



HİTİT UNIVERSITY COURSE INFORMATION FORM

Education Unit	FACULTY OF ECONOMICS AND ADMINISTRATIVE SCIENCES							
Department/Program	POLITICAL SCIENCE AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION (ENGLISH)							
Course	Introduction to Law							
Course Credit and Hours	Code	Semester	Theoretical	Other	Total	Credit	ECTS	
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Course Level	Associate Degree () Bachelor's Degree (X) Master Degree () PhD ()							
Course Type	Compulsory (X) Elective ()							
Instructor	Veysel Dinler, PhD							
Aim of the Course	This course aims to grant a knowledge on the basic concepts and principles of law.							
Summary Content of the Course	Necessity of the law; concept of the law; functions of the law; sources of the law; branches of the law; concept of the “right”, essential concepts of the private law; essential concepts of the public law; state, sovereignty and law.							
Prerequisite Courses	None							
Teaching Methods	Lecture, question and answer, discussion and self-study							
Course book / Advised Sources	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Phil Harris, (2016), <i>An Introduction to Law</i>, Cambridge University Press. 2 Rona Aybay, (2017), <i>An Introduction to Law</i>, Istanbul Bilgi University Press. 3 Tuğrul Ansay & Don Wallace, (2011), <i>Introduction to Law</i>, Seçkin Publishing. 							
Learning Outcome of the Course	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Having the basic knowledge of the concepts and principles of law. 2 Having the ability to determine the aspects of the rules of law and the relationships between other rules of law. 3 Having the basic knowledge of distinction between public law and private law. 4 Having the ability to apply the rules of law in everyday life events. 5 Appreciating and obeying the rule of law. 							
Assessment and Evaluation	Instruments					Number	Contribution Percentage	
	Mid-term Exams	Quiz(s)						
		Exam(s)					1	%40
		Semester / Full Term Practices						
		Land Works						
		Assignment(s)						
		Project(s)						
		Lab(s)						
		Other (.....)						
Mid-Term Total (Max 40)					1	%40		

	Final Exams	Quiz(s)		
		Exam(s)	1	%60
		Semester / Full Term Practices		
		Land Works		
		Assignment(s)		
		Project(s)		
		Lab(s)		
		Other (.....)		
		End of Semester Total (Max. 60)	1	%60

WEEKLY COURSE CONTENT	
Week	Subjects
1	Necessity of the law
2	Concept of the law
3	Functions of the law
4	Sources of the law
5	Branches of the law
6	Concept of the “right”
7	Basic concepts of the private law
8	Civil Law
9	Jurisdiction
10	Basic concepts of the public law
11	State, sovereignty and law
12	Justice
13	Democracy and Law
14	General evaluation

COURSE CONTRIBUTION TO PROGRAM PROFICIENCY		
No	Learning Outcomes of the Program	Contribution Level
PP-1	Having full knowledge of the concepts and the relations between the concepts which pertain to the fields of politics and public administration.	4
PP-2	Possessing a high level of theoretical and applied knowledge in the fields of politics, public administration and urban and environmental studies.	5
PP-3	Possessing the capacities to design and conduct research, access original sources in collecting data as well as the required methodological knowledge and ability to process and analyze the data collected.	3
PP-4	Having the ability to prepare reports and convey the knowledge and abilities that are gained during the education in political science and public administration both verbally and in written form.	2
PP-5	Applying and making use of the knowledge and abilities that are gained during the education in professional career.	3
PP-6	Having the skill of analyzing and assessing concrete facts and practices in the fields of politics and public administration in accordance with the theoretical knowledge received.	5
PP-7	Having the capacity to establish inter-disciplinary links between political science and public administration and other social science fields in coming up with analyses and new interpretations.	3

PP-8	Having the propensity to take both individual and teamwork responsibility in coming up with solutions to the problems and shortcomings of political and public administrative practices.	2
PP-9	Evaluating critically, and in the light of cause-effect relationships, the information that is acquired in the field in a perspective which conforms to life-long learning.	4
PP-10	Fashions socially responsible, ethically sound and innovative projects and activities out of the applied and theoretical knowledge in the field of political science and public administration.	3
PP-11	Being skilled in verbal and written communication and proficient in English language and computer use in accordance with the requirements of the profession.	5
PP-12	Being sensitive to universal human rights, social justice, environment, gender issues and labor rights.	5
Contribution Level: 0- No Contribution 1- Very Low 2- Low 3- Normal 4- High 5-Very High		

ECTS / WORKLOAD CHART			
Activities	Number	Duration	Workload in Total
Theoretical Course	14	3	42
Applied Course			
Assignment(s) / Seminar(s)			
Term Paper / Project			
Practice (Lab, Workshop, Land Works)			
Extracurricular Activities			
Quiz(s)			
Mid-term Exam(s)	1	33	33
Final Exam(s)	1	50	50
Other (.....)			
Workload in Total (Hour)			125
<i>Workload in Total / Weekly Workload (25) ECTS Credit of the Course</i>			5