**Name of the Course :** ABE204 **-** Seminar

**Medium of the Course :** Turkish

**Aim of the Objective :** The aim of this course is determine a specific issue or problem

in the field of criminalistic, to collect data related to the topic or problem, to analyze and discuss the

data, and to present the results as a report in accordance with the recommended scientific writing rules.

Through the studies conducted on research methods and procedures, it is aimed that the student who takes

the course will have information about how to conduct research and prepare him/her for process of thesis

writing.

**Level of the Course :** Master’s degree

**Type/ Content of the Course :** Compulsory

Topics such as the presentation of subjects, developing the research question, displaying the literature review, determining the research method in the field of criminalistic are all covered in this context.

**Credit of the Course :** 0

**Term / Weekly Hour :** Spring /3

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**Contect Number of Insts. :** 0312 464 75 76

**Program Coordinator :** Prof. Dr. Gökhan İbrahim ÖĞÜNÇ

**Prerequisites : -**

**Teaching Methods :** Theoric; Problem solving; Argument; Preparation of Report and Presentation

**Resources :**

1. Başarılı Sunum Teknikleri, Andrwe Bradbury, Çeviri: H.Elçi, Kaizen Yayıncılık, Ekim 2006
2. Creswell, J. W., & Creswell, J. D. (2021). Araştırma Tasarımı (Engin Karadağ, Çev. Ed.), Nobel Akademik Yayıncılık, Ankara.

**WEEKLY TOPICS**

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| **Weeks** | **Units** |
| **1** | **General information**   1. What is a seminar? 2. Preparing a presentation |
| **2** | **Selection and Discussion of the Topic**   1. Determining the topic that want to work in the thesis 2. Identification of Problem |
| **3** | **Creating Research Questions and Hypotheses**   1. Creating and discussing hypotheses about the selected topic |
| **4** | **Choosing a Research Approach**   1. Determining which method to use 2. Things to consider when choosing a method |
| **5** | **Literature Review Methods**   1. Determining the literature about the selected topic 2. Discussion of literature |
| **6** | **Literature Review Methods**   1. Determining the literature about the selected topic 2. Discussion of literature |
| **7** | ***Midterm*** |
| **8** | **Preparing a Thesis Proposal**   1. Thesis proposal format 2. Writing the thesis proposal |
| **9** | **Summary and Bibliography Writing-I**   1. Selecting the format of the bibliography writing |
| **10** | **Summary and Bibliography Writing-II**   1. Summary writing techniques |
| **11** | **Ethics in Scientific Research**   1. Ethical principles |
| **12** | **Time Management in Thesis Writing**   1. Evaluation of time |
| **13** | **Analyzes on Theses**   1. Presentation and discussion of theses about selected topic |
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| **15** | ***Submission of Seminar article*** |

**EVALUATION SYSTEM**

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| **Semester Studies** | **Number** | **Contribution Margin %** |
| **Attandence** | - | - |
| **Quiz** | - | - |
| **Midterm** | - | - |
| **Practice** | - | - |
| **Project** | - | - |
| **Assignment / Presentation** | 1 | 100 |
| **Final** |  |  |
| **Total** | 1 | 100 |

**ECTS / WORKLOAD TABLE**

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| **ACTIVITES** | **NUMBER** | **DURATION**  **(Hour)** | **Total workload (Hour)** |
| **Theoretical Course (+Practice)** | 14 | 3 | 42 |
| **Duration of Out-of-Class Study** | 14 | 3 | 42 |
| **Presentation/Seminar Preparation** | 1 | 20 | 20 |
| **Project** | - | - | - |
| **Assignments** | - | - | - |
| **Midterm**   1. **Exam** 2. **Individual Study For The Exam** | - | - | - |
| **Final**   1. **Exam** 2. **Individual Study For The Exam** | - | - | - |
| **Total workload (hours)** | 29 | 26 | 104 |
| **ECTS Credit of The Course (Total workload (hours) / 25)** |  |  | **4** |

**COURSE OUTCOMES**

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| **No.** | **Explanation** |
| **O1** | Determines a research topic in the field. |
| **O2** | Prepares a report |
| **O3** | Improves communication skills by presenting and discussing in the community |
| **O4** | Increases research skills. |
| **O5** | Learns the principles of research ethics. |

**PROGRAM QUALIFICATIONS**

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| **No.** | **Explanation** | **Contribution Level of the Course** | | | | | |
| **0** | **1** | **2** | **3** | **4** | **5** |
| **P1** | To have a understanding of forensic science ethics and protection of personal data |  |  |  |  |  | X |
| **P2** | To have a knowledge of the principles and techniques of scientific research. |  |  |  |  |  | X |
| **P3** | To reach proficiency about the effects of forensic sciences on ensuring the rule of law. |  |  |  |  | X |  |
| **P4** | To have theoretical and practical knowledge in the fields of Forensic Science Investigation. |  |  |  |  | X |  |
| **P5** | To recognise the importance of using forensic science methods in criminal investigations. |  |  |  |  | X |  |
| **P6** | To have command of crime scene investigation techniques and forensic photography principles. | X |  |  |  |  |  |
| **P7** | To understand the importance of crime scene investigation process in criminal investigations | X |  |  |  |  |  |
| **P8** | To apply the developments in the fields of positive science to the fields of criminalistics. |  |  |  | X |  |  |
| **P9** | To know and apply the hierarchy of forensic sciences, which are multidisciplinary and interdisciplinary, and their relations with each other. |  |  |  |  | X |  |
| **P10** | To have basic theoretical and practical knowledge in at least one of the fields of criminalistics. |  |  |  |  |  | X |
| **P11** | To be able to relate the results of reports prepared by forensic science laboratories to the criminal investigation by reasoning. | X |  |  |  |  |  |
| **P12** | To recognise the legal responsibilities of the expert witness and to internalise the ethical rules. |  |  |  |  |  | X |

**CONTRIBUTION OF COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES TO PROGRAM PROFICIENCY**

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| **All** | **P1** | **P2** | **P3** | **P4** | **P5** | **P6** | **P7** | **P8** | **P9** | **P10** | **P11** | **P12** |
| **O1** | **5** | **4** | **3** | **4** | **2** | **2** | **4** | **4** | **5** | **5** | **3** | **5** |
| **O2** | **5** | **5** | **4** | **4** | **4** | **2** | **4** | **4** | **5** | **5** | **3** | **5** |
| **O3** | **5** | **5** | **5** | **4** | **4** | **2** | **3** | **4** | **4** | **5** | **4** | **5** |
| **O4** | **5** | **5** | **5** | **5** | **5** | **2** | **3** | **4** | **4** | **5** | **3** | **5** |
| **O5** | **5** | **5** | **5** | **5** | **5** | **2** | **2** | **4** | **4** | **5** | **3** | **5** |

**0- None 1- Very Low 2- Low 3- Moderate 4- High 5- Very High**

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