PUBLIC LAW MASTER PROGRAM
COURSE SYLLABUS

Course Details				
Code	**Academic Year**			**Semester**
KHU120	1			2
Title	**T**	**A**	**L**	**ECTS**
Seminar (Research Methods in Social Sciences)	3			7

Language	Turkish			
Level	**Graduate**	X	**Postgraduate**	
Department / Program	Public Law Master			
Forms of Teaching and Learning	Formal Education			
Course Type	**Compulsory**	**X**	**Elective**	
Objectives	The students will learn the scientific research methods, identificitaion of the problems for their thesis, designing of the thesis, access to the Turkish and German sources and how to use them.			
Content	The research methods, access to the German sources, thesis writing rules, access to the German library and databases and samples from thesis in German will be examined.			
Prerequisites	None			
Coordinator	Dr. Tolga Candan, Dr. Esra Yılmaz Eren			
Lecturer(s)	Dr. Tolga Candan, Dr. Esra Yılmaz Eren			
Assistant(s)	Res. Assist. Nurdan Özçelik			
Work Placement	None			

Recommended or Required Reading	
Books / Lecture Notes	Powerpoint slides and thesis examples
Other Sources	

Additional Course Material	
Documents	
Assignments	
Exams	

Course Composition		
Social Sciences		%
Educational Sciences		%

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Natural Sciences		%
Health Sciences		%
Expert Knowledge	100	%

Assessment

Activity	Count	Percentage (%)
Midterm Exam	1	40
Quiz		
Assignments		
Attendance		
Recitations		
Projects		
Final Exam	1	60
	Total	**100**

ECTS Points and Work Load

Activity	Count	Duration	Work Load (Hours)
Lectures	14	3	42
Self-Study	31	2	62
Assignments	1	2	2
Presentation / Seminar Preparation	51	2	102
Midterm Exam	0	0	0
Recitations	0	0	0
Laboratory	0	0	0
Projects	0	0	0
Final Exam	1	2	2
		Total Work Load	**210**
		ECTS Points (Total Work Load / 30)	**7**

Learning Outcomes

1	Students learn how to write a legal Ph.D thesis in German
2	Students learn the basic rules of thesis writing
3	Students learn academic ethics that should be considered in writing thesis
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Weekly Content	
1	Introduction to the Research Methods
2	Identification of the thesis problem
3	Scientific ethic rules
4	Citation in German
5	Access to the sources in German
6	Academic research methods
7	Searching for academic works - I
8	Searching for academic works - II
9	Midterm exam
10	Access to e-sources and databases
11	Thesis examples in German
12	Presentation Techniques in German
13	Presentation of the students - I
14	Presentation of the students- II
15	Presentation of the students- III

Contribution of Learning Outcomes to Program Objectives (1-5)

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Contribution Level	1: Low 2: Low-intermediate 3: Intermediate 4: High 5: Very High
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