

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC LAW COURSE SYLLABUS

Course Details								
Code				Acad	emic Ye	ear	Semester	
KHU156				1			Spring semester	
Title				Т	Α	L	ECTS	
Illegitimate Criminalization : A New Offense				3	0	0	7,5	
Language	Turkish							
Level	Graduate X Postgraduate							
Department / Program	Master (Public Law)							
Forms of Teaching and Learning	Face to face							
Course Type	Compul	Compulsory			ective		Х	
Objectives	The purpose of the course is to determine the limits of criminal regulations and to evaluate the systems that can prevent regulations that violate these limits.							
Content	In this course, the concepts of decriminalization, depenalization, the elements of criminal regulations, and the overcriminalization will be examined and discussed.							
Method and Technique	Direct Instruction Method							
Prerequisites	None							
Coordinator	Prof. Dr. Ali Kemal Yıldız							
Lecturer(s)	Dr. Kazım Furkan Ağkuş, Prof. Dr. Ali Kemal Yıldız, Ass. Prof. Dr. İsmail Çınar, Dr. Oğuz Bandır, Dr. Bilal Osmanoğlu							
Assistant(s)	Aslı Ekin Yılmaz, Can Eralp Elibol, Sabah Mine Cangil, Rüveyda Yavuz							
Work Placement	None							
Recommended or Required Reading								
Books / Lecture Notes	None							
Other Sources	Joel Feinberg, The Moral Limits of Criminal Law: Offense to Others, 1985. George P. Fletcher, Rethinking Criminal Law, 2000. R.A. Duff. Stuart P. Green, Jeremy Horder, Defining Crimes, 2005. Douglas Husak, Overcriminalization, 2008.							
Additional Course Material								
Documents								
Assignments								
Exams								
Course Composition								
Social Sciences	%100					%100		
Educational Sciences	%0						%0	



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Natural Sciences			%0					
Health Sciences								
Expert Knowledge		%0						
Assessment								
Activity	Cou	int	Percentage (%)					
Midterm Exam								
Quiz			0					
Assignments	2	2						
Attendance								
Recitations								
Projects	ects							
Final Exam	nal Exam							
		Total	100					
ECTS Points and Work Load								
Activity	Count	Duration	Work Load (Hours)					
Lectures	14	2	42					
Self-Study	14	6	84					
Assignments								
Presentation / Seminar Preparation	14	6	84					
Midterm Exam								
Recitations								
Laboratory								
Projects								
Final Exam								
		Total Work Load	210					
ECTS Points (Total Work Load / 28) 7,5								
Learning Outcomes								
1 Students	Students learn the concept of crime and the place of criminal law in the legal system							
2 Students	Students gain theoretical and practical knowledgeon decriminalization and depenalization movements.							
	Students will be able to make a comprehensive assessment of criminal law policy by examining criminal laws and penal regulations.							
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5	5							
Weekly Content								
	1 Concept of Crime and Characteristics of Crimes							



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2	Classification Of Crimes							
3	Theories on Criminalization							
4	Theories on Limitation of Criminal Law							
5	Decriminalization Movement							
6	Depenalization Movement							
7	Proposal of a New Crime							
8	Applicable Sanctions for the Illegitimate Criminalization							
9	Presentation							
10	Presentation							
11	Presentation							
12	Presentation							
13	Presentation							
14	Presentation							
Contribution o	f Learning Out	comes to Prog	ram Objective	s (1-5)				
	P1	P2	Р3	P4	P5	Р6	P7	
1	5	1	5	3	5	1	4	
2	5	1	2	1	5	1	4	
3	5	1	3	3	5	2	4	
4								
5								
Contribution Lev	ntribution Level 1: Low 2: Low-intermediate 3: Intermediate 4: High 5: Very High							
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