

COURSE / MODULE / BLOCK DETAILS

ACADEMIC YEAR / SEMESTER

Offered by: Uluslararası İlişkiler			
Course Title: DEMOCRACY AND DEMOCRATIZATION		Course Org. Title: DEMOCRACY AND DEMOCRATIZATION	
Course Level: Lisans		Course Code: IRE 4115	
Language of Instruction: İngilizce		Form Submitting/Renewal Date 07/12/2016	
Weekly Course Hours: 3		Course Coordinator: DOÇ.DR. MÜGE AKNUR	
Theory	Application	Laboratory	National Credit: 3
3	0	0	ECTS Credit: 6



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Offered to:	Course Status: Compulsory/Elective
Name of the Department:	
International Relations	Elective Course



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Course Objective:

Learning Outcomes:

- 1 Gain an understanding of the concepts of democracy, democratization and democratic consolidation.
- 2 Identify and gain an understanding of the process the democratizing countries have been going through.
- 3 Comprehend the factors (political institutions, civil society, economic development, civil-military relations, international actors) that have an impact on democratic consolidation.
- 4 Design and write a research paper in order to analyze a specific factor that promotes or hinders the democratic consolidation of a country.
- 5 Work effectively individually or as a member of a team.
- 6 Demonstrate analytical skills in writing a report..
- 7 Demonstrate communication skills in presenting the paper.
- 8 Acquire the skills to use library and internet resources.

Learning and Teaching Strategies:

1. Lecture
2. Individual or Group Work (Writing and presenting a report)
3. Exams

Assessment Methods:

Name	Code	Calculation formula
Midterm	MT	
TermProject	TP	
Presentation	PRS	
BNS	BNS	$MT * 040 + TP * 040 + PRS * 020$

Further Notes about Assessment Methods:



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Assessment Criteria:

Textbook(s)/References/Materials:

1. Muge Aknur (eds) Democratic Consolidation in Turkey, Florida, Boca Raton: Universal Publishers, 2012.
2. Michael Sodaro, Comparative Politics, A Global Introduction, New York: McGraw Hill, 2008.
3. Larry Diamond et. al. Consolidating the Third Wave Democracies, Baltimore and London: The Johns Hopkins University Press, 1997.
4. Juan J. Linz and Alfred Stepan, Problems of Democratic Transition and Consolidation, Southern Europe, South America, and Post-Communist Europe, Baltimore and London: The Johns Hopkins University Press, 1996.
5. Richard Gunther, Nikiforos Diamandoros, and Hans-Jürgen Puhle, The Politics of Democratic Consolidation, Southern Europe in Comparative Perspective, Baltimore and London: The Johns Hopkins University Press, 1995.
6. Samuel Huntington, The Third Wave, Democratization in the Late Twentieth Century, Norman and London: University of Oklahoma Press, 1991.

Course Policies and Rules:

1. 70 percent of attendance is compulsory
2. Plagiarism of any type will result in disciplinary action.
3. Each student must participate to class discussion

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Office Hours:

to be announced later.

Course Outline:

Week	Topics:	Notes:
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1	Introduction: Concept of Democracy	Sodaro, Comparative Politics
2	Democracy and Democratization: Waves of Democratization	Huntington, The Third Wave
3	Democratic Consolidation	Diamond et. al. Consolidating the Third Wave Democracies Linz and Stepan, Problems of Democratic Transition and Consolidation Gunther, Diamandoros, and Puhle, The Politics of Democratic Consolidation
4	Democratic Consolidation: Political Institutions	Diamond et. al. Consolidating the Third Wave Democracies Linz and Stepan, Problems of Democratic Transition and Consolidation Aknur, Democratic Consolidation in Turkey
5	Democratic Consolidation: Political Institutions	Diamond et. al. Consolidating the Third Wave Democracies Linz and Stepan, Problems of Democratic Transition and Consolidation Aknur, Democratic Consolidation in Turkey
6	Democratic Consolidation: Civil Society	Diamond et. al. Consolidating the Third Wave Democracies Linz and Stepan, Problems of Democratic Transition and Consolidation Aknur, Democratic Consolidation in Turkey
7	Democratic Consolidation: Socio-Economic Development	Diamond et. al. Consolidating the Third Wave Democracies Linz and Stepan, Problems of Democratic Transition and Consolidation Aknur, Democratic Consolidation in Turkey
8	Democratic Consolidation: Civil-Military Relations	Diamond et. al. Consolidating the Third



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		Wave Democracies Linz and Stepan, Problems of Democratic Transition and Consolidation Aknur, Democratic Consolidation in Turkey
9	Democratic Consolidation: International Actors/Factors	Diamond et. al. Consolidating the Third Wave Democracies Linz and Stepan, Problems of Democratic Transition and Consolidation Aknur, Democratic Consolidation in Turkey
10	Group Presentations	
11	Group Presentations	
12	Group Presentations	

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ECTS Table

Course Activities	Number	Duration (hour)	Total Work Load (hour)
In Class Activities			
Lectures	12	3	36

Exams

Project Assignment	1	0	0
Project Final Presentation	2	0,5	2
Project Assignment	1	3	3

Out Class activities

Preparing assignments	1	10	10
Preparing assignments	1	10	10
Preparing presentations	1	8	8
Preparations before/after weekly lectures	12	4,5	60
Preparations before/after weekly lectures	0	0	0
Preparing term assignment	1	20	20
Preparations before/after weekly lectures	0	0	0
Total Work Load (hour)			149
ECTS Credits of the Course= Total Work Load (hour) / 25			6