ÇAĞ UNIVERSITY FACULTY OF ECONOMICS AND ADMINISTRATIVE SCIENCES				
Code	**Course Title**		**Credit**	**ECTS**
IRE 437	Turkish Foreign Policy		3 (3-0-3)	6
Prerequisites	**None**			
Language of Instruction	English	**Mode of Delivery**	Face to face	
Type and Level of Course	Compulsory/4.Year/Fall Semester			
Lecturers	**Name(s)**	**Lecture Hours**	**Office Hours**	**Contacts**
Course Coordinator	Assist. Prof. Dr. Saffet Akkaya	Thu. 13.25-15.45		saffetakkaya@cag.edu.tr
Course Objective	The main objective of the course is to introduce students the historical background of the Turkish foreign policy and to try to demonstrate the development of it during the republican era			

Learning Outcomes of		Students who have completed the course successfully should be able to	**Relationship**	
			Prog. Output	**Net Effect**
	1	explain the importance of the foreign policy	3,5, 7, 8	5, 5, 5,5
	2	examine the historical background and the legacies	3, 5, 7	5, 5, 5
	3	define the foundations of the Turkish foreign policy	5, 8	5, 5
	4	explain actual foreign policy of Turkey	2, 3, 8	5, 5, 5
	5	define the national interest	3, 7	5, 5
	6	compare Turkish foreign policy with the policies of the other countries	2, 8	5, 5
	7	Plans an explanatory presentation on the main issues of Turkish foreign policy by using academic English and computer skills	1, 3, 5	5, 5, 5

Course Description: We will try to give the historical background of The Turkish foreign policy by taking into consideration the Ottoman past. The diplomacy of the National struggle and the new Republic era will be analyzed. Ataturk era and the Second World War will be studied. The Turkish foreign policy during the Cold War and after will be discussed. The objective of the course is to discuss the Turkish Foreign Policy during and after the Cold War. Globalization and the multi dimensional policies will be assessed. Furthermore, the notion of strategic depth and its impacts on the Turkish Foreign Policy will be discussed.

Course Contents: (Weekly Lecture Plan)

Weeks	**Topics**	**Preparation**	**Teaching Methods**
1	Introduction, sharing of expectations regarding the course / Introduction and Overview of Foreign Policy Principles - Method and Approach	Students are asked to write their course expectations and prepare a short paragraph introducing themselves. They are asked to read pages 11-15 of the textbook.	Lecture, icebreaker activities, small group discussions, general information about the course
2	Theoretical Framework and Dimensions of Turkish Foreign Policy	Reading pages 19-53 of the textbook	Presentation and discussion, Small group discussions
3	Ottoman Influence in Turkish Foreign Policy	Turkish Foreign Policy, William Hale, Istanbul 2003, pages 1-30 19th-Century Political History, Fahir Armaoğlu, Ankara 2003, pages 165-227 Analysis of Turkish Foreign Policy, Faruk Sönmezoğlu, Istanbul 2012, pages 61-128	Student Presentation and Group Analysis, Discussion
4	Turkish Foreign Policy during the War of Independence (1919-1923) (Mondros, Sevres, Relations with European States)	Turkish Foreign Policy Vol 1: Pages 97-153	Presentation and Discussion, Case analysis (examples of national struggle)
5	Turkish Foreign Policy During the War of Independence (1919-1923) (Lausanne and Relations with the Soviet Union and Greece)	Turkish Foreign Policy Vol 1: Pages 155-237	Presentation and Discussion, Case analysis (examples of national struggle)

6	Turkish Foreign Policy during the Atatürk Period (1923-1938), Relations with Greece and Europe	Turkish Foreign Policy Vol 1: Pages 241-313	Student Presentation and group work, general discussion
7	Turkish Foreign Policy during Atatürk Era (1923-1938), Relations with the Soviet Union and the Middle East	Turkish Foreign Policy Vol 1: Pages 314-367	Student Presentation and group work, general discussion
8	Mid-Term Exam		
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10	Turkish Foreign Policy During World War II (1939-1945)	Turkish Foreign Policy Vol 1: Pages 387-409	Presentation, group discussion, case study
11	Turkish Foreign Policy During World War II (1939-1945)	Turkish Foreign Policy Vol 1: Pages 415-468	Student Presentations, group work, case studies
12	Turkish Foreign Policy During the Cold War Years (1945-1960)	Turkish Foreign Policy Vol 1: Pages 479-612	Presentation, group discussion, case study
13	Turkish Foreign Policy During the Cold War Years (1960-1974)	Turkish Foreign Policy Vol 1: Pages 615-714 Johnson's Letter to İnönü and his reply text.	Student Presentations, group work, case studies
14	Turkish Foreign Policy During the Cold War Years (1974-1990)	Turkish Foreign Policy Vol 2: Pages 9-188	Student Presentations, group work, case studies
15	Turkish Foreign Policy in Post-Cold War Years (1991-2025)	Turkish Foreign Policy Vol 2: Pages 201-587	Presentation, group discussion, case study
16	Review	Turkish Foreign Policy Vol 1:2:3:	General Review
17	Final Exam Weeks		
18	Final Exam Weeks		

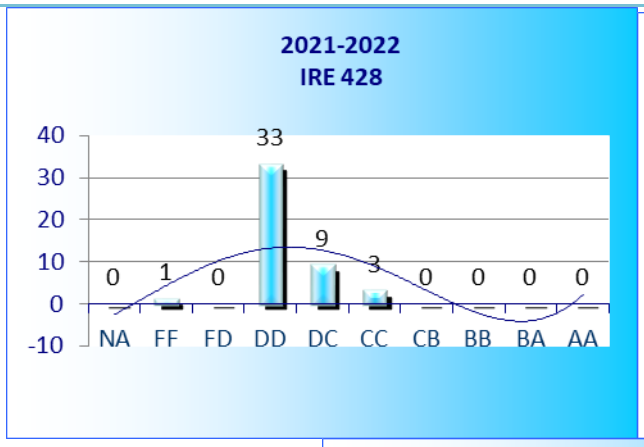
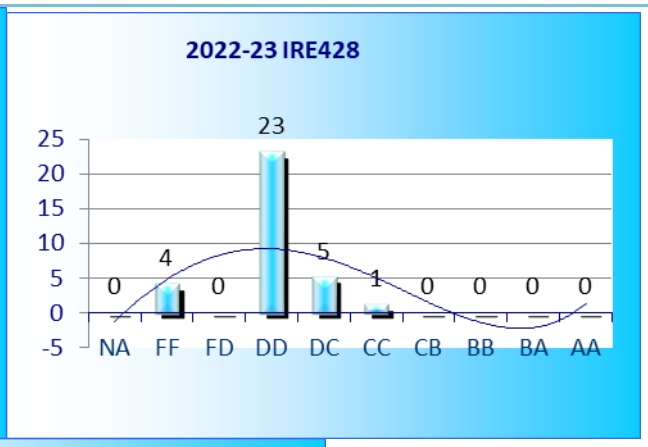
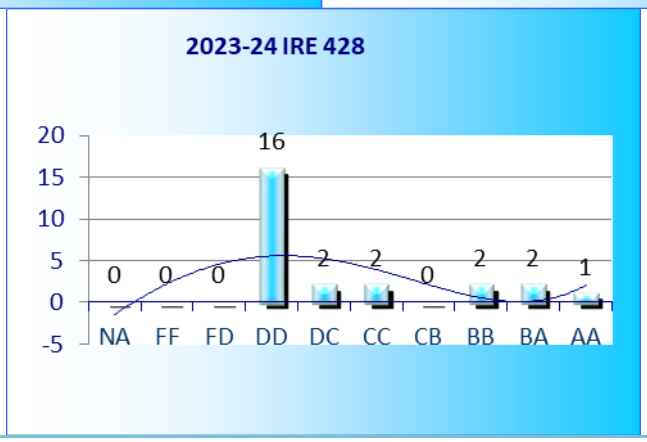
REFERENCES

Textbook	-Baskın Oran (Ed.), "Turkish Foreign Politics, 1st Volume, İletişim Yayınları, İstanbul 2005. -Baskın Oran (Ed.), "Turkish Foreign Politics, 2nd Volume, İletişim Yayınları, İstanbul 2005. -Baskın Oran (Ed.), "Turkish Foreign Politics, 3rd Volume, İletişim Yayınları, İstanbul 2005.
Recommended Reading	-Faruk Söylemezoğlu, Nurcan Özgür Baklacıoğlu, Özlem Terzi, "Türk Dış Politikasının Analizi", DR Yayınları, İstanbul 2012. -William Hale, "Türk Dış Politikası 1774-2000", Arkeoloji ve Sanat Yayınları, İstanbul 2003. -Fahir Armaoğlu, "19ncu Yüzyıl Siyasi Tarihi (1789-1914)", Türk Tarih Kurumu Yayını, Ankara, 2003 -Şevket Süreyya Aydemir, "Tek Adam 1nci, 2nci, 3ncü Ciltler", Remzi Kitabevi, İstanbul 1993.

ASSESSMENT METHODS

Activities	Number	Effect	Notes
Midterm Exam	1	20%	Written Exam
Homework	1	10%	Individual Report
Presentation	2	10%	Individual/Group Presentation
Participation/In-Process Activities	14	10%	Discussion, group work, active participation in class activities
Effect of The Final Exam	1	50%	Comprehensive Written Exam

ECTS TABLE

Contents	Number	Hours	Total
Hours in Classroom	14	3	42
Working Outside the Classroom	14	3	42
Homework	1	20	20
Presentation	2	8	16
Participation/In-Process Activities	14	1	14
Midterm Exam	1	16	16
Final Exam	1	30	30
		Total	180
		Total / 30	180/30=6
		ECTS Credit	6

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