# ATA 681

# Advanced Readings in Social History of the 19<sup>th</sup> Century Ottoman Empire Spring 2013

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# **Requirements:**

Participation and Presentations: 50 %

Final Paper: 50 %

#### **Course Outline:**

Week 1: Introduction

## Week 2: Army

Khaled Fahmy, *All the Pasha's Men: Mehmed Ali, his Army and the Making of Modern Egypt* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1997).

Musa Çadırcı, "Yenileşme Sürecinde Osmanlı Ordusu," *Türkler* (Ankara: Yeni Türkiye Yayınları, 2002), pp. 804-11.

#### Week 3: Taxation

- Cengiz Kırlı, "Yolsuzluğun İcadı: 1840 Ceza Kanunu, İktidar ve Bürokrasi," *Tarih ve Toplum Yeni Yaklaşımlar*, no: 4, 2006, pp. 45-119.
- Halil İnalcık, "Tanzimat'ın Uygulanması ve Sosyal Tepkileri," *Osmanlı İmparatorluğu: Toplum ve Ekonomi* (Eren: İstanbul, 1993): 361-424.
- E. Attila Aytekin, "Peasant Protest in the Late Ottoman Empire: Moral Economy, Revolt, and the *Tanzimat* Reforms," *International Review of Social History* 57, 2012, pp. 191–227.
- Tevfik Güran, "19. Yüzyıl Temettuat Tahrirleri," *Osmanlı Devleti'nde Bilgi ve İstatistik* (DİE: Ankara, 2000).

Nadir Özbek, "The Politics of Taxation and the 'Armenian Question' During the Late Ottoman Empire, 1876-1908," *Comparative Studies in Society and History*, 54 (4), 2012: 770-797.

# Week 4: Property

- Douglas Hay, "Property, Authority and the Criminal Law," in *Albion's Fatal Tree: Crime and Society in Eighteenth-Century England* (eds.) Douglas Hay, et.al. (London: Allen Lane, 1975): 17-63.
- Huri İslamoğlu, "Property as a Contested Domain: A Reevaluation of the Ottoman Land Code of 1858." In *New Perspectives on Property and Land*, (eds.) Roger Owen and Martin P. Bunton, (Cambridge MA: Harvard University Press, 2001): 3-61.
- E. Attila Aytekin, "Hukuk, Tarih ve Tarihyazımı: 1858 Osmanlı Arazi Kanunnamesi'ne Yönelik Yaklaşımlar," *Türkiye Araştırmaları Literatür Dergisi*, 3 (5), 2005: 723-744.
- Yücel Terzibaşoğlu, "Eleni Hatun'un Zeytin Bahçeleri: 19. Yüzyılda Anadolu'da Mülkiyet Hakları Nasıl İnşa Edildi?" *Tarih ve Toplum Yeni Yaklaşımlar*, no: 4, 2006, pp. 121-147.

#### Week 5: Law

- Sedat Bingol, "Tanzimat Sonrası Taşra ve Merkezde Yargı Reformu," *Osmanlı* (Ankara: Yeni Türkiye Yayınları, 2002), pp. 533-545.
- Milen V. Petrov. "Everyday Forms of Compliance: Subaltern Commentaries on Ottoman Reform, 1864-1868," *Comparative Studies in Society and History*, 46 (4) (2004): 730-759.
- Jun Akiba, "The Local Councils as the Origin of the Parliamentary System in the Ottoman Empire" *Development of Parliamentarism in Modern Islamic World* (ed.) Sato Tsugitaka (Tokyo: The Toyo Bunko, 2009), pp. 176-204.
- Khaled Fahmy, "The Anatomy of Justice: Forensic Medicine and Criminal Law in Nineteenth-century Egypt," *Islamic Law and Society*, 6, 1999: 1-48.

#### Week 6: Police

David H. Bailey, "Police and Political Development in Europe" *The Formation of National States in Western Europe* (ed.) Charles Tilly (Princeton: Princeton Univ. Press, 1975).

- Stephen Duguid, "The Politics of Unity: Hamidian Policy in Eastern Anatolia," *Middle Eastern Studies*, 9 (1973), pp. 139-155.
- Khaled Fahmy, "The Police and the People in Nineteenth-Century Egypt," *Die Welt des Islams*, 39, 1999: 340-377.
- Nadir Özbek, "Policing the Countryside: Gendarmes of the Late-Nineteenth-Century Ottoman Empire (1876-1908)," *International Journal of Middle East Studies*, 40 (1), 2008: 47-67.

## Week 7: Surveillance

- Peter Holquist, "Information is the Alpha and Omega of Our Work': Bolshevik Surveillance in Its Pan-European Context," *The Journal of Modern History*, 69, 1997: 415–450.
- Robert Darnton, "An Early Information Society: News and the Media in Eighteenth-Century Paris," *American Historical Review*, 105, 2000: 1-35.
- Sheila Fitzpatrick, "Conversations and Listeners," *Everyday Stalinism*, (New York: Oxford University Press, 1999): 164-189.
- Cengiz Kırlı, "Surveillance and Constituting the Public in the Ottoman Empire," *Publics, Politics and Participation: Locating the Public Sphere in the Middle East and North Africa* (New York: Columbia / SSRC Book, 2009), pp. 177-203.

#### Week 8: Public Health

- Michel Foucault, "The Politics of Health in the Eighteenth Century," and "The Birth of Social Medicine," *Power: Essential Works of Foucault*, vol. 3 (ed.) James D. Faubion, 90-105; 134-156.
- Khaled Fahmy, "Medicine and Power: Towards a Social History of Medicine in Nineteenth-Century Egypt," *Cairo Papers in Social Science*, 23 (2) 2000.
- Nuran Yıldırım, "Osmanlı Coğrafyasında Karantina Uygulamalarına İsyanlar: 'Karantina İstemezük!'," *Toplumsal Tarih*, no: 150 (2006), ss. 18-27.

#### Week 9: Punishment

Talal Asad, , "Reflections on Cruelty and Torture," in *Formations of the Secular: Christianity, Islam, Modernity* (Stanford: Stanford University Press, 2003): 100-127.

- Rudolph Peters, "Controlled Suffering: Mortality and Living Conditions in 19<sup>th</sup>-century Egypt Prisons" *International Journal of Middle East Studies*, vol. 36 (2004): 387-407.
- Bruce F. Adams, *The Politics of Punishment: Prison Reform in Russia, 1863-1917* (Northern Illionis University Press, 1996), 3-39.

## Week 10: Justice

- Lex Heerma van Voss, "Introduction," Petitions in History, Special Issue of *International Review of Social History*, 46, supplement 9, 2001, 1-10.
- Halil İnalcık, "Şikâyet Hakkı: 'Arz-ı Hâl' ve 'Arz-ı Mahzar'lar," *Osmanlı Araştırmaları* 7-8 (1988): 33-51.
- Cengiz Kırlı, "İvranyalılar, Hüseyin Paşa ve Tasvir-i Zulüm," *Toplumsal Tarih*, no: 195, March 2010, pp. 12-21.
- John Chalcraft, "Engaging the State: Peasants and Petitions in Egypt on the Eve of Colonial Rule," *International Journal of Middle East Studies*, 37 (2005), 303-325.

#### Week 11: Reform in the Provinces (I)

Eugene Rogan, Frontiers of the State in the Late Ottoman Empire: Transjordan, 1850-1921 (New York: Cambridge University Press, 1999).

## Week 12: Reform in the Provinces (II)

Ussama Makdisi, *The Culture of Sectarianism: Community, History, and Violence in Nineteenth-Century Ottoman Lebanon* (Berkeley: University of California Press, 2000).