

KARABÜK ÜNİVERSİTESİ
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DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY					
Content of Master's Degree Sociology with Thesis					
COURSE CODE	COURSE NAME AND CONTENTS	T	A	C	ECTS
LUEE701	Scientific Research Techniques and Scientific Ethics	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	The aim of the course is to enable students to learn the different research methods that they can use while conducting a scientific research as well as the rules of publication ethics that they should follow. The content of the course is; research techniques to be used while conducting a scientific study and publication ethics to be followed.				
SBE703	Term Project	9	1	0	0
Purpose and Content	In this course, students are expected to prepare a project related to their department. It is aimed to develop the student's project preparation and presentation skills.				
SOSY703	Risk Society and Uncertainties	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	With the end of our century, the perception of risk, which has been on the rise based on the increasing reflexive capacity in modern societies, has turned into a great "risk society" debate. The aim of this course is to enable graduate students to discuss the field of risk society and uncertainties, which have an important place in sociology these days. In addition, it is aimed to increase the level of knowledge of the students on the subject and to develop their world of thought on the current debate ground, which has a current value. Within the scope of the course, various theoretical frameworks and analyzes on risk society debates will be produced and the projections of the perspectives put forward in the context of daily life will be opened to criticism. While making such discussions, the process leading to the risk society will be discussed in detail and discussion environments will be produced in order to make the student open to this perspective. The main goal of the course is to make the student active by trying to continue the course process around certain contexts produced in the discussion in each course.				
SOSY701	Method in Social Sciences	3	0	3	6
Purpose and Content	Current methodological debates in sociology, criticisms of positivism and new positivism, functionalism, structuralism, interpretive method and new method searches in conflict approaches, method selection and difficulties encountered in field research constitute the content of the course..				

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SOSY704	Sociology of Everyday Life	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	In recent years, everyday life and the "ordinary" have increasingly become the subject of academic study in many disciplines of social thought, including history, art history, anthropology, sociology, philosophy, literary criticism and cultural studies. For some theorists, everyday life offers an opportunity to consider the relationship not only between people, but also between human beings and nature on an equal footing, while for others, ordinary activities are crucial as the dominant form of resistance against oppressive social formations. For other theorists, such as Lefebvre (following Marx), everyday activities constitute the 'irreducible core of images' in a world 'ripped away from us' by capitalism. This lecture will take the surprising contiguity of bodies, objects, verbal expressions, sounds, images and man-made nature in our everyday experience as an occasion to reflect on a paradox that lies at the heart of the everyday and the ordinary: how is it that something so close to us, so ubiquitous, seems so distant? In Stanley Cavell's words, this lecture is an exercise in tracing and reflecting on the extraordinary that lies at the heart of the ordinary in our lives.				
SOSY705	New Approaches in Sociology	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	During this course, recent theoretical and practice-based debates that have emerged as a new trend in sociology will be discussed. In this way, it will be ensured that students stay within the current debate processes. Within the scope of this course; structural Marxism, structural constructionism, poststructuralism, semiotics, phenomenology, ethnomethodology, consumer society, society of the spectacle and relational sociology will be focused on and the course process will be carried out with mutual discussions.				
SOSY706	Modernization and sociology in the Islamic World	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	The concept of civilization and culture, cultural basins in the world, the Islamic world in the process of transition to modernism, cultural changes in the Islamic world, the concept of civilization in the Ottoman Empire and Turkish modernization are the topics to be examined during this course.				
SOSY707	Globalization and New World Order	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	The aim of this course is to learn the basic concepts of the field and to discuss the theories of globalization and the new world order. The content of the course is the theories of globalization, explaining the circuits about the world order and the content of the new world order and possible differences from the previous ones.				
SOSY708	Debates on Modernism and Prostmodernisim	3	0	3	8

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Purpose and Content	In this course, postmodern contributions to social theory will be discussed. The course process will continue with comparisons between modern and postmodern contexts. In this way, it will be tried to develop the students' social theoretical perspectives on current debates. The names to be discussed in the course are Habermas, Derrida, Britton, Guattari, Toynbee, Mills, Foucault, Baudrillard, Lyotard, Deleuze.				
SOSY709	Critical Analytical Thinking Techniques	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	The aim of this course is to provide students with a critical perspective by developing critical thinking. This course includes an understanding of the views of critical thinkers in philosophy and sociology and the application of these views.				
SOSY710	Public Space and Transformations	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	The aim of the course is to focus on the effects of social transformations in the modern period on private and public life. In particular, the course will focus on the connections of the means of communication with the dominant public sphere practices in late-capitalist societies and discuss their capacity to transform the public sphere. In this way, we will try to understand the effects of the transformations of public and private life on late modern societies. In this course, the focus is on the concepts of `public and `public sphere. Drawing on different theories of the public sphere, the course will examine the nexus between the public sphere and the media in modern societies. In this framework, the projections of different distinctions between public and private spheres at the media level will be analyzed.				
SOSY711	Cultural Sociology Approaches	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	The aim of this course is to analyze the relationship between culture and society and to gain the ability to understand and interpret the social origins of culture. The content of this course; the relationship between culture and society, cultural theories, relations between culture and other institutions, cultural changes in the historical process, universal and local cultures, globalization and culture, cultural changes in Turkey, culture and alienation.				
SOSY712	Sociology of Religion and Faith	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	This course will examine the history and theology of Christianity, Islam and Judaism from their beginnings to the present day, as well as their development and interaction with societies in a comparative perspective.				
SOSY713	Today, Religion, Society and Social Institutions	3	0	3	8

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Purpose and Content	The aim of this course is to analyze the structural and functional characteristics of religion in modern societies. The content of this course is to analyze the structure and functions of religion in modern societies from a sociological perspective.				
SOSY714	Sociology of Death and Death	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	The aim of this course is to investigate the social, political and cultural causes of the phenomenon of death and to analyze its reflections in modern and postmodern society. The content of this course: What is death, philosophy and death, death in sociological theories, class and the concept of death, fear and anxiety of death, cemeteries, death and culture, identity and death.				
SOSY716	History of Sociology	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	Sociological theory is a field of study that has evolved in response to the solutions proposed by sociologists to social issues. In this sense, our course will provide a detailed exposition of these solutions.				
SOSY721	Today, Religion, Society and Social Institutions	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	The course consists of three parts. The first part is devoted to describing the nature of religion as a phenomenon of sociological research. This is followed, in the second part, by an examination of theoretical and factual issues related to the relationship between religion and culture and social life. The focus is on theoretical analyses and empirical findings on the relationship between religion and the organization of social and economic life, social solidarity and conflict. The third part is devoted to examining and discussing how religious beliefs and practices accompany the formation of ethnic groups, social and political movements and their implications for social and political change/stability in the contemporary world.				
SOSY726	Debates on Modernism and Postmodernism	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	In this course, postmodern contributions to social theory will be discussed. The course process will continue with comparisons between modern and postmodern contexts. In this way, it will be tried to develop the students' social theoretical perspectives on current debates. The names to be discussed in the course are Habermas, Derrida, Britton, Guattari, Toynbee, Mills, Foucault, Baudrillard, Lyotard, Deleuze.				
SOSY728	Public Spaces and Transformations	3	0	3	8

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SOSY731	Advanced Qualitative Research	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	In this course the student learns how qualitative research is conducted. At the end of the course, he/she will be able to design and conduct a qualitative research. The content of this course includes qualitative research designs, qualitative data collection tools and analysis of qualitative data and reporting of qualitative research.				
SOSY732	Sociology of Death and Death	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	The aim of this course is to investigate the social, political and cultural causes of the phenomenon of death and to analyze its reflections in modern and postmodern society. The content of this course: What is death, philosophy and death, death in sociological theories, class and the concept of death, fear and anxiety of death, cemeteries, death and culture, identity and death.				
SOSY734	Sociology of Emotions	3	0	3	8

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Purpose and Content	In everyday speech as well as in dictionaries, we tend to confuse "affect" with "emotions". Affect is also related to "feelings" and as such points to an area where emotions intersect with more bodily processes. Even in its first untheorized form, affect is loaded with tactile, sensory and perhaps involuntary connotations. This seminar is a critical exploration of the importance of emotion and affect for social analysis. Our book "Theories of Affect" (Gregory Seigworth, Melissa Gregg, Alef Publications 2023 [2010]), which we will read closely throughout the course, will take us through fear, objects, shame, everyday life, optimism, food, aesthetics, the corporeal/non-corporeal, sympathy, empathy, mimetic communication, biomedica, This seminar will introduce you to important information, discussions and insights on how emotions, affect and feelings are handled in contemporary sociological theories and practices through themes such as the body, bodily management, virtuality and reality, as well as world-building practices. In this seminar, we will focus on a wide range of emotional states from anxiety to anger, from euphoria to distress, and we will comparatively evaluate the basic concepts of the sociology of emotions such as affect/emotion/emotion/emotion. We will critically discuss the promises and limitations of each of these concepts.					
SOSY736	Gender Studies	3	0	3	8	
Purpose and Content	The aim of this course is to gain in-depth knowledge on gender as one of the boxed categories of social sciences. In this course, we will gain a general understanding of gender, which is one of the main fields of study in social sciences such as race and class. We will discuss the main research topics of this critical field of study, which intervenes in sociological studies both in terms of the topics it focuses on and in terms of methodology and theory. This reading list, gathered under the main headings of epistemology, politics, law, labor, education, urban life, media, masculinity and violence, shows us how different disciplines of sociology deal with gender issues. By the end of the course, we will have gained important knowledge and insights to reassess the basic knowledge we have learned so far from Sociology, Anthropology, History, Philosophy and Political Science through the critical filter of gender studies.					
SOSY737	Age of Sociology	3	0	3	8	
Purpose and Content	This course aims to understand and analyze the position of the sociologist and the nature of his/her relationship with the object of research since the emergence of sociology as a practical science. The course content includes the position of the researcher in sociology, his/her mental attitudes and practices, the exploration of the discursive and pragmatic field of the researcher as the subject of sociology, and the updating of the subject of sociology in times of crisis.					
SOSY738	Social Memory Studies	3	0	3	8	

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Purpose and Content	The aim of this course is to teach students historical and sociological practices of remembering and memory. In this course, it is aimed to discuss issues such as memory, social memory, remembering social events and traumas, forgetting or overcoming forms of remembering, variables in the formation of memory, the formation of memory in different social structures. The role of media in the formation of history and memory, its role in remembering and forgetting will also be discussed.				
SOSY739	Body Sociology	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	The aim of the course is to reveal an up-to-date perspective on the field by considering the body as a sub-branch of sociology. The content of the course; in recent years, especially with the increasing debates on modernity and post-modernity; the body, which has an increasing importance in terms of the individual's own self-identity, is to address the body in all its social aspects.				
SOS740	Emotional Labor Processes and Emotional Capital	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	The aim of the course is to examine the concepts of emotional labor and emotional capital and to determine their place in personal and professional life. In this course, the impact of emotions on human behavior is discussed and thus their place in human life is identified. Then, labor processes and transformations in the labor market are examined. The place of emotional capital, emotional labor and spiritual labor concepts in the literature is examined. The effects of emotional labor processes in both personal and professional life are determined. Finally, the concepts of compassion fatigue and burnout are discussed. Then, students are expected to prepare a term project in the light of the information they have learned.				
SOS741	Poverty, Inequalities and Social Justice	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	In this course, poverty is defined. In this course, information is given about the causes of poverty, measurement of poverty, poverty alleviation. In this course, issues such as inequality, social justice and income distribution are discussed.				
SOS742	Sociology of Memory, Nationalism and Commemoration	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	After explaining the meaning, content and functions of nationalism in the light of major theories of nationalism, this course focuses on the remarkable relationship between nationalism and international relations from a historical and theoretical perspective. This course will include the work of distinguished scholars such as Anthony Smith, Ernest Gellner, Anthony Giddens, Benedict Anderson and others. The aim of this course is to try to understand and make sense of how, why and in what context some historical events that took place before our birth are commemorated and remembered. Focusing primarily on the practices of commemoration/remembrance in Turkey, this seminar aims to show that commemoration and remembrance of historical events is not a haphazard and coincidental activity.				

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SOS743	Phenomenological Sociology	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	In this course, we will reflect on the relationship between experience and consciousness and consider the "tacit knowledge" called "common sense" that constitutes social reality. We will develop a conceptual and theoretical understanding that the way we experience social phenomena consists of the patterns of "familiarity" that constitute everyday life. The aim of the course is to understand and learn how to address the patterns of familiarity woven into the practices of everyday life, known in social science literature as the "lifeworld".				
SOS744	Environment and Society	3	0	3	8
Purpose and Content	In this course; the views and debates in social sciences on environment and environmental problems will be examined. In addition, the relationship between environment and politics and the effects of politics on environmental problems will be discussed. Understanding the functions of technological development and philosophical perspectives in understanding the relationship between environment and society is also within the scope of the course. The aim of the course is to understand the social sources of environmental problems and the relationship between politics, social theories and the environment.				
SOSY797	MA Seminar	0	2	0	6
Purpose and Content	In this course the student learns how qualitative research is conducted. At the end of the course, they will be able to design and conduct a qualitative research. The content of this course includes qualitative research designs, qualitative data collection tools and analysis of qualitative data and reporting of qualitative research.				
SOSY798	MA Field of Specialization	4	0	0	4
Purpose and Content	The aim of this course is to develop analytical thinking skills and to create knowledge about thesis work. The content of the course covers general information about thesis work.				
SOSY799	MA Thesis Research	0	1	0	26
Purpose and Content	The thesis course is an applied course for graduate students supervised by the faculty member, which includes guidance on issues such as literature review, methodology, field applications and laboratory studies within the scope of their thesis studies, writing, defending and submitting the thesis in accordance with the "Graduate Thesis Writing Guidelines and Templates".				

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SOSY798 D	Course Specialised Field	4	0	0	4
Purpose and Content	Course Specialised Field 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 and instil a strong work discipline.				
SOSY798T	Thesis Specialised Field	4	0	0	4
Purpose and Content	Thesis Specialised Field is a theoretical course that the faculty member proposes to the graduate students he/she supervises in order to share the methods of conducting research in the current literature, following and evaluating the literature, and to establish and carry out the scientific foundations of the student's thesis / exhibition / project work.				

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