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### **EDUCATION**

#### **1991-2005 Bilkent University, Ankara, TURKEY**

2005: PhD. in Political Science

Thesis: *"Rearticulation of Turkish Foreign Policy Its Impacts on National/State Identity and State Society Relations in Turkey: The Cyprus Case"*

Degree classification: distinction

1998: M.A. in International Relations

Dissertation: *"The Internationalization of the Human Rights Issue in Europe: Turkey and EU Relations"*

Degree classification: distinction

1996: B.A. in International Relations.

Degree classification: merit

### **ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS**

#### **Books:**

- *Is Turkey De-Europeanising? Encounters with Europe in a Candidate Country*, Alper Kaliber & Senem Aydın-Düzgit (eds.), London: Routledge, 2017.

#### **Articles**

- 'Encounters with Europe in an Era of Domestic and International Turmoil: Is Turkey a De-Europeanising Candidate Country?', with Senem Aydın-Düzgit, in special issue (co-editor with Senem Aydın-Düzgit) 'Is Turkey De-Europeanising? Encounters with Europe in a Candidate Country', in *South European Society and Politics*, 21 (1) 2016, pp. 1-14. (SSCI)

- ‘De-Europeanisation of Civil Society And Public Debates In Turkey: The Kurdish Question Revisited’ in special issue (co-editor with Senem Aydın-Düzgit) ‘Is Turkey De-Europeanising? Encounters with Europe in a Candidate Country’, in *South European Society and Politics*, 21 (1) 2016, pp. 59-74. (SSCI)
- ‘Europeanization in Turkey: In Search of a New Paradigm of Modernization’, *Journal of Balkan and Near Eastern Studies*, 16(1) 2014, pp. 30-46. (SSCI)
- ‘Contextual and Contested: Reassessing Europeanisation in the Case of Turkey’, *International Relations*, 27(1) March 2013, pp. 52-73. (SSCI)
- ‘The Post-Cold War Regionalisms of Turkish Foreign Policy’, *Journal of Regional Security*, 8(1), 2013, pp. 25-47.
- ‘How Europe Affects: The Case of Civil Society in Turkey’, in “Ruptures et Continuité: Les Politiques Internes et Externes de la Turquie en Perspective [Rupture and Continuity: Turkish Domestic Politics and Foreign Policy in Perspective], special issue in *EurOrient*, October 2010, pp. 179-198.
- ‘Conflict Society and the Transformation of Turkey’s Kurdish Question’, with Nathalie Tocci, *Security Dialogue*, 41(2), April 2010, pp. 191-215. (SSCI)
- ‘Securing the Ground Through Securitized ‘Foreign’ Policy: The Cyprus Case Revisited’, *Security Dialogue* 36 (3) 2005, pp. 319-337. (SSCI)
- ‘Turkey, Europeanisation and Civil Society’ with Thomas Diez and Apostolos Agnantopoulos, *South European Society and Politics* 10 (1) 2005, pp. 1-15. (SSCI)
- ‘Türkiye’de Güvenlikleştirilmiş Bir Alan Olarak Dış Politikayı Yeniden Düşünmek: Kıbrıs Örneği’, [Re-thinking Foreign Policy as a Sphere of Securitisation in Turkey: The Case of Cyprus], *Uluslararası İlişkiler [International Relations]*: 2 (7) Fall 2005, pp. 31-60. (SSCI)

### **Contributions to Edited Volumes**

- ‘Turkey’s Cyprus Policy: A Case of Contextual Europeanisation’, in “*Turkey and the European Union: Processes of Europeanisation*”, Çiğdem Nas and Yonca Özer (eds.), (London: Ashgate, 2012), pp. 225-241.
- ‘Human Rights, Civil Society and Conflict in Turkey’s Kurdish Question’, in “*Civil Society, Conflicts, and the Politicization of Human Rights*”, Raffaele Marchetti and Nathalie Tocci (eds.), (United Nations University Press, Tokyo, 2011), pp.139-160.

- ‘Re-imagining Cyprus: The Rise of Regionalism in Turkey’s Security Lexicon’, in *Cyprus: A Conflict at the Crossroads*, T. Diez and N. Tocci (eds.), (Manchester: Manchester University Press, 2009), pp. 105-123.
- ‘Türk Modernleşmesini Sorunsallaştıran Üç Ana Paradigma Üzerine’, [On Three Main Paradigms Problematising Turkish Modernization] in *Türkiye’de Modernleşme ve Batıcılık [Modernization and Westernism in Turkey]*, (Istanbul: İletişim Yayınları, 2002), pp. 107-125.

### **Book Reviews**

- ‘Critical Security Studies: An Introduction’, by Columba Peoples and Nick Vaughan-Williams, *Global Affairs*, 1(4-5), 2015, pp. 486-487.
- ‘Kurds of Modern Turkey: Migration, Neoliberalism and Exclusion in Turkish Society’, by Cenk Saracoglu, *Journal of Global Analysis* 2(2), 2011, pp. 90-92.

### **Other**

- ‘Editorial’, *Global Affairs*, Vol. 2, Issue 4, 2016.
- ‘Theoretical Propositions: Civil Society As An Agent Of Europeanization’, EUROCIIV brief 2, September 2015, available at <http://eu.bilgi.edu.tr/tr/news/eurociv-brief-no-2-september-2015/>
- ‘Introducing the Project: Aims, Methodology and Theory’, EUROCIIV brief 1, available at <http://eu.bilgi.edu.tr/tr/news/eurociv-brief-no-1-january-15-2013/>
- ‘Reorganization of Geopolitics: Understanding The New Activism in Turkish Foreign Policy’, unpublished manuscript, 2012.
- ‘Conflict Society and the Transformation of Turkey’s Kurdish Question’, with Nathalie Tocci, SHUR Working paper series, May 2008; available at <http://www.luiss.it/shur/wp-content/uploads/2008/06/shurwp01-08.pdf>
- Co-translator of *Parliamentary Oversight of the Security Sector: Principles, Mechanisms and Practices* (from English to Turkish) Handbook For Parliamentarians No. 5, H. Born, Ph. Fluri, A. Johnsson (eds.), Inter-Parliamentary Union/Geneva Centre for the Democratic Control of Armed Forces (IPU/DCAF), (Istanbul: TESEV, 2004).
- F-Tipi Gelişmeleri ve Cezaevleri Operasyonu Vesilesiyle Türkiye’de Yöneten-Yönetilen İlişisine Bir Bakış [Reassessing the Relations between the Rulers and the Ruled in Turkey through Operations in and Policies on Prisons], *Birikim*, No 145, May 2001, pp. 92-98.

## CONFERENCE PAPERS AND WORKSHOPS

- ‘Understanding the Post-Failed Coup Turkey: From State of Emergency to Permanent State of Exception’, ACCESS Europe seminar given at the Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, 9 February 2017.
- ‘De-Europeanization of Civil Society and Public Debates in Turkey: The Kurdish Question revisited’ paper presented at the UACES 45<sup>th</sup> Annual conference, Bilbao, Spain, 7-9 September 2015.
- ‘Encounters with Europe in an era of Domestic and International Turmoil: Is Turkey a De-Europeanising Candidate Country?’, workshop organized at Istanbul Kemerburgaz University, Istanbul, 6 March 2015.
- ‘Regionalism As A Domestic Project: Understanding the 'New' Regionalist Activism in Turkish Foreign Policy’, paper presented at the International Studies Association Annual Conference, Hilton Convention Centre, New Orleans, USA, 18-21 February 2015.
- ‘Foreign Policy and National Identity: Cyprus and the Expulsions’, paper presented at ‘1964 Expulsions and the Istanbul Rum: A Turning Point in the Homogenization of Turkish Society’, Istanbul Bilgi University, Istanbul, 31 October-1 November 2014.
- ‘Foreign Policy as Disciplinary Politics: Understanding the New Activism in Turkish Foreign Policy’, paper presented at ‘Securing Liberty, Civilizing Security’, workshop co-organized by Raoul Wallenberg Institute of Human Rights and Humanitarian Law and the Police Academy in Turkey, Ankara, 17-18 October 2014.
- ‘Europeanization of Public Debates and Civil Society in Turkey: The Kurdish Question and Secularism Debates Revisited’, public seminar, School of African and Oriental Studies (SOAS), London, UK, 4 July 2014.
- ‘Encounters with Europe in an Era of Democratic Stagnation in Turkey’, workshop co-convened at the 2nd European Workshops in International Studies, Gediz University, Izmir, Turkey. 21-24 May, 2014.
- ‘Contextual and Contested: Reassessing Europeanization in the Case of Turkey’, 7<sup>th</sup> ECPR General Conference, Sciences Po Bordeaux, Bordeaux, France, 4-7 September 2013.
- ‘The Post-Cold War Regionalisms of Turkish Foreign Policy’, 12<sup>th</sup> International Relations Conference, METU, Ankara, 12-14 June 2013.
- ‘Theorising the State and Its Autonomy: A Comparative Analysis of Realist and Historical Sociological Approaches’, First Spectrum Conference on Global Studies: Historical Sociology, Historical Materialism and International Relations, METU, Ankara, 2-3 November 2012.

- ‘Contextual and Contested: Reassessing Europeanization in the Case of Turkey’, 9th Convention of the Central and East European International Studies Association (CEEISA). Jagiellonian University, Krakow, Poland, 20-22 September 2012.
- ‘What Does Human Security Mean for Kurdish question: The case of Kurdish Women Organizations’, paper presented at the International Studies Association Annual Conference, Hilton Convention Centre, San Diego, USA, 1-4 April 2012.
- ‘Sectoralisation of Security or Securitisation of Sectors? On the Operability and Political Implications of Sector Specific Approach to Security’, paper presented at the ‘Alternative Approaches to International Relations: Turkey and Beyond’, Marmara University Centre for International Relations, Istanbul, 24-25 November 2011.
- ‘Understanding The New Activism Of Turkish Foreign Policy: The Case Of Western Balkans’, paper presented at the Belgrade Security Forum, ‘The Balkans and Global Security: What Do We Have in Common, What Sets Us Apart?’, Belgrade, 14-16 September 2011.
- ‘Reorganization of Geopolitics: Understanding the New Activism in Turkish Foreign Policy’, paper presented at the international workshop on ‘State, Society and Politics in Changing Turkey’, Centre for Research in Ethnic Relations, University of Warwick, Warwick, UK, 20 June 2011.
- ‘NATO’nun Yeni Stratejik Belgesi ve Türkiye’nin Güvenliği Tartışması’ [NATO’s New Strategic Concept and Turkey’s Security], workshop organized by the Department of International Relations in Yaşar University, Altın Yunus Hotel, Izmir, 21 May 2011.
- ‘Europe As A Political and Normative Context for Turkish Modernity’, paper presented at the international conference on ‘Turkey’s Accession to the Post-Lisbon European Union’, Yaşar University, Izmir, 13 May 2011.
- ‘Reorganization of Geopolitics: Understanding the New Activism in Turkish Foreign Policy’, paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association Annual Conference "Global Governance: Political Authority in Transition", Le Centre Sheraton Montreal Hotel, Montreal, Quebec, Canada, 16-19 March 2011.
- ‘The Reorganization of Geopolitics: Understanding the New Activism in Turkish Foreign Policy’, paper presented at ‘Debating Security: Changes and Challenges for Turkey’, Bahçeşehir University, Istanbul, 22-23 October 2010.
- ‘Europeanisation As A Political and Normative Context’, paper presented in the workshop “Europeanization and Enlargement”, LSEE Research on South Eastern Europe, European Institute and The Center for European Studies, 11-12 June 2010, Bucharest, Romania.
- ‘Re-imagining Cyprus: The Rise of Regionalism in Turkey’s Security Outlook on Cyprus’, paper presented at European Foreign and Security Policy Studies, Autumn Seminar, “Challenges for European Security in 2020”, University of Goteborg, 24-26 September 2009.

- ‘Reassessing Europeanisation As A Quest For A New Paradigm Of Modernity: The Arduous Case of Turkey’, paper presented at the UACES Annual Conference, ‘Exchanging Ideas on Europe: Common Values-- External Policies, Portsmouth, 3-5 September 2007.
- ‘De-securitizing Foreign Policy Unpacking the Impact of Europeanization: The Cyprus Case’, presented at World International Studies Committee First Global International Relations Conference, Bilgi University, Istanbul, 24-27 August 2005.
- ‘Security As An Intersubjective And Political Act: The Case Of Turkish Foreign Policy', seminar delivered in Intensive Programme In Peace Studies, “Peace And Conflict Case Studies: Europe And Beyond”, Sabanci University, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, June 30-July 9 2005.
- ‘Turkish Security Culture and the Military Dimension of Foreign Policy-Making in Turkey’, workshop organized and chaired in Sabanci University, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, 25 May 2005.
- ‘Turkey In Search of A New Paradigm of Modernity? Problematizing the Impact of Europeanisation on Turkish Civil Society’, seminar delivered at Sabanci University, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, 2 December 2004.
- ‘Europeanisation of Turkish Civil Society and Its Impact on Turkish-Greek Civic Dialogue’ presented at The European Union's Impact on Greek-Turkish Relations EUBORDERCONF Project Conference, Bogazici University, Istanbul, 22-23 October 2004.
- ‘Turkey: In Search of A New Paradigm of Modernity? The Turkish-EU Relations and Europeanisation Revisited’, presented at the Second Pan-European Conference of the ECPR-SGEU, John Hopkins University, Bologna, 24-26 June 2004.
- ‘Securing State-Society Relations Through Securitized Foreign Policy: A Critical Outlook To Turkey's Official Discourse on the Cyprus Question' presented at the British International Studies Association (BISA) 28th Annual Conference, the University of Birmingham, 15-17 December 2003.
- ‘Securing Domestic Order Through Securitized Foreign Policy: A Critical Outlook To Turkey's Official Discourse on the Cyprus Question' presented at the Second METU Conference on International Relations: Regional Perspectives, Middle East Technical University, Ankara Turkey, 23-25 June 2003.

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

### **September 2014 to date**

Senior Lecturer, Department of International Relations, Altinbaş University, Turkey.

Administrative duties: Programme coordinator for the integrated MA/PhD in International Relations (2015 to date)

**September 2012 to August 2014**

Marie Curie Research fellow, European Institute, Istanbul Bilgi University, Turkey.

**September 2010-August 2012**

Lecturer, Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences, Department of International Relations, Yaşar University, Izmir, Turkey.

**December 2007 to June 2009**

Consultant and researcher for “SHUR: Human Rights in Conflicts: The Role of Civil Society”, a STREP project funded by the EU 6<sup>th</sup> Framework Programme. Contract number: CIT5-CT-2006-028815.

**July 2006 to July 2008**

Research fellow, University of Birmingham, Department of Political Science and International Studies, post-doctoral research within the framework of European Common Foreign and Security Policy Studies funded by Compagnia di San Paolo, Torino/Italy, Riksbankens Jubileumsfond, Stockholm/Sweden, and VolkswagenStiftung, Hanover/Germany (mentor: Prof. Thomas Diez).

**February-June 2005**

Part-time lecturer, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Sabancı University  
POLS 596 European Security

**December 2003- June 2004**

Visiting doctoral fellow, Department of Political Science and International Studies (POLSIS), University of Birmingham, UK (mentor: Prof. Thomas Diez).

**1998-2003**

Research Assistant for Assoc. Prof. E. Fuat Keyman in the Department of Political Science, Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey.

**1996-1998**

Research Assistant for Assist. Prof. Gülgün Tuna in the Department of International Relations, Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey.

<b>TEACHING EXPERIENCE</b>
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**Department of International Relations, Altınbaş University, Turkey**

*Spring 2017*

- European Security: Theories, Institutions, Issues (IR 436 & IR 534) (undergraduate and M.A level) (Jean Monnet module)

- Theories of International Relations (IR 501) (Master's level)
- International Organizations (IR 302)

*Fall 2016*

- Critical Approaches To Security: Rethinking National, Regional And Global Security (PhD level) (IR 603)
- International Security (IR 401)
- Turkey-EU Relations (IR 431)

*Spring 2016*

- International Organisations (IR 302)
- Music, Society and Politics (IR 400)

*Fall 2015*

- Foreign Policy Analysis (IR 301)
- International Security (IR 401)
- Turkey-EU Relations (IR 432)

*Spring 2015*

- International Organizations (IR 302)
- Turkish Foreign Policy (IR 312)

*Fall 2014*

- Foreign Policy Analysis (IR 301)

**Department of International Relations, Istanbul Bilgi University, Turkey**

*Spring 2013*

- Foreign Policy Analysis (IR 512) (M.A. level)

*Fall 2013*

- International Relations Theories (IR 511) (M.A. level)

**Department of International Relations, Yaşar University, Izmir, Turkey**

*Fall 2010*

- European Union, Customs Union and Turkey (ECO 475)

*Spring 2011*

- EU-Turkey Relations (INRL 364)

*2011-2012*

- Introduction to International Relations (INRL 102)

**Department of Political Science and International Studies (POLSIS), University of Birmingham, UK**

*Spring 2007*

- European Security (POLS G33) (M.A. level)



**Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Sabancı University, Istanbul Turkey**

*Fall 2005*

- European Security (POLS 596) (M.A. level)

**Department of Political Science and International Studies (POLISIS), University of Birmingham, UK**

*Spring 2004*

- Advanced Topics on European Integration (POLS G19) (M.A. level)

**PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

**June 2017:** Certificate in Distance and E-Learning/Teaching in Higher Education, Ankara University, Turkey.

**April 18, 2014:** Associate Professorship in International Relations

**March 2008:** Post-Graduate Certificate in Learning and Teaching in Higher Education, University of Birmingham (associate degree).

**AWARDS RECEIVED**

**July 2016:** Jean Monnet Module awarded by the European Commission for the undergraduate/Master's level course titled 'European Security: Theories, Institutions, Issues' (2016-2019).

**March 2014:** Young Scientist Award by Turkey's Science Academy (BAGEP).

**September 2012:** TUBITAK conference travel grant.

**March 2012:** International Studies Association travel grant.

**December 2011:** Marie Curie Career Integration Grant (2012-2014) 'Europeanisation of Public Debates and Civil Society in Turkey' (CIG10-GA-2011-294307 EUROCIIV).

**6 June 2011:** Award of honorable mention in Sakip Sabancı International Research Award 2011 with the essay entitled "Reorganization Of Geopolitics: Understanding The New Activism In Turkish Foreign Policy".

**July 2006- September 2008:** Compagnia di San Paolo, Torino/Italy, Riksbankens Jubileumsfond, Stockholm/Sweden, and VolkswagenStiftung, Hanover/Germany, post-doctoral study fund granted within the framework of European Common Foreign and Security Policy Studies.

**May 2005:** Sabancı University, Internal Grant for Academic Activities.

**2003-2004 :** The European Commission, Jean Monnet Scholarship for financing post-doctoral research at POLSIS, University of Birmingham; covers tuition fee and living expenses.

**1998-2003:** Bilkent University, Full Graduate Scholarship for financing PhD study at Bilkent University; covers tuition fee and living expenses.

**1996-1998:** Bilkent University, Full Graduate Scholarship for financing M.A. study at Bilkent University; covers tuition fee and living expenses.

**1992-1996:** Bilkent University, Full Undergraduate Scholarship including tuition waiver and living expenses.

### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

Global Affairs—book review editor since 2015

British International Studies Association—Member since 2003.

International Studies Association—Member since 2006.

Observatory of Interdisciplinary Research on Contemporary Turkey—member and vice-president since 2009.

Central and East European International Studies Association (CEEISA)—member since 2012.

European International Studies Association—member since 2012.

### **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Security Studies with particular emphasis on critical and regional approaches, theories of International Relations, European integration and Europeanisation studies, European security, the Cyprus conflict, post-Cold War Turkish foreign policy, and Ottoman/Turkish modernisation.

### **LANGUAGE SKILLS**

Turkish: Mother tongue

English: Fluent

Spanish: Intermediate