## Content

Course Code	Course Name	Semester	Theory	Practice	Lab	Credit	ECTS
RI318	Russian Foreign Policy and the CIS	8	3	3	0	3	5

Prerequisites		
Admission Requirements		

Language of Instruction	French
Course Type	Elective
Course Level	Bachelor Degree
Objective	
Content	
References	<ul> <li>Erhan Büyükakıncı, Değişen dünyada Rusya ve Ukrayna, Phoenix Yay. Ankara, 2004.</li> <li>Cem Karadeli, Soğuk Savaş sonrası Avrupa ve Türkiye, Ankara, Ayraç yay., 2004.</li> <li>Catherine Danks, Russian Politics, London, Routledge, 2005.</li> <li>Richard Sakwa, Russian Politics and Society, London, Routledge, 2008</li> </ul>

## **Theory Topics**

Week	Weekly Contents
1	History the breakup of the USSR
2	Leninist policies of nationalities : roots of federalism
3	Transitology
4	Russia I
5	Russia II
6	Russia III
7	Discourses of Russian foreign policy
8	Russia-NATO relations
9	Economic and security organisations in the CIS
10	Mid term exam
11	Energy issues in Eurasia
12	Turkey - Russia relations
13	Ukraine I
14	Ukraine II