DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY
COURSE SYLLABUS

Course Details						
Code			**Academic Year**			**Semester**
SOZ 078						Spring
Title			**T**	**A**	**L**	**ECTS**
Sociology of Space			3	0		6

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 of this seminar is to express the importance of sociological thinking in spatial research. Through the critical perspective, space is discussed in the context of various debates, e.g. everyday life, religious practices and migration etc.				
Content	The seminar deals with the relation between space and sociology and the theoretical basis of sociology of space. The participants will discuss the space-subject relationship in relation to the different social spaces.				
Prerequisites	-				
Coordinator	Asst. Prof. F. Güzin Ağca-Varoğlu				
Lecturer(s)	Asst. Prof. F. Güzin Ağca-Varoğlu				
Assistant(s)	-				
Work Placement	None				

Recommended or Required Reading	
Books / Lecture Notes	Benjamin, W. (2008). Pasajlar. İstanbul: Yapı Kredi Yayınları. De Certeau, M. (1988). The Practice of Everyday, UCP. Foucault, M., & Miskowiec, J. (1986). Of Other Spaces. Diacritics, 16(1), 22-27. Lefebvre, H. (2014). Mekanın Üretimi (I. Ergüden, Çev.), İstanbul: Sel Yayıncılık. Löw, M. (2017). Raumsoziologie, Suhrkamp. Sennett, S. (2019). Ten ve Taş: Batı Uygarlığında Beden ve Şehir, İstanbul: Metis Yayınları Urry, J. (2015). Mekanları Tüketmek, İstanbul: Ayrıntı Yayınları.
Other Sources	-

Additional Course Material	
Documents	-
Assignments	-
Exams	-

Course Composition	
Mathematics und Basic Sciences	%

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Engineering		%
Engineering Design		%
Social Sciences		%100
Educational Sciences		%
Natural Sciences		%
Health Sciences		%
Expert Knowledge		%

Assessment

Activity	Count	Percentage (%)
Midterm Exam	1	20
Quiz		
Assignments	7	40
Attendance		
Recitations		
Projects		
Final Exam	1	40
Total	**9**	**100**

ECTS Points and Workload

Activity	Count	Duration	Workload (Hours)
Lectures	13	3	39
Self-Study	6	9	54
Assignments	7	9	63
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

Ö 01	Students can compare the basic concepts and theories of the sociology of space.
Ö 02	Students can establish a relationship between space, everyday life and the subject.
Ö 03	Students can analyze the social dimension of space.
Ö 04	Students can assess the methods of space studies.

Weekly Content

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1	What is Space?
2	Space- Subject Relations
3	The Construction of Social Space: Ethnicity, Class, Gender
4	The Production of Space: Henri Lefebvre
5	Other Spaces: Michel Foucault
6	Relational Spaces: Martina Löw
7	Midterm
8	Migrants and Transnational Spaces in Turkey and in Germany
9	Feminist Perspective on the Experience of Urban Space: Flaneurz
10	Places of Memory/ Performative Spaces/ Spaces of Performance
11	Spatial Intersectionality of Poverty and Gender: *Gecekondu*
12	Sacralization of Experience: Ritual Spaces
13	Ethnography of Space: Shopping Center, Park, Campus, Gated Community, Cafe, Bus/*Dolmuş*/Subway
14	Space in Turkish-German Film
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	3	3		5	5	5	5	3	5	4	5
2	4	2	4		5	5	3	5	2	5	4	5
3	4	3	3		5	5	5	5	3	5	5	5
4	3	5	5		5	4	2	3	4	2		

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