

COURSE OUTLINE

(1) GENERAL

SCHOOL	FACULTY OF HUMANITIES		
ACADEMIC UNIT	MEDITERRANEAN STUDIES		
LEVEL OF STUDIES	UNDERGRADUATE		
COURSE CODE	KY-04	SEMESTER	2
COURSE TITLE	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS		
INDEPENDENT TEACHING ACTIVITIES <i>if credits are awarded for separate components of the course, e.g. lectures, laboratory exercises, etc. If the credits are awarded for the whole of the course, give the weekly teaching hours and the total credits</i>		WEEKLY TEACHING HOURS	CREDITS
		3	5
<i>Add rows if necessary. The organisation of teaching and the teaching methods used are described in detail at (d).</i>			
COURSE TYPE <i>general background, special background, specialised general knowledge, skills development</i>	Specialised general knowledge		
PREREQUISITE COURSES:	No		
LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION and EXAMINATIONS:	Greek		
IS THE COURSE OFFERED TO ERASMUS STUDENTS	No		
COURSE WEBSITE (URL)	https://eclass.aegean.gr/courses/TMS/		

(2) LEARNING OUTCOMES

Learning outcomes <i>The course learning outcomes, specific knowledge, skills and competences of an appropriate level, which the students will acquire with the successful completion of the course are described.</i> <i>Consult Appendix A</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Description of the level of learning outcomes for each qualifications cycle, according to the Qualifications Framework of the European Higher Education Area</i>• <i>Descriptors for Levels 6, 7 & 8 of the European Qualifications Framework for Lifelong Learning and Appendix B</i>• <i>Guidelines for writing Learning Outcomes</i>																		
General Competences <i>Taking into consideration the general competences that the degree-holder must acquire (as these appear in the Diploma Supplement and appear below), at which of the following does the course aim?</i> <table><tr><td><i>Search for, analysis and synthesis of data and information, with the use of the necessary technology</i></td><td><i>Project planning and management</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>Adapting to new situations</i></td><td><i>Respect for difference and multiculturalism</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>Decision-making</i></td><td><i>Respect for the natural environment</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>Working independently</i></td><td><i>Showing social, professional and ethical responsibility and sensitivity to gender issues</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>Team work</i></td><td><i>Criticism and self-criticism</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>Working in an international environment</i></td><td><i>Production of free, creative and inductive thinking</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>Working in an interdisciplinary environment</i></td><td><i>.....</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>Production of new research ideas</i></td><td><i>Others...</i></td></tr><tr><td></td><td><i>.....</i></td></tr></table>	<i>Search for, analysis and synthesis of data and information, with the use of the necessary technology</i>	<i>Project planning and management</i>	<i>Adapting to new situations</i>	<i>Respect for difference and multiculturalism</i>	<i>Decision-making</i>	<i>Respect for the natural environment</i>	<i>Working independently</i>	<i>Showing social, professional and ethical responsibility and sensitivity to gender issues</i>	<i>Team work</i>	<i>Criticism and self-criticism</i>	<i>Working in an international environment</i>	<i>Production of free, creative and inductive thinking</i>	<i>Working in an interdisciplinary environment</i>	<i>.....</i>	<i>Production of new research ideas</i>	<i>Others...</i>		<i>.....</i>
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Upon completion of the course “Introduction to International Relations” students will be																		

able to distinguish between international and domestic politics. Moreover, they will understand why international politics is more complex and uncontrollable than domestic politics. Students will also answer the question why “power” is at the forefront of international relations. Finally they will be able to analyze the different types of national interests.

(3) SYLLABUS

(4) TEACHING and LEARNING METHODS - EVALUATION

DELIVERY <i>Face-to-face, Distance learning, etc.</i>	Face-to-face	
USE OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY <i>Use of ICT in teaching, laboratory education, communication with students</i>	Use of the e-class platform	
TEACHING METHODS <i>The manner and methods of teaching are described in detail.</i> <i>Lectures, seminars, laboratory practice, fieldwork, study and analysis of bibliography, tutorials, placements, clinical practice, art workshop, interactive teaching, educational visits, project, essay writing, artistic creativity, etc.</i> <i>The student's study hours for each learning activity are given as well as the hours of non-directed study according to the principles of the ECTS</i>	Activity	Semester workload
	Lectures	39 hours (1.56 ECTS)
	Study and analysis of bibliography	83 hours (3.32 ECTS)
	Final exam	3 hours (0.12 ECTS)
	Course total	125 hours (5 ECTS)
STUDENT PERFORMANCE EVALUATION <i>Description of the evaluation procedure</i> <i>Language of evaluation, methods of evaluation, summative or conclusive, multiple choice questionnaires, short-answer questions, open-ended questions, problem solving, written work, essay/report, oral examination, public presentation, laboratory work, clinical examination of patient, art interpretation, other</i> <i>Specifically-defined evaluation criteria are given, and if and where they are accessible to students.</i>	Language of evaluation: Greek Method of evaluation: End of semester exam: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • short-answer questions, • open-ended questions. The evaluation process can be found on the e-claas platform.	

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