| RI116 | Introduction to the International Relations | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 |

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| Prerequisites | |
| Admission Requirements | |

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| Language of Instruction | French |
| Course Type | Compulsory |
| Course Level | Bachelor Degree |
| Objective | To prepare the students to international studies by presenting basic concepts, theoretical approaches, mainly the problem of level of analysis, analysis tools through the international historical framework. |
| Content | See "Subject Headings" |
| References | <p>BATTISTELLA Dario, Théories des relations internationales, Paris, Presses de Science Politique, 2003</p> <p>BRAILLARD Philippe et Mohammad-Reza DJALILI, Les relations internationales, Paris, Que sais-je ? PUF, 1997</p> <p>DE SENARCLENS Pierre, La politique internationale, Paris, Armand Colin, 2000</p> <p>DEVIN Guillaume, Sociologie des relations internationales, Paris, La Découverte, 2000</p> <p>GÖNLÜBOL Mehmet, Uluslararası Politika, Ankara, Siyasal Kitabevi, 2000</p> <p>JACKSON Robert and George SORENSEN, Introduction to international relations, New York, Oxford University Press, 1999</p> <p>LAROCHE Josépha, Politique internationale, Paris, L.G.D.G., 2000</p> <p>ROCHE Jean-Jacques, Théorie des relations internationales, Paris, Montchrestien, Cléfs Politique, 1994</p> <p>ROCHE Jean-Jacques, Le système international contemporain, Paris, Montchrestien, Cléfs Politique, 1998</p> <p>SMOUTS Marie-Claude, Les nouvelles relations internationales, Paris, Presses de Science Politique, 1998</p> <p>SÖNMEZOĞLU Faruk, Uluslararası İlişkilere Giriş, İstanbul, Der Yayınları, 2011</p> <p>SÖNMEZOĞLU Faruk, Uluslararası Politika ve Dış Politika Analizi, İstanbul, Der Yayınları, 2012</p> |

Theory Topics

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| 1 | Course outline |
| 2 | Introduction: Why study international relations? What do concepts like international politics and foreign policy mean? |
| 3 | Genealogy of international relations |
| 4 | An Overview of Contemporary Studies and Analysis |
| 5 | Analysis of international relations methodology in relation to major theoretical debates |

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| 6 | Theories of international relations |
| 7 | Theories of international relations |
| 8 | Midterm exam |
| 9 | The problem of level of analysis in international relations |
| 10 | The determinants and modalities of foreign policy |
| 11 | Foreign policy instruments and means |
| 12 | What does "Actor" mean in IR: State and non-state actors |
| 13 | International organizations |
| 14 | Analysis of the international system: bipolarity, multipolarity |