

Course Title	Code	Semester	Theoretical (hours/week)	Practice (hours/week)	Laboratory (hours/week)	ECTS
Doctoral Thesis I	FTR631	5	0	0	0	20
Prerequisites	Successful completion of the doctoral qualification exam					
Course Language	Turkish					
Course Type	Compulsory					
Teaching Methods	Lecture, Question–Answer, Practice–Exercise					
Instructor(s)						
Course Objective	To enable the student to plan and complete the doctoral thesis under the supervision of an assigned faculty advisor.					
Course Learning Outcomes	1. Determines the thesis topic in light of the literature reviewed. 2. Prepares a doctoral thesis. 3. Presents the prepared thesis.					
References	Scientific publications related to the thesis topic.					

WEEKLY COURSE TOPICS

Weeks	DISCUSSION TOPICS TO BE PROCESSED
1.	Determination of research topics with the advisor
2.	Literature review on selected topics
3.	Literature review on selected topics
4.	Review of the determined research topics in light of the literature
5.	Review of the determined research topics in light of the literature
6.	Review of the determined research topics in light of the literature
7.	Selection of one research topic based on the information collected
8.	Planning of the thesis study on the selected topic
9.	Implementation of the thesis study on the selected topic
10.	Implementation of the thesis study on the selected topic
11.	Implementation of the thesis study on the selected topic
12.	Implementation of the thesis study on the selected topic
13.	Implementation of the thesis study on the selected topic
14.	Implementation of the thesis study on the selected topic
15.	Evaluation of the work conducted related to the thesis

ECTS / WORK LOAD TABLE

Activities	Number	Duration	Total Work Load
Course			
Laboratory			
Practice			
Field Study	14	20	280
Outclass course work hours (Self working / Teamwork / Preliminary work)	14	10	140
Presentations (Video preparation / Poster preparation / Oral presentation / Focus group discussion / Applying questionnaire/ Observation and report writing)	2	20	40
Seminars			
Project	2	20	40
Case study			
Role playing, dramatization			
Preparing and criticizing article			
Semester midterm exams			
Semester final exams			
Total Work Load (hour) / 25(s)	500/25		
ECTS	20		

EVALUATION SYSTEM

Midterm Studies	Number	Contribution
Midterm exam		
Quiz		
Laboratory		
Practice		
Field Study	1	%25
Specific practical training (If exists)		
Homework assignment		
Presentation and seminar		
Projects	1	%25
Other evaluation methods		
Total of Midterm Studies		%50
Final Studies		
Final		
Homework assignment	1	%50
Practice		
Laboratory		
Total of Final Studies		%50
Contribution of midterm studies to course grade		%50
Contribution of final studies to course grade		%50
Total Grade		100

RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES AND PROGRAM QUALIFICATIONS

Program Qualifications		Learning Outcomes		
		LO1	LO2	LO3
1.	Accesses, interprets and applies advanced and original information in the field of physiotherapy and rehabilitation,		4	
2.	Plans and conducts original research that will contribute to the field using scientific methods.	5	5	
3.	With the awareness of lifelong learning, she follows current developments and technologies in her/his field, develops existing methods and techniques, designs and implements new applications.			
4.	Adopts and applies an evidence-based approach in clinical decision-making processes. Acts in accordance with ethical principles in research and practice.	5	5	
5.	Establishes effective collaboration in interdisciplinary projects, plans, manages and executes scientific projects. Effectively shares scientific knowledge on national and international platforms.	4	4	
6.	Performs advanced clinical and laboratory practices in various areas of expertise. Contributes to undergraduate and graduate educational activities and mentors students.			
7.	Contributes to the creation of health policies that improve rehabilitation services and community health..			
8.	Knowledge of statistical methods commonly used in health studies. Selects, applies, and interprets appropriate statistical methods.	5		
9.	Contributes to expanding the boundaries of knowledge in the field by publishing at least one scientific article in national and/or international refereed journals.			5

Contribution to the level of proficiency: 1: Low 2: Low/Moderate 3: Moderate 4: High 5: Excellent