



The graduate program in Political Science at Sabancı University provides integrated training at MA and PhD levels. The program offers a comprehensive and up-to-date review of the major fields of Political Science and provides the students with a rigorous conceptual framework, basic analytical tools and sound methodological training in the discipline. The program covers the major fields of Political Science (Comparative Politics, International Relations, Political Theory) and offers a rich set of specialization possibilities. With a thematic concentration on Turkish Politics, European Politics and methodologies, the program stands out among its competitors in Turkey by its courses and faculty members specializing in formal theory and the production and analysis of quantitative evidence.

While some graduates of the MA program choose to pursue their careers in business, public administration or other professions, others enroll in PhD programs abroad or they move up to our integrated PhD program.

### RESEARCH AREAS

- Development
- Elections and Electoral Behavior
- Ethnicity/ethnic conflict
- European Politics
- European Integration
- Gender and Peace
- Globalization
- Institutions
- Latin American Politics
- Political Economy
- Political Methodology
- Political Polarization
- Sociology of Religions
- Turkey-EU Relations
- Turkish Political Thought

### BENEFITS PROVIDED FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS

- Full Tuition Waiver
- Monthly Stipend
- Housing & Transportation
- \*On-Campus Housing
- \*Transportation Support (if not staying on campus)
- Private Health Insurance Package
- Travel & Research Support
- \*Conference Travel Grants
- \*Scientific Publications Incentive Program
- Tech & Resources
- \*Laptop Delivery
- \*Access to Research Software Programs

### FACULTY MEMBERS

- Ahmet Faik Kurtulmuş
- Ayşe Betül Çelik
- Ayşe Kadioğlu
- Berk Esen
- Fatih Serkant Adıgüzel
- Meltem Müftüler Baç
- Mert Moral
- Oya Yeğen
- Özge Kemahlioğlu
- Senem Aydın Düzgit
- Zeynep Gülrü Göker

### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Official Transcript (Required)
- Two Letters of Recommendation (Required)
- Statement of Purpose (Required)
- ALES, GRE, or GAT scores (Required)
- English Proficiency Exam (TOEFL IBT, PTE Academic, CAE, CPE, YDS, e-YDS or YÖKDİL (Required)
- CV (Required)
- Diploma for Master's Degree with Thesis (Required for PhD applications)
- Writing Sample Work (Required)

### FOR MORE INFORMATION

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### ONLINE APPLICATION

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