



Code	Subject Title	Cr. Hrs	Semester
HIS-403	History of the Ottoman Empire (1288-1924)	3	VII
Year	Discipline		
4	History	·	

Objectives:

Brief Description:

Being placed at the center of the three continents of the world – Asia, Africa and Europe – the Ottoman Empire occupied a special place in Islamic history. The course deals with the origin, growth and decline of this Empire. The study of administrative structures and cultural achievements of the Ottomans is a special feature of this course.

1. Aims & Objectives:

After studying this course, the students will be able to:

- ➤ Comprehend the territorial growth and political developments in the Ottoman Empire.
- > Understand the achievements of the Ottomans in the fields of education, art and culture
- Appreciate their military and naval administration and achievements

2. Contents:

- ❖ Advent of Ottoman Turks in Anatolia and foundation of the Empire by Osman.
- ❖ Aurkhan : Establishment of the Empire.
- ❖ Murad I: Battle of Kasowa.
- ❖ Bayazid Yildirim: Battle of Angora.
- ❖ Muhammad I : Consolidation of the Empire.
- ❖ Muhammad II : Conquest of Constantinople.
- ❖ Salim I: Conquest of the Middle East, Establishment of the Khilafat.
- ❖ Sulaiman the Magnificent : His achievements and administration.
- Later Sultans: This period will be studied under the following heads:
- ❖ Different Reforms, Eastern Question, Young Turks Movement.
- ❖ Central and Provincial Administration
- Causes of the downfall of the Ottoman Empire.

Basic Recommended Books:

- Shaw, Kural and Shaw, Staford. History of the Ottoman Empire and Modern Turkey 2 Vols.
- Muhammad Aziz. Daulat-i-Usmania

Additional Recommended Books:

• Harold Lamb Suleman the Magnificent.

• Peter Mansfield The Ottoman Empire and its Successors.

• Cassels, Lavender The Struggle for the Ottoman Empire, 1707-1740.

• Gibbsons, H. A. &

• Shaw, Stanford J. Foundation of the Ottoman Empire.

Muhammad Aziz. Tarkan-i-Usmania.

• University of the Punjab. Urdu Dairah Ma'rif-i-Islamia