Course Description Form

1. Course Name
Introduction to the Study of Islamic Law
2. Course Code
FS-11-IN
3. Semester / Year
First Semester / Phase One / Academic Year 2026-2027
4. Date this description was prepared
1/8/2026
5. Available Forms of Attendance
Morning – Evening
6. Number of Hours (Total) / Number of Credits (Total)
30 Hours/Two Units
7. Course administrator name (if more than one name mentioned)
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8. Course Objectives

Cognitive Goals	Course Objectives
The student will be able to: 1- Defines Sharia and jurisprudence in language and terminology.2- Explains the origin, development and characteristics of jurisprudence.3- Explains the factors of its renaissance and rigidity.4- Explains its relationship with Sharia and law.5- Explains ijtihad and tradition and their conditions. 6- Distinguishes mandatory and positive rulings, money and property. **Skill Objectives** **The student will be able to:** 1- Compares Sharia, jurisprudence and law.2- Analyzes jurisprudential texts and examples.3- Classifies mandatory and positive rulings.4- Applies	**The course aims to make the student able to:** 1- Identifying the concepts of Sharia and jurisprudence and the origin and development of jurisprudence.2- Explaining the relationship between jurisprudence and Sharia and law.3- Clarifying ijtihad and tradition and their conditions.4- Understanding the mandatory and positive Shari'a ruling.5- Identifying the Qur'an and its sections, money and property.

the concepts of ijtihad and tradition.5- Uses approved legal and jurisprudential sources.6- Prepares a brief report on the course topics. **Value Goals** **The student will be able to:** 1. Appreciates the status of Sharia and jurisprudence. 2. Committed to scientific honesty and respect for opinions. 3. Objectivity and moderation. 4. Feels responsible for preserving rights and funds. 5. Cherishes the Islamic jurisprudential heritage.	

9. Teaching and Learning Strategies

Interactive lecture, discussion and dialogue, analysis of texts and jurisprudential examples, collaborative learning, brainstorming, concept maps, and short assignments.	**Strategy**

10. Course Structure

Evaluation Method	Learning method	Unit Name or Subject	Required Learning Outcomes	Watches	The week
Oral Questions	Interactive Lecture	Definition of Sharia and jurisprudence in language and idiom	He knows Sharia and jurisprudence.	2	1
Classroom Activity	Discussion and Dialogue	Jurisprudence: Its Origin, Development and Characteristics	Explains the origin of jurisprudence and its advantages.	2	2
Short test	Brainstorming	Factors of the Renaissance of Jurisprudence, its Regression and Rigidity	It shows the factors of renaissance and inertia.	2	3
Editorial Questions	Text analysis	Islamic jurisprudence and its connection to Sharia	It clarifies the relationship between jurisprudence and Sharia.	2	4
Analytical Assignment	Collaborative Learning	The law and its connection with Sharia and Islamic jurisprudence	Comparing law, Sharia, and jurisprudence.	2	5
Short test	Lecture and Discussion	Ijtihad and imitation	He knows ijtihad and imitation.	2	6
Group Activity	Concept Maps	The importance of ijtihad, its conditions and reasons	It explains the importance of ijtihad and its conditions.	2	7

Oral Questions	Discussion of examples	Factors of imitation and its spread	It shows the factors of imitation and its spread.	2	8
Short Report	Interactive Lecture	Shari'a Ruling: Its Concept	Shari'a ruling is known.	2	9
Classroom Activity	Analysis of examples	Mandatory Shari'a ruling and its types	The mandatory judgment is classified.	2	10
Short test	Problem Solving	Positive Shari'a Judgment and its Types	It categorizes positive judgment.	2	11
Discussion	Text analysis	The Noble Qur'an and its Sections and Provisions	Explains the sections and rulings of the Qur'an.	2	12
Short Duty	Lecture and Discussion	The Concept of Money	He knows money and its characteristics.	2	13
Short test	Collaborative Learning	Types of Money	Distinguish the types of money.	2	14
Written Exam	Lecture and analysis	Types of Property	Explains the types of ownership.	2	15

11. Course Evaluation

Daily Preparation and Participation: 10 marks, Short and Oral Exams: 10 marks, First Monthly Exam: 15 marks, Second Monthly Exam: 15 marks, Reports and Assignments: 10 marks, Final Exam: 40 marks.

Total: 100 marks.

12. Learning and Teaching Resources

1- Mustafa Ibrahim Al-Zalmi, Introduction to the Study of Islamic Sharia.	Required Textbooks (Methodology, if any)
1- Dr. Ali Jaber, Introduction to Islamic Legislation. (Main source). 2- Sayyid Ali al-Sistani, Minhaj al-Salihin (transactions). 3- Muhammad Jawad Mughniyeh, Fiqh on the Five Schools of Thought. 4- Wahba Al-Zuhaili, Introduction to the Study of Islamic Sharia. 5- Dr. Sheikh Abbas Kashif Al-Ghita, Introduction to Islamic Sharia.	Main References (Sources)
1. Refereed scientific studies and researches related to Sharia, jurisprudence and Sharia rulings.	Recommended books and references (scientific journals, reports...)

1. The comprehensive library, the endowment library, and the approved academic databases.	Electronic References, Websites

Approval of the Dean of the College
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Talal Faiq Al-Kamali

Authentication of the Head of the Department
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Esraa