

SYLLABUS

Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences

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Cour	se Code	Code Course Title				ECTS Value		
IF	RE114	Research Essentials in IR			3-0-3)	6		
Prere Cour	equisite ses:	-						
Course Language:		English	Course Delivery	Mode:	Face-to-Face			
	se Type Level:	Compulsory / 1st Year / Spring Seme	mpulsory / 1st Year / Spring Semester					
Instr	Instructor's Title, Name, and Surname Course Hours Office I				ours Contact			
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Cour	se Object	tives						
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es	Upon sud	ccessful completion of this course, the student will be able to;				Net Contribution		
соп	1	Identify fundamental research method	7	5				
Course Learning Outcomes	2	Explain the stages of the research prescientific method.	7	5				
nin	3	Formulate a research topic and design	5	5				
Lear	4	Select and apply appropriate resear problem.	5	5				
JISE	5	Use footnote and referencing rules ac	1, 4	4, 4				
Cor	6	Compare different research designs and evaluates their strengths and weaknesses.				5		
	7	Integrate research findings to construct and communicate them effectively.	9	4				
Course Content:		This course aims to provide a comprehensive framework on research methods. It is designed to enhance students' ability to define problem areas, formulate research questions, conduct research using appropriate methods, and present findings in a systematic report. Emphasis is also placed on the selection, application, and interpretation of statistical methods in the social sciences, enabling students to become more competent and confident in conducting scientific research.						

Course Schedule (Weekly Plan)

research.

Week	Topic	Preparation	Teaching Methods and Techniques
1	Sharing Expectations from Students within the Course Introduction		Presentation and Discussion
2	The Scientific Method and Its Stages	Textbook	Lecture, Question– Answer, Discussion



3	3 Formulating the Research			Textbook		Brainstorming, Group Work, Problem-Solving Activities		
4	Writing the Abstract and Scientific Research	ntroduction i	n	Textbo	ok	Lecture, Sample Text Analysis, Guided Practice		
5	Writing the Research Rep		ing and		ok	Lecture, Hands-on Practice		
6	Literature Review in Scie	ntific Resear	ch	Textbo	ok	Library/Database Research		
7	7 Research Proposal Prese		entations		ok	Student Presentations, Peer Feedback, Instructor Feedback		
8	Midterm Exam							
9	Midterm Exam							
10	Data Collection – Survey	, Interview		Textbo	ok	Presentation and Discussion		
11	Tonic Soloction, Possoro		nd	Textbook		Lecture, Question– Answer, Problem-Solving Activities		
12	12 Article Reviews			Selecte	ed Articles	Critical Reading, Group Discussion		
13	13 Article Reviews			Selecte	ed Articles	Critical Reading, Group Discussion		
14	14 Research Presentations					Student Presentations, Case Study, Peer Feedback, Instructor Feedback		
15	15 Research Presentations					Student Presentations, Case Study, Peer Feedback, Instructor Feedback		
16 Research Presentations						Student Presentations, Case Study, Peer Feedback, Instructor Feedback		
17	17 Final Exam							
18 Final Exam								
		С	ourse R	Resourc	es			
		Richard Boehm, 2016, World Geography, McGraw-Hill Education						
Textbook:		Peter Daniels, Michael Bradshaw, Denis Shaw, and James Sidaway. 2012. An Introduction to Human Geography. Pearson.						
Recomi	mended References:			and David T. Herbert. 2008. Geography: A Very Short rd University Press.				
Course Assessment and Evaluation								
	Activities	Number	Perc	entile		Notes		
Midterm Exam		1	%	30	Exam			
Project		-						
Present	ation	1	%	10	Presentation			
Article	Review	1	%	10	Presentation			
Portfolio		-						



Final	1	%50	Exam			
ECTS Table						
Content		Number	Hours	Total		
Course Duration		14	3	42		
Out-of-Class Study		14	3	42		
Presentation		1	20	20		
Article Review		1	7	7		
Project		-				
Midterm Exam (Midterm Exam Dur Midterm Exam Preparation)	ration +	1	22	22		
Final Exam (Final Exam Duration + Final Exam Preparation)		1	35	35		
	168					
	168/30 ≈ 6					
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