

DEMOCRITUS UNIVERSITY OF THRACE

Department of Language, Literature and Culture of the Black Sea Countries

Undergraduate Courses

Academic year 2014-15

Cycle A (1st-4th semesters)

1st semester				2nd semester			
Compulsory Courses	H/W	code	ECTS	Compulsory Courses	H/W	code	ECTS
One of the following languages:				One of the following languages:			
Bulgarian I	6	YB1	7	Bulgarian II	6	YB6	7
Romanian I	6	YP1	7	Romanian II	6	YP6	7
Russian I	6	YPE1	7	Russian II	6	YPE6	7
Turkish I	6	YT1	7	Turkish II	6	YT6	7
Introduction to linguistics	3	Y2	5	An ethnographic overview of the Black Sea region	3	Y7	5
Folklore studies and the Black Sea region: theoretical issues	3	Y3	5	Greeks in the Black Sea region throughout antiquity	3	Y8	5
Introduction to translation studies	3	Y4	5	Contemporary politics in the Black Sea Countries	3	Y9	5
Contemporary political, financial and social institutions in the Black Sea region	3	Y5	5	Theoretical aspects of terminology	3	Y10	5
Optional Courses	H/W	code	ECTS	Optional Courses	H/W	code	ECTS
Information Technology I	3	YE1	4	Information Technology II	3	YE5	4
Introduction to international society structure	3	YE2	4	Mythologies of the Black Sea region	3	YE6	4
Greek communities in Late Ottoman Empire	3	YE3	4	Greek Communities in modern Turkey	3	YE7	4
One of the 4 languages: Russian, Bulgarian, Turkish, Rumanian	6	YE4	4	One of the 4 languages: Russian, Bulgarian, Turkish, Rumanian	6	YE8	4

3rd semester

4th semester

Compulsory courses	H/W	code	ECTS
One of the following languages: Bulgarian III Romanian III Russian III Turkish III	6 6 6 6	YB 11 YP 11 YΠΣ 11 YT 11	7 7 7 7
Semantics	3	Y12	5
Folklore of the Pontic Hellenism	3	Y13	5
Religions in the Black Sea region	3	Y14	5
Optional Courses	H/W	code	ECTS
Information Technology III	3	YE9	4
General Pedagogics	3	YE10	4
One of the 4 languages: Russian, Bulgarian, Turkish, Rumanian	3	YE11	4
Archaeological research in ancient Greek settlements of the Black Sea region	3	YE12	4
Language learning – language acquisition	3	YE13	4

Compulsory courses	H/W	code	ECTS
One of the following languages: Bulgarian IV Romanian IV Russian IV Turkish IV	6 6 6 6	YB 15 YP 15 YΠΣ 15 YT15	7 7 7 7
The Black Sea countries and the global economical environment	3	Y16	5
Introduction to the world of Islam	3	Y17	5
Didactics of Language	3	Y18	5
Optional Courses	H/W	code	ECTS
Information Technology and scientific research	3	YE14	4
Comparative Greek – Balkan folklore	3	YE15	4
One of the 4 languages: Russian, Bulgarian, Turkish, Rumanian	3	YE16	4
Translation studies	3	YE17	4
Elements of Public International Law	3	YE18	4

Cycle B (5th – 8th semester)

Specialization in Bulgarian Language, Literature and Culture

5th semester			
Compulsory courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Bulgarian V	6	YB 19	7
History of Bulgaria I	3	YB 20	5
Bulgarian literature I	3	YB 21	5
History of Bulgarian language	3	YB 22	5
Didactics of Literature	3	Y 23	5
Optional Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Greek policy issues in the Black Sea region	3	YE 19	4
Language teaching: focusing on Black Sea Countries	3	YE 20	4
Dionysus and Orpheus in Thrace	3	YE 21	4
History of Thrace in modern times	3	YE 22	4

6th semester			
Compulsory Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Bulgarian VI	6	YB 24	7
History of Bulgaria II	3	YB 25	5
Bulgarian literature II	3	YB 26	5
Bulgarian Culture	3	YB 27	5
Historical and Comparative Linguistics	3	Y 28	5
Optional Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Aspects of vocabulary research and vocabulary teaching	3	YE 23	4
Teaching Literature: focusing on the Black Sea Countries	3	YE 24	4
Classical Archaeology	3	YE 25	4
Turkish Society and culture	3	YE 26	4

7 th semester			
Obligatory Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Bulgarian VII	3	YB 29	7
Bulgarian literature III	3	YB 30	5
Translating from and into Bulgarian	3	YB 31	5
Teaching methodology of Bulgarian language and literature	3	YB 32	5
International legal protection of human rights	3	Y 33	5
Optional Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Ethnography and social / cultural history of Russia (18 th -19 th century)	3	YE27	4
Translating Modern Greek legal terminology	3	YE28	4
Practical exercises on teaching Bulgarian as a foreign language I	3	YE29	4
From the multiethnic Ottoman empire to the national state of Turkey I	3	YE30	4
Entrepreneurship	3	YE35	4

8 th semester			
Obligatory Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Bulgarian VIII	3	YB34	7
Special aspects of translating from and into Bulgarian	3	YB35	5
Bulgarian literature IV	3	YB36	5
International protection of minorities and their status in the Black Sea region	3	Y37	5
Optional Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Philological Folklore in Greece and the Balkans	3	YE31	4
Intercultural Pedagogics	3	YE32	4
Practical exercises on teaching Bulgarian as a foreign language II	3	YE33	4
From the multiethnic Ottoman empire to the national state of Turkey II	3	YE34	4

Cycle B

Specialization in Romanian language, literature and culture

5th semester			
Obligatory Courses	H/W	code	ECTS
Romanian V	6	YP 19	7
History of Romanian language	3	YP 20	5
History of Romanian literature I	3	YP 21	5
Romanian History I	3	YP 22	5
Didactics of Literature	3	Y 23	5
Optional Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Greek policy issues in the Black Sea region today	3	YE 19	4
Language teaching: focusing on Black Sea Countries	3	YE 20	4
Dionysus and Orpheus in Thrace	3	YE 21	4
History of Thrace in modern times	3	YE 22	4

6th semester			
Obligatory Courses	H/W	code	ECTS
Romanian VI	6	YP24	7
Romanian culture	3	YP25	5
History of Romanian literature II	3	YP26	5
Romanian History II	3	YP27	5
Historical and Comparative Linguistics	3	Y 28	5
Optional Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Vocabulary research and vocabulary teaching	3	YE 23	4
Teaching Literature: focusing on the Black Sea Countries	3	YE 24	4
Classical Archaeology	3	YE 25	4
Turkish society and culture	3	YE 26	4

7 th semester			
Obligatory courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Romanian VII	3	YP29	7
Romanian literature III	3	YP30	5
Translating from and into Romanian	3	YP31	5
Teaching methodology of Romanian language and literature I	3	YP32	5
International legal protection of human rights	3	Y33	5
Optional Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Ethnography and social / cultural history of Russia (18 th -19 th century)	3	YE27	4
Translating Modern Greek legal terminology	3	YE28	4
Practical exercises on teaching Romanian as a foreign language I	3	YE29	4
From the multiethnic Ottoman empire to the national state of Turkey I	3	YE30	4
Entrepreneurship	3	YE35	

8 th semester			
Obligatory Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Romanian VIII	3	YP 34	7
Special aspects of translating from and into Romanian	3	YP 35	5
Romanian literature IV	3	YP 36	5
International protection of minorities and their status in the Black Sea region	3	Y 37	5
Optional Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Philological Folklore in Greece and the Balkans	3	YE 31	4
Intercultural Pedagogics	3	YE 32	4
Practical exercises on teaching Romanian as a foreign language II	3	YE 33	4
From the multiethnic Ottoman empire to the national state of Turkey II	3	YE 34	4

Cycle B

Specialization in Russian language, literature and culture

5th semester				6th semester			
Obligatory courses	H/W	code	ECTS	Obligatory courses	H/W	code	ECTS
Russian V	6	YPΣ19	7	Russian VI	6	YPΣ24	7
History of Russian language	3	YPΣ 20	5	Russian culture	3	YPΣ25	5
Russian literature I	3	YPΣ 21	5	Russian literature II	3	YPΣ26	5
Russian history I	3	YPΣ 22	5	Russian history II	3	YPΣ27	5
Didactics of Literature	3	Y23	5	Historical and Comparative Linguistics	3	Y28	5
Optional Courses	H/W	code	ECTS	Optional Courses	H/W	code	ECTS
Greek policy issues in the Black Sea region today	3	YE 19	4	Vocabulary research and vocabulary teaching	3	YE23	4
Language teaching: focusing on Black Sea Countries	3	YE 20	4	Teaching Literature: focusing on the Black Sea Countries	3	YE24	4
Dionysus and Orpheus in Thrace	3	YE 21	4	Classical Archaeology	3	YE25	4
History of Thrace in modern times	3	YE 22	4	Turkish Society and culture	3	YE26	4

7 th semester			
Obligatory courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Russian VII	3	YPΣ29	7
Russian Literature III	3	YPΣ30	5
Translating from and into Russian	3	YPΣ31	5
Didactics of Russian language and literature	3	YPΣ32	5
International legal protection of human rights	3	Y33	5
Optional Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Ethnography and social / cultural history of Russia (18 th -19 th century)	3	YE27	4
Translating Modern Greek legal terminology	3	YE28	4
Practical exercises on teaching Russian as a foreign language I	3	YE29	4
From the multiethnic Ottoman empire to the national state of Turkey I	3	YE30	4
Entrepreneurship	3	YE35	

8 th semester			
Obligatory courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Russian VIII	3	YPΣ 34	7
Special aspects of translating from and into Russian	3	YPΣ 35	5
Russian Literature IV	3	YPΣ 36	5
International protection of minorities and their status in the Black Sea region	3	Y 37	5
Optional Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Philological Folklore in Greece and the Balkans	3	YE31	4
Intercultural Pedagogics	3	YE32	4
Practical exercises on teaching Russian as a foreign language II	3	YE33	4
From the multiethnic Ottoman empire to the national state of Turkey II	3	YE34	4

Cycle B

Specialisation in Turkish language, literature and culture

5th semester				6th semester			
Obligatory courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS	Obligatory courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Turkish V	6	YT19	7	Turkish VI	6	YT 24	7
Ottoman history (texts) I	3	YT 20	5	Ottoman history (texts) II	3	YT 25	5
Ottoman and Turkish history (19th -20th cent.) I	3	YT 21	5	Ottoman and Turkish history (19th -20th cent.) II	3	YT 26	5
Turkish language and philology I	3	YT 22	5	Turkish language and philology II	3	YT 27	5
Didactics of literature	3	Y 23	5	Historical and Comparative linguistics	3	Y 28	5
Optional Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS	Optional Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Greek policy issues in the Black Sea region today	3	YE 19	4	Vocabulary research and vocabulary teaching	3	YE 23	4
Language teaching: focusing on Black Sea Countries	3	YE 20	4	Teaching Literature: focusing on the Black Sea Countries	3	YE 24	4
Dionysus and Orpheus in Thrace	3	YE 21	4	Classical Archaeology	3	YE 25	4
History of Thrace in modern times	3	YE 22	4	Turkish Society and culture	3	YE 26	4

7 th semester			
Obligatory courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Turkish VII	3	YT29	7
Ottoman language I	3	YT30	5
Turkish language and philology III	3	YT31	5
History of Turkish language	3	YT32	5
International legal protection of human rights	3	Y33	5
Optional Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Ethnography and social / cultural history of Russia (18 th -19 th century)	3	YE27	4
Translating Modern Greek legal terminology	3	YE28	4
Practical exercises on teaching Turkish as a foreign language I	3	YE29	4
From the multi-ethnic Ottoman empire to the national state of Turkey I	3	YE30	4
Entrepreneurship	3	YE35	

8 th semester			
Obligatory courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Turkish VIII	3	YT34	7
Ottoman language II	3	YT35	5
Turkish language and philology IV	3	YT36	5
International protection of minorities and their status in the Black Sea region	3	Y37	5
Optional Courses	H/W	CODE	ECTS
Philological Folklore in Greece and the Balkans	3	YE31	4
Intercultural Pedagogics	3	YE32	4
Practical exercises on teaching Turkish as a foreign language II	3	YE33	4
From the multi-ethnic Ottoman empire to the national state of Turkey II		YE34	4

Please note the following

- Students are expected to meet successfully the requirements of 10 different optional courses (marked as YE) in order to graduate
- Students are allowed to choose no more than 2 optional courses each semester in order to fulfil the above requirement. They are also allowed to choose just 1 or none at any given semester.
- They may choose from optional courses offered at any semester.
- The above regulation does not cover the language courses offered as optional subjects during 1st through 4th semesters. These courses, once selected, should be followed all the way through.