



MARMARA UNIVERSITY Faculty of Arts and Sciences

Chemistry Department

SYLLABUS

2016-2017 FALL

Course level: Lisans (First Cycle)

Course Code	Course Name	Course Type	Course Pool (if exists)	Weekly Course		Local Credit	ECTS Credit	Semester
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CHEM4352	Forensic Drug Chemistry	Zorunlu		2		3	3	7

Prerequisite (Ders Kodu ve Adı, Min Harfli Başarı Notu)	Prerequisite to (Ders Kodu ve Adı, Min Harfli Başarı Notu)	Weekly Time & Classroom Schedule (Gün, Saat Aralığı, Derslik)

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Course Objectives	This course provides an introduction to the basic principles and uses of forensic drug chemistry. Students will learn how to apply the chemistry to identify the illegal substances within the criminal justice system. The course provides the background needed to enable the student to gain entry into a State forensic laboratory in the sub-specialty of forensic drugs, especially narcotics and dangerous drugs.
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Textbooks and or References	Course Web page:	
	1.	Tosun M, Madde Bağımlılığına Genel Bakış, İ.U. Cerranpaşa Tıp Fakültesi Sürekli Tıp Eğitimi Etkinlikleri, Sempozyum Dizisi No:62, 2008; 201-220
	2.	Davidson C. New psychoactive substances, Progneuropsychopharmacol. Biol. Psychiatry, 2012; 39:219-220
	3.	Huffman JW, Dai D, Martin BR, Compton DR. Design, Synthesis and Pharmacology of Cannabimimetic Indoles, Bioorg. Med. Chem. Lett., 1994; 4:563-566

Course Learning Outcomes	1.	Be able to describe the various aspects of duties of a forensic drug chemist
	2.	Be able to describe the various drugs categories and pharmaceutical similarities and differences as they apply to the different legal categories of controlled substances.
	3.	Be able to learn what makes a drug illegal.
	4.	Be able to learn the harmful effects of drugs.

Program Outcomes x Course Learning Outcomes Matrix	Program Outcomes															1:Weak; 2:Medium; 3:Strong
	PK1	PK2	PK3	PK4	PK5	PK6	PK7	PK8	PK9	PK10	PK11	PK12	PK13	PK14	PK15	Course Learning Outcomes
	3						2						2	3		DK1. Be able to describe ...
	3						3						2	3		DK2. Be able to describe ...
	3		3				2						2	3		DK3. Be able to learn wha...
	3											2		3		DK4. Be able to learn the...
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Language or Instruction	Learning Activities and Teaching Methods				Course Presentation Form			
	Lecture supported by power point slides, illustrations, blackboard notes and discussion.				Lecture supported by power point slides, illustrations, blackboard notes and discussion.			
Week	Date	Weekly Course Content					Reference No - Section	
1. Week		Introduction						
2. Week		Principles of Forensic Drug Chemistry						
3. Week		What makes a drug illegal?						
4. Week		Probable and Affirmative Tests for Forensic Drug Chemistry I						
5. Week		Probable and Affirmative Tests for Forensic Drug Chemistry II						
6. Week		Classification of Forensic Drugs						
7. Week		Synthetic Forensic Drugs I						
8. Week		Midterm Exam						
9. Week		Synthetic Forensic Drugs II						
10. Week		Legal Drugs						
11. Week		Addictive Substances						
12. Week		How to Distinguish Legal and Illegal Drugs?						
13. Week		Nucleotides and Nucleic Acids: Structure, chemistry, function						
14. Week		Analysis of Forensic Drugs						
15. Week		Forensic Case Samples						
16. Week		Study Week						
17. Week		Final Exam						
Evaluation Tool		YSSL (BDS)	BNAL (BDS)	BDKL (BDS)	Calculation of Grade			
Bağıl Değerlendirme Sistemi (BDS)								
Evaluation Tools and Weight %	Evaluation Tools		Quantity	Date	Weight in Total (%)	Weight in Semester Evaluation (%)		
	Final Exam				60.00	100.00		
	Final-Make up Exam (if exists)				60.00	100.00		
	Semester Evaluation Tools				40.00	100.00		
	Midterm Exam(s)				40.00	100.00		
	Quiz(es)							
	Project							
	Homework							
	Laboratory/Atelier							
	Presentation / Seminar / Demo							
	Research / Report / Other							
	Attendance							
Student Workload Calculation								
Tool	Weekly Avr. Hour	Semester Total Hour	Tool	Weekly Avr. Hour	Semester Total Hour	Tool	Weekly Avr. Hour	Semester Total hour
Theoretical Hours	2.00	28	Midterm Exam and Preparation		20	Atelier and Preparation		
Applied Hours			Quiz and Preparation			Presentation/Seminar/Demo and Preparation		
Pre-class Self Study	1.00	14	Project and Preparation			Research/ Report/ Other and Preparation		
Pre-application/Post-application Self Study			Homework and Preparation			Final Exam and Preparation		20
Total Student Workload Hours:		82	1 ECTS Credit = 25 Student Workload Hours			Workload Calculation: Hesap Doğru		