

## Module Layout

### ENΔ511 Contemporary World: The political condition

<b>Faculty</b>	ΣAKE	Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences	
<b>Programme of Study</b>	ENΔ	Communication and New Journalism II	
<b>Module</b>	ENΔ511	Contemporary World: the political condition	
<b>Level of Study</b>	<b>Undergraduate</b>		<b>Graduate</b>
		<b>Master</b> X	<b>Doctoral</b>
<b>Language of Instruction</b>	Greek		
<b>Mode of Delivery</b>	Distance		
<b>Module Type</b>	<b>Required</b>		<b>Electives</b>
	X		
<b>Number of Group Consulting Meetings</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Physical Presence</b>	<b>Online</b>
	8	-	8
<b>Number of Assignments</b>	2		
<b>Final Grade Calculation</b>	<b>Assignments</b>	<b>Weekly Activities</b>	<b>Final Exam</b>
	30 %	20 %	50 %
<b>Number of European Credit Transfer System (ECTS)</b>	10		

#### Module Description

This module aims to assist students to recognise how politics and power rule society and determines the hierarchical relations within it. Additionally, to offer a strong theoretical background that would assist students' reflection on the evaluation of their personal perspectives about the Media. Those will serve as the background on which to develop specialised techniques and professional capacities in journalism and communication in the second year. Finally, it offers an introduction to academic research (including assessment of bibliographical information), critical thinking (focusing on the assessment and development of argumentation) and academic writing (with information on academic style and formation of bibliography).

#### The Module focuses on the:

1. Introduction to academic research
2. Philosophy and the contemporary world
3. Critical thinking and contemporary world
4. Political science and contemporary world
5. History and contemporary world
6. International relations and contemporary world
7. Political economy and contemporary world

#### Pre-requisite Modules

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#### Co-requisite Modules

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#### Grading Scheme

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<i>Assessment Method</i>	<i>Percentage on Final Grade</i>	<i>Workload</i>	
		<i>Hours</i>	<i>ECTS</i>
<i>Weekly Study</i>	0 %	125'-150'	5
<i>Communication with the instructor and fellow-students</i>	0 %	25'-30'	1
<i>Weekly Interactive Activities</i>	20 %	25'-30'	1
<i>Assignment 1</i>	15 %	37'-50'	1.5
<i>Assignment 2</i>	15 %	37'-50'	1.5
<i>Final/Repeat Examination</i>	50 %	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>250-300</b>	<b>10</b>

#### **Grading Rules and Assessment methods**

- Students are evaluated with 9, if they earn 90% of the possible grade, i.e.  $90\% \cdot 10 = 9$ , etc.
- Passing rate
  - 50% of the Assignments
  - 50% of the Interactive Activities
  - Students are allowed to participate in the final exam of a Module if they have overall earned the minimum grade ( $\geq 50\%$ ) in both their Assignments and Interactive Activities
  - 50% of the Final exam

If a student earns a grade with decimal points, then it is rounded to the nearest half unit.