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Course Code	Course Name	Semester	Theory	Practice	Lab	Credit	ECTS
SP494	Citizenship and Participation Projects	6	3	3	3	3	5

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	Turkish
Course Type	Elective
Course Level	Bachelor Degree
Objective	The course aims primarily to deepen students' knowledge of citizen participation in political and administrative life. Based on the idea that democracy depends on citizen participation, the course initiates students to reflect on the citizens' rights and responsibilities.
Content	After studying the conceptual and legal framework of political and administrative participation, students will be asked to develop a participation project. Students will then choose a field of intervention, i.e. a political or administrative action, against which they will be asked to build up a strategy to participate in decision making or implementation.
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Theory Topics

Week	Weekly Contents
1	Introduction
2	Citizenship, rights and responsibilities
3	Participation, approaches, examples
4	Participation and citizenship (debate on a participation project), building up a strategy for a participation project.
5	Evaluation, objectives and new strategies
6	Presentation and debate

Week	Weekly Contents
7	First assessment of the project(s)
8	Presentation and debate
9	Presentation and debate
10	Presentation and debate
11	Presentation and debate
12	Evaluation
13	Project presentation
14	Project presentation