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Course Code	Course Name	Semester	Theory	Practice	Lab	Credit	ECTS
KHDR-216	Succession and recognition in international law	2	4	0	0	4	10

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	Turkish
Course Type	Elective
Course Level	Doctoral Degree
Objective	Discussing the birth and death of the state in international law: Adressing the issues of recognition of states and governments, international succession and state continuity
Content	 Recognition of States in international law and theories of recognition Other forms of recognition: governments, national movements of liberation, belligerency Succession in international law Theory of continuing state in international law and the legal relationship between the Ottoman Empire and the Turkish Republic
References	Emre Öktem, "Is Turkey Successor or Continuing State of the Ottoman Empire?" in Leiden Journal of International Law, 2011.

Theory Topics

Week	Weekly Contents
1	Recognition of States in international law
2	Theories of recognition
3	Unlawful forms of recognition
4	Recognition of governments
5	Recognition of national movements of liberation, of belligerency
6	Criterion of effectivity in recognition
7	Significance and function of recognition in current international law
8	Successionin international law
9	Succession to treaty obligations and rights
10	Succession State properties
11	Newly independent States and succession
12	Theory of continuing State
13	Exemples of continuing states
14	Legal relationship between the Ottoman Empire and the Turkish Republic