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FACULTY OF ECONOMICS AND ADMINISTRATIVE SCIENCES										
Code Course Title			Credit			ECTS				
IRE 425 United States & World Politics			3 (3-0-3)							
Prerequisites None										
			of Delivery Face-to-face							
Type and Level of Course 4 th year Fall Semester										
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Course Objective This course explores the relationship between the United States and other major power international politics, including China, Iran, Russia, Taiwan, the European Union and										
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rse	1	Be able to not only grasp a depth into the			e severa	ıl states' forei	gn policy;	3, 4	, 7, 8	5, 5, 4, 4
jo		but also develop	develop an understanding toward the study of several states'							
e C		foreign policy making.								
ţ	2 Be able to examine different theories of		_	•	_	7	, 8	5, 5		
s of		and help you to understand how and why foreign policy is made.								
ne	3		mprove their skills in critical thinking and wr						3	4
03	4	4 Be able to use evidence from current and			cal foreign p	olicy	3	3,7	5, 4	
) I	making of the US and some other stat									
) B	5	Be able to obtain the knowledge of the ma			najor po	olicy issues fa	cing U.S.	3,	7, 8	5, 4, 4
Learning Outcomes of the Course		foreign and national security policy						_	0	
ear	6	Be able to discuss in detail the major ins					processes	7	, 8	4, 4
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		different portion	s of the past ar	nd present	world.					

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Course Description: This class will introduce you to United States & World Politics in two steps. Firstly, the course will examine the history of American foreign policy. In this process, we will try to understand how the priorities and capabilities of America have changed over the years. Then, this class will also introduce other countries' foreign policies such as China, Russia, India and France etc.

Course Contents: (Weekly Lecture Plan)						
W.	Topics	Preparation	Teaching Methods			
1	Introduction of Historical Contexts- The US rise to world power, 1776-1945	Textbook Ch.3 MichaeL Cox, Doug Stakes, US Foreign Policy	Presentation and Group Discussion			
2	American foreign policy during the Cold War America in the 1990s: searching for purpose Obama and Smart Power	Textbook Ch.4,5,6 MichaeL Cox, Doug Stakes, US Foreign Policy	Quiz, Student Presentation and Group Discussion			
3	The foreign policy process: executive, congress, intelligence Military power and US foreign policy	Textbook Ch.7,8 MichaeL Cox, Doug Stakes, US Foreign Policy	Quiz, Student Presentation and Group Discussion			
4	Regional shifts and US foreign policy Media and US foreign policy Identities and US foreign policy	Textbook Ch. 9,10,11 MichaeL Cox, Doug Stakes, US Foreign Policy	Quiz, Student Presentation and Group Discussion			
5	US foreign policy in the Middle East Iran's foreign policy	Textbook Ch.12 MichaeL Cox, Doug Stakes, US Foreign Policy & Some other articles related with the Iran's foreign policy	Quiz, Student Presentation and Group Discussion			
6	The USA and the EU Foreign Policy of France and Germany	Textbook Ch.13 Michael Cox, Doug Stakes, US Foreign Policy& Some	Quiz, Student Presentation and Group Discussion			

			other articles related with				
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7	US foreign policy in Rus	sia .	Textbook Ch.14 MichaeL Cox, Doug Stakes, US Foreign Policy & Some other articles related with this week	Quiz, Student Presentation and Group Discussion			
8	Mid-term Exam						
9	Mid-term Exam						
10	Brazilian Foreign Policy		Related Sources	Quiz, Student Presentation and Group Discussion			
11	The USA, China, and risi Korea's foreign policy	ng Asia	Textbook Ch.15 Michael Cox, Doug Stakes, US Foreign Policy & Some other articles related with this week	Quiz, Student Presentation and Group Discussion			
12	Great Britain's Foreign P	olicy	Related Sources	Quiz, Student Presentation and Group Discussion			
13	US foreign policy in Lati		Textbook Ch.16 MichaeL Cox, Doug Stakes, US Foreign Policy	Quiz, Student Presentation and Group Discussion			
14	US foreign policy in Afri	ca	Textbook Ch.17 MichaeL Cox, Doug Stakes, US Foreign Policy	Quiz, Student Presentation and Group Discussion			
15	Global economy Global terrorism		Textbook Ch.18,19 MichaeL Cox, Doug Stakes, US Foreign Policy	Quiz, Student Presentation and Group Discussion			
16	Global environment American foreign policy	after 9/11	Textbook Ch.20,21 MichaeL Cox, Doug Stakes, US Foreign Policy	Quiz, Student Presentation and Group Discussion			
17	Final Exam						
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