

KARABÜK ÜNİVERSİTESİ
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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND BANKING					
Content of Master's Degree in Finance and Islamic Banking with Thesis					
COURSE CODE	COURSE NAME AND CONTENTS	T	A	C	ECTS
FPB701	Method in Social Sciences	3	0	3	6
Purpose and Content	Objectives of the Course To give basic information about the principles and applications of scientific research. Course Content This course consists of scientific research rules, methods and application examples.				
FPB703	Islamic Economy and Participation Banking	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	Objectives of the Course To give information about Islamic economy and participation banking fields, to teach the history and current course. Course Content The emergence of Islamic economy and its place in today's economic environment. To give information about the history of participation banking to the present day, to introduce the products related to them.				
FPB704	Islamic Finance Practices and Banking In The World	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	Providing the students with a sound understanding of; - Basic information about islamic banking and the Islamic Banking practice in Turkey - The essential instruments in Islamic banking - Differences between conventional banking and islamic banking - Organizational structure in a participation bank. Course Content History of Islamic Banking and Its Evolution, Fundamentals, Fund Collection and Utilization; Participation Banking in Sound Banking Model.				
FPB705	Financial Tables Analysis	3	0	3	8

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Purpose and Content	<p>The aim of this course is to teach students the ways, methods and techniques to be considered in evaluating financial statements. Therefore, the course is to present the subjects and examples that will help to analyze the financial statements. In the analysis of the financial statements, the student is expected to grasp the techniques necessary for the sector to make evaluations specific to the sector in which the business is operating, to evaluate the firms themselves according to the sector and to take into account the results of the financial statement analysis for financial planning.</p> <p>Course Content The need for the analysis of financial statements, Meaning and importance of financial statements in terms of financial analysis: Balance sheet, Meaning and importance of financial statements in terms of financial analysis: Income statement, The importance of fund flow statements in financial analysis, Comparative Tables Analysis Technique: Preparation of Tables, Analysis and Interpretation, Comparative Tables Analysis Technique, Analysis Technique with Percentage Method, Trend Percentages Technique, Ratio Analysis, Case study</p>				
FPB706	Marketing II	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	<p>Objectives of the Course The aim of this course is to discuss the policy aspect of marketing management at master's level. The aim of the course is to help students understand the marketing issues and to gain a managerial perspective. The course aims to address the changes in the market environment, the changes in consumer behavior and the new developments in the context of marketing in terms of marketing management, and the strategies related to the target market selection and marketing mix from an administrative point of view.</p> <p>Course Content In this course, the definition of the marketing concept and the environmental conditions that the marketing activities are affected, and the principles of the marketing process, which are the elements of the marketing process, and the application of the marketing management function will be discussed.</p>				
FPB707	Capital Markets	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	<p>Objectives of the Course Providing conceptual knowledge of money and capital markets and institutions and equipping students with qualitative analysis skills, enabling them to assess the current system from the Islamic perspective and also providing a sound knowledge of Islamic capital markets and institutions.</p> <p>Course Content The general structure and process of financial system, money and capital markets instruments, institutions, valuation and analysis methods, assets liabilities and risk management in financial institutions, Islamic capital markets and institutions.</p>				
FFPB708	International Finance	3	0	3	8

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Purpose and Content	<p>The goal of the course is to provide students with a deep understanding of international financial management issues. The students will learn how to judge the riskiness of a currency from a firm's perspective, and how to measure and manage the company's exposure to exchange rate and international interest rate risks. They will discover how companies use banks, markets such as the Eurobond and currency futures and options markets, and techniques such as currency swaps.</p> <p>Course Content This course focuses on international financial markets and exchange rates. Topics include foreign exchange markets, international flow of funds, international arbitrage and interest rate parity, relationships among inflation, interest rates and exchange rates, currency derivatives and exchange rate risk management.</p>				
FPB710	Current Economic Problems and Interest-Free Finance Solution Proposals	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	<p>The purpose of this course is to allow participants to evaluate contemporary economic and financial problems and propose logical solutions to these issues.</p> <p>Course Content Riba being one of the forbidden practice in the Islamic Sharia, participatory or interest free banking presents itself as one of the alternatives to the conventional banking system. This course evaluates participatory banking in detail.</p>				
FPB711	Asset-Liability Management	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	<p>The aim of this course is to present the fundamentals of active-passive management and to reflect the current and modern developments.</p> <p>Course Content Bank balance sheet management, bank principles, reform and restructuring processes, international and national regulations and new methods</p>				
FPB712	Islamic Economic History and Institutional Structures	3	0	3	8

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Purpose and Content	Objectives of the Course To explain the emergence and development of Economic Institutions that emerged in the history of Islamic Economics.				
	To have general information about the concepts of the Institutions of Islamic Economic History and the sources of it.				
	To have comprehensive information about the actors of these institutions in order to obtain the ability to analyse.				
	To evaluate the reflections and effects of Islamic Economic History and Institutions on economic, social and cultural life.				
	Course Content The functioning of Islamic economic institutions and their effects on economic life are examined;				
	Main sources of Islamic Economic History and Institutions are introduced;				
	The emergence and development of institutions are learned;				
Economic and financial structures and institutions in Islamic States are investigated;					
The Elements of Economic Life and the Role of the State are discussed.					
FPB713	Insurance	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	This course aims to introduce the tradition of rejection and the main topics of discussion in these refutations, which are about the polemics between Muslims and Christians from early periods. This tradition includes the Arabic and Ottoman rejections written throughout the history of Islam and the main topics of discussion in these rejections. Within the scope of the course, it aims to reveal the attitudes of both religions towards each other in the historical process.				
FPB717	Marketing I	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	In this course, it is aimed to provide the students to get acquainted with basic marketing principles, concepts and new marketing approaches, and to form the basis for elective courses that will enable them to specialize in marketing in the following periods. Course Content Definition, scope and development of marketing, marketing environment, marketing research and marketing information system, consumer markets and consumer behavior, industrial markets and international markets, market segmentation, targeting, positioning and sales forecasts, product development (product concept, product types and product in marketing strategies), product management (product mix, new product concept and product life curve, brand and branding strategies), pricing, promotion (promotion decisions and strategies, advertising and public relations, personal sales and sales development), distribution channels.				

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FPB719	Contemporary Economic Systems and Islamic Economy	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	Objectives of the Course To learn the basics of Islamic economics and finance, its historical development and its current applications and to transfer them to their business / academic life. Course Content The program introduces students to Islamic economics, basic fiqh knowledge on economic and financial issues, interest-free banking, comparative characteristics of traditional and participation banks.				
FPB721	Islamic Economic Thought	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	Objectives of the Course To have general information about the concepts of Islamic Economic Thought and its sources. To have comprehensive knowledge about the actors of this thought and to gain the ability to analyze. To evaluate the reflections and effects of the acquired knowledge on the cultural structure of the economic thought and life of the period. Course Content The concepts and sources of Islamic Economic Thought; Formation and development of Islamic Economic Thought; State Value and Islamic Economic Thought; Actors and thinkers of Islamic Economic Thought.				
FPB725	Islamic Aspects of Business and Finance	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	Objectives of the Course To make ensure a proper understanding of products and services of Islamic business and finance. Course Content This module consists of Islamic Jurisprudence covering sources of Rules of Islamic legal theory, Legal maxims and Objectives of Islamic law; theory of Islamic contract covering the general theory of contracts, Ahliyyah/capacity, formation of contract, terms and conditions, classification of contracts; Islamic compliance covering Hisbah, Ijtihad, fatwa, Participation board, and Islamic non-compliance risk.				
FPB726	Contracts (contracts) in Islamic Law	3	0	3	8

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Purpose and Content	<p>Objectives of the Course Islamic law of contracts are the backbones of Shari'ah compliant transactions. Thus Islamic law of contracts seek,</p> <p>To address the issue of achieving fair and just dealing between contracting parties,</p> <p>To create awareness among the learners the importance of the subject,</p> <p>To provide knowledge for problems facing the application of Islamic Financial transactions.</p> <p>To have a platform to be able to develop Shari'ah compliant products.</p> <p>Course Content The course provides necessary Islamic Law of Contracts used in products related to Business and Finance.</p>				
FPB727	Islamic Public Policy (Siyasah Shar'iyah)	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	<p>Objectives of the Course To expose students to the importance of Siyasah Shar'iyah in dealing with contemporary issues/problem related to public policy.</p> <p>To analyze in depth the role of Siyasah Shar'iyah in realizing the objectives of the Shari'ah</p> <p>To examine contemporary economics and finance policies of Muslim states in relation to Siyasah Shar'iyah.</p> <p>Course Content The course is designed for Islamic Economics and Finance students who specialize in Islamic economics, Business and finance. It provides the foundation for advanced study in public policy issues from Islamic perspective.</p>				
FPB728	Methodological Foundations of Islamic Economics and Finance	3	0	3	8

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Purpose and Content	<p>Objectives of the Course To familiarize students with the sources of Islamic Law (Shari'ah) and the methodology of derivation of rulings for new issues in the realm of transactions, business and finance.</p> <p>To enable the students to have a modern approach to the present economic and finance problems in lights of the knowledge of the Principles of Islamic law;</p> <p>To equip the students with the ability to develop an Islamic Economic Methodology as a new alternative.</p> <p>Course Content This course is designed to cover the Principles of Islamic Jurisprudence ('Ilm Usul al Fiqh) based on the Quran and the Sunnah, which both constitute the sources as well as the subject-matter to which the methodology of Usul al Fiqh is applied. The course would discuss comprehensively other sources of methodology of Usul al Fiqh such as consensus (Ijma'), analogy (Qiyas), juristic preference (Istihsan) presumption of continuity (Istishab), public interest (Maslahah), and the rules of interpretation and deduction. It includes also to introduce Comtemporary Fiqh Academies, SAC, OIC Fiqh Academy, and Modern Islamic Institutions on standardisation of rules such as OIC Fiqh Academy, AAOIFI, IFSB, etc.</p>				
FPB729	Fiqh for Economists, Banking and Finance	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	<p>Objectives of the Course "1. To provide the students with the introductory knowledge of Islamic Fiqh.</p> <p>2. To provide students with the knowledge of various Islamic commercial transactions.</p> <p>3. To expose students to issues related to debt and its treatment in Fiqh.</p> <p>4. To enhance the students' skills in relation to the application of Islamic commercial and financial transactions."</p> <p>Course Content The course covers the introductory knowledge of Islam, Shariah, Aqidah, Akhlaq, Fiqh, Adalah. It includes the Objectives of Islamic Sharicah, Legal Maxims, Usul al-Fiqh and some basic concepts of Gift (Hibah), Charity (Sadaqah), Endowment (Waqf), Will (Wasiyah), Zakat (tax), Private Property (Al-Mal), Rights (Al-huquq), Ownership (Al-milkiyah). Af'al al-Mukallafiyn (the acts of the Subjects) explained to provide necessary information to the researcher on the subject matter. In relation to the Islamic Economics, It provides concepts of commercial and financial transactions that are used in Islamic banking and finance. These include the contract of sale (bay') and its varieties, lease (ijarah), agency (wakalah), deposit (wadi'ah) loan (qardh), partnership contracts (musharakah and mudharabah), and security contracts such as pledge (rahn) guarantee (kafalah), transfer of debt (hawalah), absolution (ibra) and debt clearance (muqassah).</p>				
LUEE701	Scientific Research Techniques and Scientific Ethics	3	0	3	8

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Purpose and Content	Objectives of the Course Definition of science and learning scientific research methods / techniques, learning scientific methodology, research techniques and data collection methods, learning ethical issues in scientific studies. Scientific publication types (thesis, papers, articles, report etc.), gain the ability to follow current scientific developments in the field, learn the ethical principles to be followed in scientific research and publication. Course Content The definition of scientific knowledge and its different aspects from other types of knowledge. Learning the philosophy of science and philosophy of knowledge (epistemology) and trying to provide a conceptual basis.				
FPB797	MA Seminar	0	2	0	6
Purpose and Content	Objectives of the Course To provide students to perform original works by reviewing literature about their interests. Course Content Students determine their interest fields, review the literature, evaluate, plan the research process and report their studies.				
FKB7098D	Course Specialised Field	4	0	0	4
Purpose and Content	The Specialization Area course is a theoretical course proposed by a faculty member to share their knowledge, experience, and expertise in their scientific field with graduate students under their supervision. This course aims to educate students on scientific ethics, instil a strong work discipline, teach research methods in the current literature, and provide guidance on conducting research, following, and evaluating the literature. The course also focuses on establishing and implementing the scientific foundations of the student's thesis/exhibition/project work.				
FKB7098T	Thesis Specialised Field	4	0	0	4
Purpose and Content	The Specialization Area course is a theoretical course proposed by a faculty member to share their knowledge, experience, and expertise in their scientific field with graduate students under their supervision. This course aims to educate students on scientific ethics, instil a strong work discipline, teach research methods in the current literature, and provide guidance on conducting research, following, and evaluating the literature. The course also focuses on establishing and implementing the scientific foundations of the student's thesis/exhibition/project work.				
FPB799	MA Thesis Research	0	1	0	26

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Purpose and Content	The Thesis Course is a practical class designed for graduate students under the supervision of a faculty member. It includes guidance on various aspects of their thesis work, such as literature review, methodology, fieldwork, and laboratory research. This course provides the necessary information and direction for the students to prepare their theses following the "Graduate Thesis Writing Guidelines and Templates," as well as guidance on defending and submitting their theses.

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