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Course Code	Course Name	Semester	Theory	Practice	Lab	Credit	ECTS
SİY 611	Public Relations Theories and Ethics	1	2	0	0	2	5

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	Turkish
Course Type	Compulsory
Course Level	Masters Degree
Objective	This course aims to describe basic knowledge on theories, models and concepts of public relations discipline and ethical issues concerning the domain. Within this course public relations will not only be studied by a managerial and instrumental perspective, but as a social activity and social phenomenon, aiming to bring an analytical and critical perspective to students.
Content	Theories and models of public relations Strategic communication and PR as social phenomenon Public manipulation and new forms of the propaganda Ethical decision making Corporate social responsibility and sustainability

References	Lecture notes.			
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	IHLEN Øyvind, VAN RULER Betteke and FREDRIKSSON Magnus, Public Relations and Social Theory: Key Figures and Concepts, New York: Routledge, 2009.			
	? JOWETT Garth S. and O'DONNELL Victoria, Propaganda and Persuasion, 4th. Ed., California: Sage Publications, 2006.			
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	TOTH Elisabeth L. and HEATH Robert L.(ed.), Rhetorical and Critical Approaches to Public Relations, New Jersey: Lawrence and Erlbaum Associates, 2002.			

Theory Topics

Week	Weekly Contents
1	Definition of the discipline of public relations and PR in the 21st century: "Strategic Communication Management" / Historical development process of public relations.
2	Public relations models (Grunig &Hunt) / Theories of public relations and critical method
3	Public manipulation, misinformation-disinformation, spin(ex. Iraqi War) / International public relations and globalization
4	The concept of corporate social responsibility (CSR): Sustainable development, SA8000, 'fair-trade' etc. / Public relations and ethics (introduction to philosophy of ethics: Aristotle, Hobbes, Bentham, Mill, Kant)
5	Ethical decision making and ethical decision mechanisms (ex. Laura Nash, Sissela Bok, Potter Box) / Ethic models in public relations implementations / Analyse of case studies
6	Strategic communication management and campaign design-l

Week	Weekly Contents
7	Strategic communication management and campaign design-II / Campaign analyses examples
8	Mid-term exam
9	News management
10	Sponsoring-philanthropy / Lobbying
11	Social theory and public relations (Weber, Bourdieu, Foucault, Giddens)
12	Students' presentations
13	Students' presentations
14	Students' presentations