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Course Code	Course Name	Semester	Theory	Practice	Lab	Credit	ECTS
MATH 536	Teaching Experience	1	2	0	0	2	5

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	Turkish
Course Type	Compulsory
Course Level	Masters Degree
Objective	Teachng the history and philosophy of mathematics

Content	Weeks Subjects
	1 Platonism
	2 Picture proofs
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	4 Hilbert and Gödel
	5 Knots and notation
	6 What is a definition?
	7 Constructive approach
	8 Midterm exam
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	10 Computation, proof and
	11 How to refute the
	12 Calling the bluff
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	What is applied mathematics?
	Proofs, pictures and procedures
	conjecture
	continuum hypothesis
	Euler and his contributions to mathematics
	Gauss and his contributions to mathematics

References	<p>W. Dunham, Journey through Genius: The Great Theorems of Mathematics, Penguin, 1991</p> <p>J. R. Brown, Philosophy of Mathematics: A Contemporary Introduction to the World of Proofs and Pictures, Routledge, 2008</p>
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Theory Topics

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