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## ***1. WORK EXPERIENCE***

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- April, 2012- .....: Faculty Member, Department of International Relations – Faculty of Humanities, Yaşar University- Turkey
- September, 2015-.....: Director, Yaşar University European Union Research Center – Turkey
- March, 2013 - September, 2015: Deputy Director, Yaşar University European Union Research Center
- October, 2008 - 2013: EU Expert, Yaşar University European Union Research Center
- October, 2007 - 2008: Expert, EU and Foreign Relations Center of İzmir Governorship, Turkey.
- 2004 - 2005: NGO Worker (by the EVS Programme of the European Commission), Cultural Club Africa, Italy

## ***2. EDUCATION***

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Visiting Scholar, Institute of European Studies, University of California – Berkeley, 2014 (Marie Curie Researcher)

Ph.D., European Studies, Dokuz Eylül University-Turkey, 2012.

Dissertation: “*Radical Right Parties in Europe and Anti-immigration: Construction of Anti-Immigration Discourse in the Context of Security Themes*”

Visiting Researcher, University of Oxford, Centre on Migration, Policy and Society, UK, 2011. (UK Government Chevening Scholar)

MA., European Union, Dokuz Eylül University-Turkey, 2008.

BSc., International Relations, Dokuz Eylül University-Turkey, 2004

### **3. MAJOR AREAS OF INTEREST**

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Academic: International Migration, Youth Studies, Refugees, Security Studies, Populism, European Integration

Administrative: International Project Management, Research Centre Management, Funding Programmes, Bologna Process.

### **4. PUBLICATIONS**

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#### **A. In peer-review journals:**

##### **Web of Science Indexed Journals**

A1. “Stretching, Opening or Sealing the Borders: Reflections of Turkish Foreign Policy Conceptions on Migration, Asylum and Visa Policies”. *Journal of Balkan and Near Eastern Studies*. 20.2 (2018): 165-182. (SSCI Journal).

A2. “Converting International Migration into a Security Issue: Radical Right Parties in Europe and Securitization of Migration” (in Turkish - Uluslararası Göçlerin Bir Güvenlik Konusuna Dönüşümü: Avrupa’da Radikal Sağ Partiler ve Göçün Güvenlikleştirilmesi). (with Mandacı, N.) *Uluslararası İlişkiler Dergisi (International Relations Journal)*. V:10. No.39. pp..105-130. Fall 2013. (SSCI Journal).

A3. “Can the Youth Bulge Pose a Challenge for Turkey? A Comparative Analysis Based on MENA Region Driven Factors”. *YOUNG*. 27(4) 1–21. 2019. (SSCI Journal).

A4. “The Role of Non-State Actors Regarding Syrian Refugees in Turkey: The Case of Mersin” (with B.Sever). *Migration Letters Journal*. V:16. No:3. Pp:463-471. 2019 (WoS)

A5. Book Review: “The Politics of Social Ties: Immigrants in an Ethnic Homeland”, *Europe-Asia Studies – Book Review (December, 2015)*, (SSCI Journal).

##### **Other journals:**

A6. “Global Migration and Refugee Compacts as an International Response to Mass Population Movements in Conflicts and Crises” (with P.Yazgan and D. Eroğlu – in Turkish) *Göç Dergisi*. 6(1). 1 – 10 (May 2019). (indexed in EBSCO).

A7. “Security Belongings in South East Europe: Divergences and Convergences”. *European Perspectives*. Vol. 5 No. 2(9), pp 63 - 82, October 2013 (indexed in IBSS).

A8. “Supranationalization of Migration Policies in Europe and Transformation into A Security Issue: A New Phase in European Migration History?” (In Turkish - Avrupa’da Göç Politikalarının Ulusüstüleşmesi ve Bir Güvenlik Konusuna Dönüşümü: Avrupa Göç Tarihinde Yeni Bir Dönem mi?). *Ege Stratejik Araştırmalar Merkezi Dergisi*, Vol:5 No:1, January 2014, 11-48 (ULAKBİM)

A9. “Turkey on the Route of Retirement Migration: The Motivations of European Retirement Migrants to Prefer Turkey and Their Perception of Turkey”- *Emekli Göçleri Rotasında Türkiye: Avrupalı Emekli Göçmenlerin Türkiye’yi Seçme Nedenleri ve Türkiye Algıları*”. *Journal of Yaşar University*. 2012. 28(7) 4766 – 4787. (ULAKBİM)

A10. "European Radical Right Parties as Actors in Securitization of Migration". World Academy of Science, Engineering and Technology International Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences Vol:7, No:8, 2013 (indexed in International Science Index, EBSCO, ERA).

### **B. Published proceedings:**

B1. "Political Economy of Anti-immigration: The Case of Syrians in Turkey". 25-27 June 2015, Charles University Prague, Czech Republic. (book of abstracts)

B2. "Social enterprises in a developing country context: Analysis of social entrepreneurship models in Turkey", 2014. (with Türker, D., Yıldız, A International Conference on Entrepreneurship IEC 2014. Istanbul Aydın University [15-16.05.2014], Conference Proceeding, pp.117-129.

### **C. Book Chapters:**

C1. "The Role of Migration in the United Kingdom's EU Referendum" in "Opportunities and Threats in European Integration and Turkey-EU-Relations after Brexit", ed. By E. Esen & D. Şekeroğlu, Peter Lang Publishing, Berlin 2018. (SCOPUS'ta endekslenmektedir)

C2. "Journalists' Perceptions of Populism and the Media: A Cross-National Study Based on Semi-Structured Interviews" (with J.Stanyer, S. Salgado, G. Bobba, G. Hajzer, D.N. Hopmann, N. Hubé, N. Merkovity, S. Papathanassopoulos, K. B. Sanders, D. Spasojevic, and Lenka Vochocova) in Communicating Populism: Comparing Actor Perceptions, Media Coverage, and Effects on Citizens in Europe. Edited by C. Reinemann, J. Stanyer, T. Aalberg, F. Esser, C. H. de Vreese. ISBN-13: 978-1138392724. Routledge London and New York. 2019.

C3. The Interplay between Migration and Women: The Case of Syrians in Turkey (with E. Çetin) in Women's Economic Empowerment in Turkey. Edited by O.B. Çelik and M. İnce Yenilmez. Routledge. 2019.

C4. "Corporate Social Responsibility in the European Context". (with Yıldız, A.) in Turker D. (Ed.). Contemporary Issues in Corporate Social Responsibility. Lexington Books. USA, 2014. ISBN : 978-0-7391-8373-1.

C5. "Transformation of Youth Work For Young Refugees In Turkey: A Shift From Emergency Aid to Integration Initiatives". (with G. Kalem) in Between Insecurity and Hope. Edited by M. Pisani, T. Basarab, B.G. Bello and S. Laine. Council of Europe Publishing. ISBN: 978-92-871-8859-5. 2019.

C6. "Consequences of the "Refugee Crisis" for Turkey: A New Challenge in Turkish Foreign Policy and Domestic Politics? - Conseguenze della "crisi dei rifugiati" per la Turchia: nuove sfide in politica estera e interna? with E. Çetin in Valerio De Cesaris, Emidio Diodato (eds.), Il confine mediterraneo. L'Europa di fronte agli sbarchi dei migranti, Carocci (2018).

C7. "UN Global Compact, Migration, Demographic Change, Diversity Management, EU Communication on CSR". Dictionary of Corporate Social Responsibility. Springer, (February, 2015 ). Edited by Samuel Idowu, ISBN:978-3-319-10535-9

C8. "From Environmental Migration to Post-Disaster Migration: An Analysis within the Context of International Actors (published in Turkish - Çevresel Göçlerden Doğal Afet Sonrası Göçlere: Uluslararası Toplum ve Uluslararası Aktörler Ekseninde Bir Değerlendirme) in

"Afetlerle Kalkınma: Tecrübeler, Politikalar ve Beklentiler" Efil Yayınevi, Edited by Murad Tiryakioglu, ISBN:978-605-4160-68-6. 2016.

C9. "Social Entrepreneurship in Turkey: Challenges and Opportunities" (with Turker, D. and Yıldız, A) .in Emprendeduría Social: Alternativa Sostenible Para Una Nueva Economía (ed. by Carmen Parra and Ferra Porta). Librería Bosh. September 2014. ISBN number: 978-84-942385-9-8.

C10."How to Search Funding for Projects and Points to Consider -Projeler için Fon Kaynağı Araştırma ve Fon Kaynağı Seçerken Dikkat Edilmesi Gerekenler". in Toker, H. (Ed.). Proje Tasarımı, Yaşar University E-Book. 2013.

C11."What Makes Turkey and Turkish Immigrants a Cultural Polarization Issue in Europe? : Evidences from the European Populist Politics" in "Hope and Nostalgia at the Intersection between Culture and Welfare", Springer IMISCOE (Basım Aşamasında-Bahar 2020).

C12. "Göç Konusunun Birleşik Krallık'ta AB Referandumu Sürecindeki Yeri". in Elveda Avrupa: İngiltere'nin AB'den Ayrılmasından Sonra Avrupa Bütünleşmesi ve Türkiye-AB İlişkilerinde Fırsatlar ve Tehditler ed. by E. Esen & D. Şekeroğlu. Siyasal Kitabevi. Ekim 2017.

C13. "Türkiye'de Genç Mültecilere Yönelik Destek Mekanizmalarının Geliştirilmesi İçin Durum ve İhtiyaç Analizi Raporu, TOG Vakfı ve UNFPA Yayını (Basım aşamasında, Eylül 2019)

C14. Training Tools Book for Empowering Youth Workers to Reach Out Young Migrants and Refugees - Training Curriculum and Materials (with G.Kalem), 2019, <https://reachout.yasar.edu.tr/o2-training-curriculum-and-materials/>

C15. "Visa and Migration Diplomacy the Tools of Soft Power in Turkish Foreign Policy in Post Cold War Period" in Turkish ("Soğuk Savaş Sonrası Türk Dış Politikasında Yumuşak Gücün Araçları Olarak Vize ve Göç Diplomasisi"). In Türk Dış Politikasında Güncel Sorunlar ve Teorik Uygulamalar. ed. by T. Oğuzlu & Y. Ongun. Nobel Yayınevi. 2019.

#### **D. Other**

D1. Turkey's great challenge: integrating 2.7 million Syrian refugees, The Conversation, October 2016 - <https://theconversation.com/turkeys-great-challenge-integrating-2-7-million-syrian-refugees-66817>

D2. Selling up, settling down: how a Turkish neighborhood adapted to its Syrian refugees (with H. Crawley), The Conversation, June 2016 (republished by Middle East Eye in July 2016) - <https://theconversation.com/selling-up-settling-down-how-a-turkish-neighbourhood-adapted-to-its-syrian-refugees-60738>

D3. Brexit: An Opportunity or Crisis in EU-Turkey Relations (in Turkish) – İktisat ve Toplum, February 2017.

D4. Why Youth Should be in the Center of Integration Policies for Refugees: The Case of Syrians' Labour Market Integration in Turkey, Council of Europe, <http://pjp->

eu.coe.int/documents/1017981/9645125/Youth\_Refugees\_Turkey.pdf/d69da18c-d5b4-47c8-9399-bb511b44ad65 (will be also published in COE Knowledge Book in 2018).

D5. Interview. Sivil Toplum Göç Alanında Tamamlayıcı Katkı Sağlıyor. Bosphorus Migration Studies. Kasım, 2018.

## ***5. TEACHING EXPERIENCE***

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INRL 474: Security-Migration Nexus in the EU (awarded as the Jean Monnet Module Course by the European Commission)

INRL 5002: Current Issues in IR and Theories (Graduate Level)

INRL 370: European Integration Process

INRL 457: Politics of Migration

INRL 204: International Politics

HKUK 296: International Politics and Diplomacy

INRL 207: Contemporary State Systems (Comparative Politics)

HKUK 277: World Political History

UFND 060: Project Design

INOV 514: Project Management (Graduate Level)

## ***6. AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS***

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- European Commission Jean Monnet Chair Grant (2019-2022) for “Multifaceted Approaches to Migration in EU and Turkey”.
- European Commission Jean Monnet Module Grant (2016-2019) for “Migration-Security Nexus in EU”.
- Yaşar University Successful Researcher Award, 2018.
- COST Action Research Management Committee Grant for “Drylands Facing Change: Interdisciplinary Research on Climate Change, Food Insecurity, Political Instability” Project.
- COST Action Research Management Committee Grant for “Populist Political Communication in Europe” Project.
- Yaşar University Successful Researcher Award, 2017.
- European Union FP7 Marie Curie Grant by the EUGLOBAL - IRSES Project for visiting scholar position in UC, Berkeley – USA, (2014).
- Fellowship, “Turkey-Europe Future Forum”. 2-7 June, 2015, İstanbul & in 2016 Berlin, Organized by Mercator Stiftung.
- Chevening Scholarship of UK Government / for visiting researcher position at University of Oxford- Centre of Migration, Policy and Society (2011).
- TUBITAK (Turkish Academy of Sciences) 2214, PhD Research Scholarship (2011).

- Scholarship of Linköping University, Sweden- REMESO Graduate School of Migration (2010).
- European Commission Grundtvig Course Participation Grant (for European Project Management Course in Italy-2010).
- Participation grant of USA Department of State for Emerging Leaders in Turkish Foreign Policy Programme, 04.2008/05.2008 – Washington (USA Department of State).

## **7. CONFERENCES & SEMINARS**

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- “The Role and Challenges of Youth Workers for Refugee Integration in Turkey”. The Migration Conference. 2018. Lisbon, Portugal.
- Freeing or unleashing the vox populi? Leaderless anti-refugee populism in the echo chamber of Turkish Twitter. The Migration Conference. 2018. Lisbon, Portugal.
- Seminar: Making Sense of the EU-Turkey Deal: Law, Politics and Practicalities, Refugee Studies Center, University of Oxford, UK, 16 March 2016, (Respondent)
- Seminar: Transit Cities in International Migration Flows. Middle East Technical University - METU, Ankara, 06.04.2016. (Speaker)
- Seminar: Refugee Crisis and EU-Turkey Cooperation. Yasar University, 28 March 2016. (Speaker)
- Conference: Turkish Migration Conference: Economics, Identities and Geographies, paper presented: “Political Economy of Anti-immigration: The Case of Syrians in Turkey”. 25-27 June 2015, Charles University Prague, Czech Republic. (Speaker)
- “Turkey-Europe Future Forum”. 2-7 June 2015, İstanbul. Organized by Mercator Stiftung.
- Conference: “New Generation of Education in Europe: From Distance Learning to Virtual Mobility”, Uvicamp Project Final Conference, 4 March 2015, Izmir (Head of Organizing Committee).
- Workshop: Migration Research Workshop, Directorate General of Migration Management, December 19-20, 2014. Ankara- Turkey. (Participant)
- Conference: Geospatial Computational Social Science Conference, Stanford University (US). October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2014. (Participant)
- Conference: Re-inventing Eastern Europe. Paper presented “Diverging Security Belongings in Eastern Europe: Is a Security Community Possible?”. Berlin, March 2014 (Speaker)
- Conference: ICPSIR 2013-International Conference on Political Science and International Relations. Paper presented “European Radical Right Parties as Actors in Securitization of Migration”. Venice- Italy, August 15-16, 2013, WASET, (Speaker).
- Seminar: Migration as a Challenge of EU Turkey Relations. Yaşar University. May 9, 2013. (Speaker)
- Migration Symposium, Ege University, “The Reflections of the Transformations in Turkish Foreign Policy on the Migration and Asylum Policies” April, 2013. (Speaker)
- Conference: Migration, Islam and Multiculturalism. Hacettepe University Migration and Politics Research Center. April 11-12, 2013, Participant.
- Conference: EURASHE 22nd Annual Conference: “Lifelong Learning: Professionally Oriented Higher Education & the Welfare Society”. May 10-11/ 2012, Riga, Latvia, (Speaker).

## **8. OTHER LECTURING AND TRAINING EXPERIENCES**

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- Lecturer: Trends and Future of Global Migration. ICMPD-International Centre for Migration Policy Development Training for Directorate General of Migration Management in Turkey. August 2018. İzmir-Turkey.
- Guest Lecturer, Migration as a Tool of Turkish Foreign Policy Strategies: From “Model Country” to “Strategic Depth”, October 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2014. University of California, Berkeley (US).
- Guest Lecturer, Traces of Security in Anti-Immigration Policies: Examples from European Radical Right Parties, October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2014. University of California, Berkeley (US).
- Trainer, Project Cycle Management, 23-27 September 2015. Ionian University- Corfu, Greece.
- Invited Lecturer, Arteveldehogeschool Gent - Belgium, “EU-Turkey Relations” & “Migration in Europe”, April 2013.
- Lecturer, Summer School in Euro-Mediterranean Strategies, 26-30 August 2013, Yaşar University.
- Invited Lecturer: “Securitization of International Migration in Europe”, Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence at Dokuz Eylül University, 03.12.2012, İzmir.
- Trainer, Project Cycle Management and Funding for NGOs – Association of Thessaloniki Turks, 2015, İzmir.
- Trainer, Project Management and Strategic Partnership Projects, December 2014. Akdeniz University.
- Trainer, Project Cycle Management, February 5<sup>th</sup> -6<sup>th</sup>, 2014, Çeşme Altinyunus, İzmir.
- Trainer, Training of Trainers for PCM (Governorship of İzmir), İzmir’de AB Rüzgarı Project funded by Ministry of EU, December 2011, İzmir.
- Trainer, Project Cycle Management Training (Governorship of İzmir), April 2011, İzmir.
- Trainer, Project Cycle Management Training (İZKA- İzmir Development Agency), 2010.
- Trainer, EU Funds and Project Cycle Management, Certificate Programme in cooperation of Konrad Adaneuer Stiftung, ATAUM and Yaşar University, İzmir, March 2009.

## **9. TRAININGS**

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- European Innovation Networks and Knowledge Migration to Turkey, Weekend School, Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence at Dokuz Eylül University, 26-27 May, 2012, İzmir-Turkey.
- REMESO Graduate School, Institute for Research on Migration, Ethnicity and Society, Linköping University, “Theories and Politics of International Migration”, Sweden, 10-15 October 2010.
- Project Management Training – Florence, Italy, organized by Pixel, 2010
- Migration Forum 2010, German Marshall Fund & Robert Stiftung, İzmir, 2010
- Project Management Institute – PMI Course, Business Management Consultants, 25-28 November 2010, İstanbul.
- The Right Project - European Commission International Training Course on Human Rights, EuroAccion, Murcia, Spain- 2005.

## ***10. LANGUAGE SKILLS***

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- **Turkish:** Mother tongue
- **English:** Advanced
- **Italian:** Intermediate

## ***11. MEMBERSHIPS***

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EISA- European International Studies Association

IGAM - Asylum and Migration Studies Center

## ***12. REFEREEING***

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Journal of Yasar University (Referee and Board Member )

Turkish Studies (SSCI Journal)

Göç Araştırmaları Dergisi

Sosyal Politika Çalışmaları Dergisi

Insight Turkey Journal

Journal on European Perspectives of the Western Balkans

## ***13. INTERNATIONAL PROJECT EXPERIENCE***

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<b>Project Title</b>	<b>Program</b>	<b>Role of the researcher</b>
<b>Science Unites All</b>	HORIZON 2020	Coordinator
<b>The CALIPER project: Linking research and innovation for gender equality</b>	HORIZON 2020	Institutional Coordinator
<b>Multifaceted Approaches to Migration in EU and Turkey</b>	Erasmus + Jean Monnet Chair	Coordinator



<b>Transatlantic Perspectives in a Changing Global Context: Multilateralism through Regionalism</b>	7.th Framework Programme	Researcher
<b>Empowering Youth Workers to Reach out Young Migrants and Refugees</b>	Erasmus+ KA2	Coordinator
<b>Migration-Security Nexus in the EU</b>	Erasmus + Jean Monnet Module	Coordinator
<b>MUSE-Musical Understanding of European Society</b>	LLP Intensive Programme	Coordinator
<b>Gamification as a Tool of Entrepreneurship and Inclusion for Young Refugees and Migrants</b>	Erasmus+ KA2	Institutional Coordinator
<b>Pathway Through Religions</b>	Erasmus+ KA2	Institutional Coordinator
<b>United in the Same Wine Glass</b>	LLP Grundtív Project	Coordinator
<b>EU-Middle East Network in Action</b>	Erasmus + Jean Monnet Network	Researcher
<b>Cammini Minimi</b>	Erasmus + KA2	Researcher
<b>Log Back to Life</b>	Erasmus + KA2	Researcher
<b>Gender Politics and EU in the Time of Crisis</b>	Erasmus + Jean Monnet Module	Researcher
<b>FLLLEX - The Impact of LLL Strategies on Professional Higher Education</b>	LLP Multilateral Projects	Researcher
<b>UBICAMP - Integrated Solution to Virtual Mobility Barriers</b>	LLP Multilateral Projects	Researcher

<b>İzmir'de AB Rüzgarı</b>	AB Bakanlığı	Researcher - Trainer
<b>Proje Zengini İzmir</b>	İZKA	Researcher - Trainer
<b>Unravelling the Mediterranean Migration Crisis</b>	ERSC Urgent Research Grants	Researcher
<b>Drylands Facing Change: Interdisciplinary Research on Climate Change, Food Insecurity</b>	Horizon 2020 COST Action	Management Committee Member
<b>Populist Political Communication in Europe</b>	Horizon 2020 COST Action	Management Committee Member
<b>The Political Economical Dimension of Opposing Stances Towards Refugees: A Research on Syrian Refugees in Turkey</b>	TUBİTAK 2221	Coordinator
<b>Volunteering in Action</b>	Gençlik Programı (2010)	Coordinator