

**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY
COURSE SYLLABUS**

Course Details						
Code	SOZ 052			Academic Year		Semester
Title	Sociology of the Body			T	A	L
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Language	Turkish					
Level	Undergraduate	X	Graduate		Postgraduate	
Department / Program	Sociology					
Forms of Teaching and Learning	Face to Face					
Course Type	Compulsory		Elective		X	
Objectives	The aim is to introduce students to the different approaches in the sociology of the body. They also learn how sociology can contribute to topics covered conventionally by natural sciences such as Biology.					
Content	Sociological texts examining how the body is shaped under different historical and social conditions are covered.					
Prerequisites	-					
Coordinator	-					
Lecturer(s)	-					
Assistant(s)	-					
Work Placement	None					
Recommended or Required Reading						
Books / Lecture Notes	Bryan S. Turner. (2020) <i>Beden ve Toplum: Sosyal Teoride Arayışlar</i> . Ankara: Nobel Akademik Yayıncılık.					
Other Sources	Kadir Canatan. (2011) <i>Beden Sosyolojisi</i> . İstanbul: Açılım Kitap. Katherine Mason, Natalie Boero. (2020) <i>Toward a Sociology of the Body</i> . ed. Natalie Boero, Katherine Mason. <i>The Oxford Handbook of the Sociology of Body and Embodiment</i> . Oxford: Oxford University Press.					
Additional Course Material						
Documents	-					
Assignments	-					
Exams	-					
Course Composition						
Mathematics und Basic Sciences					%	
Engineering					%	
Engineering Design					%	
Social Sciences					%100	

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Educational Sciences		%
Natural Sciences		%
Health Sciences		%
Expert Knowledge		%

Assessment

Activity	Count	Percentage (%)
Midterm Exam	1	40
Quiz		
Assignments	1	20
Attendance		
Recitations		
Projects		
Final Exam	1	40
Total	3	100

ECTS Points and Workload

Activity	Count	Duration	Workload (Hours)
Lectures	13	3	39
Self-Study	13	8	104
Assignments	1	13	13
Presentation / Seminar Preparation			
Midterm Exam	1	3	3
Recitations			
Laboratory			
Projects			
Final Exam	1	3	3
		Total Workload	162
		ECTS Points (Total Workload / Hours)	6

Learning Outcomes

01	Students can compare the different approaches in the sociology of the body.
02	Students can develop a conceptual framework in the sociology of the body.
03	Students can analyze the body as a multidimensional social phenomenon that is reshaped in relation to historical conditions, new technologies and the transformation of relations of production and consumption.
04	Students can analyze how the body is presented in today's society through everyday practices.

Weekly Content

1	Introduction
2	Basic concepts in the sociology of the body
3	Conceptualizations of the body by Simmel, Durkheim and Marx

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4	Beauty
5	Body and labor
6	Body and labor
7	Midterm
8	The body, food and sociality
9	Leisure, sports and arts
10	Foucault: Body and technology
11	Bourdieu: The body as physical capital in social spaces
12	Mary Douglas: Rituals
13	Judith Butler: Performativity
14	Review
15	Final

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

	P1	P2	P3	P4	P5	P6	P7	P8	P9	P10	P11	P12
1	5	4	4		5	5		4	3	3	3	
2	5	4			3	5				3		
3	4	4			4			4	3	4	4	
4	4	4			4			4	3	4	4	

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

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