**Course structure**

**Concepts of Political thought**

**Part 01**

Political thought and political philosophy

Political thought and political science, political sociology

State formation theories

Theocracy in the old civilizations

**The political thought in the old age**

**Part 02**

Oriental political thought

Babylonian civilization

Pharaonic era

Indian civilization

Chinese civilization

The city-state system

Occidental political thought (the Greek Era)

The city-state models

Political philosophy in the old occidental political thought

The social system

The economic system

The political system

The city-state system

The city-state models

State of Athens

State of Sparta

Political philosophy in the old occidental political thought

Socrates

Plato

Aristotle

**The political thought in the roman age**

**Part 03**

The system of the roman empire

The system of the Italian States

State of Rome

Political philosophy in the roman age: Cicero / Seneca

**The political thought in the medieval age**

**Part 04**

The Christian law in confrontation with the roman law

The clash between the religious authority and secular powers

The Christian political philosophy

Islamic political thought

Basics and principles of Christian thought

The Christian political philosophy

St Augustine political philosophy

Thomas Aquinas political philosophy

Al fiqh view: Ibn Taymiyyah, al-Mawardi

Islamic political thought

Philosophical view: al- Farabi, Ibn Sina

Sociological view: Ibn khaldun

Final Examination for the lecture + continuous evaluation for the tutorial classes

**Grading**