

Vocational School of Social Sciences / Human Resource Management

2024 - 2025 Academic Year

SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY

Syllabus

Course Description					
Name	Code	Semester	T+A Hour	Credit	ECTS
SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY	İK1127880	Fall Semester	3+0	3	4
Prerequisites Courses					
Recommended Elective Courses					
Language of Instruction	Turkish				
Course Level	Short Cycle (Associate's Degree)				
Course Type	Required				
Course Coordinator	Lect. Burcu DABAKOĞLU				
Name of Lecturer(s)	Lect. Burcu DABAKOĞLU				
Assistant(s)					
Aim	The aim of this course is to introduce students to the study subjects, approaches and research methods of social psychology.				
Course Content	This course contains; Introduction to social psychology ,Method in social psychology,Social cognition,Social perception ,Social perception,Personality,Personality,Cognitive dissonance ,Attitudes and attitude change ,Attitudes and attitude change,Attitudes and attitude change,General discussions.				
Course Learning Outcomes			Teaching Methods	Assessment Methods	
1. Will be able to discuss the features that distinguish social psychology from other fields that study similar topics.			12, 16, 19, 37, 9	A	
1.1. Explains the basic concepts of social psychology.			9		
2. Will be able to define the basic theories and concepts that explain social perception, social cognition, self and attitudes.			10, 19, 37, 9	A	
2.1. Explains the principles of social psychology.			9		
3. Will be able to relate basic theories and concepts explaining social perception, social cognition, self and attitudes to everyday and/or social phenomena.			10, 19, 9	A	
3.1. Relates and applies the theoretical knowledge learned through practice.			9		
4. Will be able to describe the impact of social influence on human cognition and behavior.			10, 16, 19, 37, 9	A	
4.1. Explains different theoretical approaches to human cognition and behavior.			9		
5. Will be able to discuss to what extent studies conducted in the field of social psychology can be generalized across different cultures and times.			10, 16, 19, 9	A	
5.1. Explains theoretical approaches related to social psychology.			9		
Teaching Methods	10: Discussion Method, 12: Problem Solving Method, 16: Question - Answer Technique, 19: Brainstorming Technique, 37: Computer-Internet Supported Instruction, 9: Lecture Method				
Assessment Methods	A: Traditional Written Exam				
Lecture Schedule					
Sequence	Topics	Preliminary Preparation			
1	Introduction to social psychology	Aronson, E., Wilson T. D., Akert, R. M. & S. R. Sommers (2015). Part 1, pp. 1-23			
2	Method in social psychology	Aronson, E., Wilson T. D., Akert, R. M. & S. R. Sommers (2015).Part 2, pp. 23-51			
3	Social cognition	Aronson, E., Wilson T. D., Akert, R. M. & S. R. Sommers (2015). Part 3, pp. 51-84			
4	Social perception	Aronson, E., Wilson T. D., Akert, R. M. & S. R. Sommers (2015). Part 4, pp. 84-119			
5	Social perception	Aronson, E., Wilson T. D., Akert, R. M. & S. R. Sommers (2015). Part 4, pp. 84-119			
6	Personality	Aronson, E., Wilson T. D., Akert, R. M. & S. R. Sommers (2015). Part 5, pp. 119-157			
8	Personality	Aronson, E., Wilson T. D., Akert, R. M. & S. R. Sommers (2015).Part 5, pp. 119-157			
9	Cognitive dissonance	Aronson, E., Wilson T. D., Akert, R. M. & S. R. Sommers (2015).Part 6, pp. 157-188			
10	Cognitive dissonance	Aronson, E., Wilson T. D., Akert, R. M. & S. R. Sommers (2015). Part 6, pp. 157-188			
11	Attitudes and attitude change	Aronson, E., Wilson T. D., Akert, R. M. & S. R. Sommers (2015). Part 7, pp. 188-226			
12	Attitudes and attitude change	Aronson, E., Wilson T. D., Akert, R. M. & S. R. Sommers (2015). Part 7, pp. 188-226			
13	Attitudes and attitude change	Aronson, E., Wilson T. D., Akert, R. M. & S. R. Sommers (2015). Part 7, pp. 188-226			
14	General discussions				
Evaluation Methods		Weight(%)			
Midterm Exam		40			
General Exam		60			

Resources
Aronson, E., Wilson T. D., Akert, R. M. & S. R. Sommers (2015). Social Psychology (9th Edition). Prentice Hall: Pearson EducationDoğan Cüceloğlu "İnsan ve Davranışı" Remzi Kitapevi, İstanbul, 2012 Nevzat Tarhan "Toplum Psikolojisi" Timaş Yayınları, İstanbul, 2014 Çiğdem Kağıtçıbaşı "Günümüzde İnsan ve İnsanlar" Evrim Publications, 2015