



## **PSCI 4809 A**

### **Honours Seminar on a Selected Topic in Political Science**

#### *“Modern Turkish Affairs”*

Turkey will be in the spotlight in 2014 with elections at all levels of government. The decade-long administration of Prime Minister Erdogan faces numerous challenges, raising questions about the government’s survival, the future of political Islam and democracy in Turkey, its economic prospects, EU aspirations and foreign policy. This Seminar will examine these questions against the backdrop of Turkey’s Republican history since 1923. Professor Mehmet is Distinguished Research Professor at the Norman Paterson School of international Affairs. Over the past ten years of his retirement he has conducted research in North Cyprus and Turkey and has written extensively on Turkish affairs. He is currently Senior Fellow leading an initiative to establish Modern Turkish Studies at Carleton.

Instructor:	Professor Ozay Mehmet
Schedule:	May to June 2014
Time & Location:	Please consult Carleton Central
Prerequisites:	Fourth-year Honours standing or permission of the Department