

PUBLIC LAW MASTER PROGRAM
COURSE SYLLABUS

Course Details				
Code		Academic Year		Semester
KHD111		1		1
Title		T	A	L
Theoretical and Institutional Integrity of Human Rights		3	-	6
Language	Turkish			
Level	Graduate		Postgraduate	X
Department / Program	Public Law PHD			
Forms of Teaching and Learning	Formal Education			
Course Type	Compulsory		Elective	X
Objectives	The lecture will begin by the question "Is there a difference or hierarchy between the values of human rights?" and it will continue examining the individual effectiveness of different protection mechanisms and their interactions with each other. In the light of these information and with a holistic approach how thematic perspective may contribute to increase the level of protection of human rights all over the world will be discussed.			
Content	This lecture aims to discuss the Courts with human rights protection mechanisms (European Court of Human Rights, Inter-American Court of Human Rights and African Court on Human and Peoples' Rights), UN Special Rapporteurs (Special Rapporteur for Prevention of Torture, Special Freedom of Expression... etc) and the work of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights and in the context of the protection of human rights comparatively.			
Prerequisites	None			
Coordinator	Dr.Esra YILMAZ EREN			
Lecturer(s)	Dr.Esra YILMAZ EREN			
Assistant(s)	Res. Ass. Nurdan ÖZÇELİK			
Work Placement	None			
Recommended or Required Reading				
Books / Lecture Notes	Rosalyn Higgins, Human rights: Some questions of integrity, Journal Of Commonwealth Law Bulletin, Vol 15 Issue 2 1989 598-614.			
Other Sources				
Additional Course Material				
Documents				
Assignments				
Exams				

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Course Composition			
Social Sciences	100		%
Educational Sciences			%
Natural Sciences			%
Health Sciences			%
Expert Knowledge			%
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	2	28
Self-Study	49	3	147
Assignments	0	0	0
Presentation / Seminar Preparation	1	1	1
Midterm Exam	1	2	2
Recitations	0	0	0
Laboratory	0	0	0
Projects	0	0	0
Final Exam	1	2	2
Total Work Load			180
ECTS Points (Total Work Load / 30)			6
Learning Outcomes			
1	Students learn international and regional human rights protection mechanisms and their practices.		
2	The student learns the individual effectiveness of different protection mechanisms and their interactions with each other.		
3	The students learns about human rights theory and discusses its reflection in practice.		
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Weekly Content

1	Integrity of Human Rights as a concept
2	Protection of Human Rights at the International Level and the United Nations
3	United Nations Human Rights Protection Mechanisms
4	United Nations Human Rights Protection Mechanisms - Charter- Based Mechanisms
5	United Nations Human Rights Protection Mechanisms - Contract-Based Mechanisms
6	Activities of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights and the Human Rights Council
7	The Impact of UN Special Procedures (Special Reporters and Working Groups) on the Protection of Human Rights
8	UN Human Rights Treaty Bodies and Human Rights Committee
9	International Criminal Court and Jurisdiction Scope
10	The American Convention on Human Rights and the Inter American Court of Human Rights as a regional human rights protection mechanism
11	African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights and African Court of Justice as a regional human rights protection mechanism
12	The European Convention on Human Rights and the European Court of Human Rights as a Regional Protection Mechanism 1
13	The European Convention on Human Rights and the European Court of Human Rights as a Regional Protection Mechanism 2
14	Interaction between regional human rights protection mechanisms and international human rights protection mechanisms
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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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