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EDUCATION

2012 Inter-University Council of Turkey, Habilitation in Law
2002 Université Panthéon-Assas (Paris II), Ph D. in Public International Law
1996 Université Panthéon-Assas (Paris II), Master of Arts Programme in Public
International Law
1995 Sorbonne Language Education Programme (Paris)
1994 Attorney Apprenticeship, Bar of Ankara
1993 Faculty of Law, Ankara University

POSITIONS HELD

Oct 2018- April 2021 Einstein Foundation Senior Scholar
Humboldt Universität zu Berlin Institut für Sozialwissenschaften
Research project on “The Authoritarian Politics of Legality”
Taught MA course on “Legal and Political Functions of the Human Rights
Discourse”

Sept 2017- July 2018 Fellow at Berlin Institute for Advanced Studies
(Wissenschaftskolleg zu Berlin)
Research project on “State, Sovereignty, and Belonging: the Syrian Refugee
‘Crisis’ and Changing Legal Paradigms of Refugee Protection”

Jan-Oct 2017 Guest Professor at Georg-August-Universität Göttingen (Department of
Cultural Anthropology/European Ethnology) and University of Osnabrück
(Institute of Migration Research and Intercultural Studies)
Taught MA courses on “Gendering Syrian Refugee Crisis”, “Gender and
Refugee Rights” and “Forced Displacement and Gendered Justice”

Apr-July 2017	<p>Visiting Researcher and Lecturer at Humboldt University Department of Diversity and Social Conflict Taught BA course on “Gendering Syrian Refugee Crisis” Worked for the elaboration and taught at Kosmos Summer School Project on “Constitutive Powers of Migration”</p>
2012-2016	<p>Assoc. Prof, Istanbul University Faculty of Political Sciences, Public International Law BA courses: Public International Law, Human Rights, International Tribunals, Disputed Issues in Public International Law, MA courses: Law and Gender, Human Rights and Politics, Turkey and International Human Rights Norms PhD course: Critical Approaches to International Law</p>
2005-2012	<p>Assist. Prof, Istanbul University Faculty of Political Sciences, Public International Law BA courses: Public International Law, Human Rights, International Tribunals, MA: Human Rights and Politics, Turkey and International Human Rights Norms.</p>
2000-2005	<p>Research Assistant, Istanbul University Faculty of Political Sciences, Public International Law</p>
2003	<p>UNESCO Post Doc Fellow at UNESCO Headquarters (Paris, France) and Fribourg University (Switzerland)</p>
1997-2000	<p>Research Assistant, Adnan Menderes University Faculty of Economical and Administrative Sciences</p>

GRANTS

1. Einstein Foundation Senior Research Fellowship (2018-2021)
2. Institute for Advanced Study Berlin (Wissenschaftskolleg zu Berlin) Fellowship for Research (2017-2018)

3. United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) Post Doc Fellowship (2003)
4. Turkish Ministry of National Education Grant for Graduate Studies Abroad (1995-1996)

PROJECT EXPERIENCE

1. Researcher Kosmos Summer School Project on “Constitutive Powers of Migration”, Humboldt University zu Berlin, Start Date: March 2017 Duration: 4 Months.
2. Manager and Team Leader in the Project “Gender in Exile” International Academic Research Project founded by Istanbul University Scientific Research Projects Department (Research Project no: 52068), Start Date: March 2015 Duration: 25 Months
3. Researcher in the Project “Syrian Woman and LGBTI Refugees in Turkey”, Founded by Raoul Wallenberg Institute (Sweden) Human Rights Research Grant (Projet no: G006-14) Start date: May 2014 Duration: 6 months.

LANGUAGES:

Turkish (Mother Tongue)
French (Fluent)
English (Fluent)
German (Elementary)

LIST OF SELECTED PUBLICATIONS AND ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS

I. Books

1. *A Gendered Approach to the Syrian Refugee Crisis*, (co-editor with Jane Freedman and Nurcan Özgür Baklacioğlu), Routledge, 2017.
2. *Sürgünde Toplumsal Cinsiyet: İstanbul'da Suriyeli Kadın ve LGBTI Mülteciler (Gender and Exile: Female and LGBTI Syrian Refugees in Istanbul)*, (Co-author with Nurcan Özgür Baklacioğlu), Derin Yayınları, İstanbul, 2015.

3. *Üniversitelerde Disiplin Soruşturmaları: Öğrencilerin İfade ve Örgütlenme Özgürlüğü* (Students' freedom of expression and assembly: Disciplinary investigations in the universities), (Co-author with Kurt G., Dinçer H., Demir Gürsel E, Molu B), XII Levha Yayıncılık, İstanbul, 2013.
4. *Uluslararası Kamu Hukukunda İnsanlığın Ortak Mirası (Common Heritage of Humankind in Public International Law)*, On İki Levha Yayıncılık, İstanbul, 2010.

II. Articles and Book Chapters (Last ten years)

1. "The Politics of Legality of the Authoritarian Liberal Regime in Turkey", in *Regime Change in Turkey. Neoliberal Authoritarianism, Islamism, and Populism*, edited by Ezgi Pınar, Errol Babacan, Melehat Kutun, Zafer Yılmaz, Routledge, 2021.
2. "Feminism and Displacement", in *The Routledge Global History of Feminism*, edited by Bonnie G. Smith and Nova Robinson, Routledge, forthcoming 2021.
3. "Postcolonial encounters: The limits of feminist solidarities in the context of migration" in *Gender and Refugee Receptions Policies*, edited by Helen Schwenken and Sabine Hess, Springer, forthcoming 2021.
4. "Exiled Scholars and legal insecurity in Germany: An auto-ethnographic account", in *Scholars at Risk: History and Politics of the Protection of Endangered Scholars*, edited by Leyla Dakhli, Pascale Laborier and Frank Wolff, Springer, forthcoming 2021.
5. "Stateless Radical Democracy and Law in Autonomous Administration of North and East Syria", in *The Condition of Democracy and the Fate of Citizenship*, edited by Jürgen Mackert, Hannah Wolf and Bryan Turner, Routledge. forthcoming 2021.
6. "Migration Crises in Turkey", in *Oxford Handbook of Migration Crisis*, Cecilia Menjivar, Marie Ruiz and Immanuel Ness Eds., Oxford University Press, Oxford University Press, 2019, p.427-444.
7. "La démocratie radicale dans les discours légaux contemporains au Rojava au cœur de la 'crise' Syrienne : Une analyse genrée", in *How International Law Works in Times of Crisis*, Ineta Ziemele and George Ulrich Eds., European Society of International Law Series, Oxford University Press, September 2019, p.240-252.
8. "Gendering the State of Emergency Regime in Turkey", in *Transformations of Gender Regime in Turkey, Les Cahiers du Centre d'Enseignement, d'Education, de*

Documentation et de Recherches pour les Etudes Feministes (CEDREF) Ed. Azadeh Kian and Buket Türkmen, 2018, p.94-109.

9. "Das Geschlecht des türkischen Ausnahmezustands" in *Nach dem Putsch: 16 Anmerkungen zur »neuen« Türkei*, Ilker Ataç, Michael Fanizadeh, Volkan Açar, VIDC (Hg.), Mandelbaum Verlag, 2018, p.192-203.
10. "Articulating Human Rights Discourse in Local Struggles in the Neoliberal Age" in *The Politics of Legality in a Neoliberal Age*, Ben Golder and Daniel McLoughlin Eds, Routledge, 2018, p. 184-205.
11. Lesbian Gay Bisexual and Transsexual (LGBT) Syrian Refugees in Turkey, in *A Gendered Approach to the Syrian Refugee Crisis*, Freedman J., Kivılcım Z., Özgür Baklacioğlu N., Ed., Routledge, 2017, p.26-41
12. "Legal Violence against Syrian Female Refugees", *Feminist Legal Studies*, 2016, Vol.24, p.193-214.
13. "Yabancılar ve Uluslararası Koruma Kanunu ile Geçici Koruma Yönetmeliği: Toplumsal Cinsiyet Perspektifiyle bir Değerlendirme" (The Law on Foreigners and International Protection and the Temporary Protection Regulation: An Analysis with Gender Perspective), *Journal of Ankara University Faculty of Political Sciences-Ankara Üniversitesi SBF Dergisi*, 2016, Vol. 71, No: 3, p. 919 – 940.
14. "Evrensellik, Hegemonya ve İnsan Hakları" (Universality, Hegemony and Human Rights), in *Liberal Hakların, Hukukun ve Devletin Sınırları*, Erdağı B., Ed., Nota Bene Yayınevi, İstanbul, 2015, p.85-104.
15. "Human Rights, Asylum and Migration in Turkey", in *Building "Fortress Turkey" at the Southeastern Borders of the EU*, N. O. Baklacioğlu ve Y. Özer, Eds., The Edwin Mellen Press, New York, 2014, p.127-163.
16. "Ulus-Aşırı Şirketler ve İnsan Hakları: Bakü-Tiflis-Ceyhan Boru Hattı Örneği" (Transnational Corporations and Human Rights: The Case of Baku-Tbilisi-Ceyhan Pipeline Project), *Ankara Üniversitesi SBF Dergisi*, 2010, No: 65(3), p.87-122.

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS (LAST FIVE YEARS)

1. "Authoritarian politics of legality in the field of migration", ISA Forum (Virtual): Challenges of 21st Century: Democracy, Environment, Inequalities, Intersectionality, Porto Alegre, Brazil, 23-28 February 2021.

2. "Academic Freedom and Neo-liberal Authoritarianism in Turkey", Threats to Academic Freedom – Historical and Contemporary Perspective, Workshop Wissenschaftskolleg zu Berlin, 21-22 October 2020.
3. "Enduring Effects of the State of Emergency Measures in Turkey", Lecture at Leiden University Law School, 23 June 2020.
4. "The Politics of Legality of the Authoritarian Liberal Regime in Turkey", Conference on 'Rights and Equality in Contemporary Turkey', 13-15 November 2019, Humboldt University, Berlin.
5. "Is Rule of Law incompatible with Authoritarianism?", Lecture at Humboldt University Berlin, (contribution to the Lecture series on Mobility, Activism and Politics at the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences Department of Social Sciences), 30 October 2019.
6. "EU-Turkey Refugee Deal", Refugee Hosts International Conference, University College London, 24-25 October 2019.
7. "Reservations on the Istanbul Convention: Why do states want to exclude migrant and refugee women* from protection?", Keynote Speech, Annual Conference of Dachverband der Migrantinnenorganisationen (DaMigra), 6 September 2019, Erfurt.
8. "Postcolonial encounters: The limits of feminist solidarities in the context of migration", Keynote Speech, Feminist solidarities in the context of flight and migration, Panel organized by Research Center for Gender Studies at University Osnabrück, 25 January 2019.
9. "Women's movement and peace struggle in Turkey: The uses of international law instruments", Lecture at Bremen University, 11 January 2019.
10. "Migrant crisis" as the historical moment of Europe's "racial crisis", Workshop "Antidemokratische Konservative. Feinde einer offenen, solidarischen und gleichberechtigten Gesellschaft", 30. November- 2 December 2018, Hamburg.
11. "Gender and the Legality of the Postcolonial Politics of Borders", Roundtable 'Gender and Sexuality in the Politics of Borders', 10th European Feminist Research Conference, 12.-15. September 2018.
12. "Terminologies de l'insécurité juridique dans les pays d'accueil: Le harcèlement juridique des universitaires exilés", Conference on 'Endangered" Scholars and "Rescue" Policies. Recent Research and Future Prospects', Centre Marc Bloch Berlin, 27-29 June 2018.

13. "EU-Turkey Refugee Deal and the Changing Paradigms of Refugee Law", Lecture at Potsdam University, Centre for Citizenship, Social Pluralism and Religious Diversity, 31 May 2018.
14. "Legal Strategies and the Authoritarian Rule in Turkey", Workshop on Authoritarianism and Resistance in Turkey Universität Kassel, International Center for Development and Decent Work, 12-13 May 2018.
15. "La lutte des femmes de la Turquie pour la paix et le droit international" Co-authored paper with Hülya Dinçer at the European Society of International Law Annual Conference 'Global Public Goods, Global Commons and Fundamental Values: The Responses of International Law', Naples-Italy, 6 September 2017.
16. "Human Rights Problem in Turkey", "Kritische Türkeistudien Öffentliche Ringvorlesung", Institut für Turkistik, Duisburg-Essen University, 12 July 2017, Essen.
17. "Academic Freedom Under Threat – The Case of Turkey", Panel Discussion at Amsterdam University Amsterdam Institute for Humanities Research (AIHR), 30 May 2017.
18. "Struggle for Autonomy and Democracy - the Kurdish Movement in Turkey", Open lecture on Contemporary Turkey: Solidarity and Resistance, Alice Salomon Hochschule, Berlin, 23 May 2017.
19. "Turquie : Journalistes et universitaires sous l'Etat d'urgence", Presentation at the Conference Débat, Sciences Po Aix, France, 9 May 2017.
20. "Gendering the Emergency Regime in Turkey" presentation at Journée d'étude "Les transformations du régime du genre en Turquie Transformations of Gender Regime in Turkey", Université Paris7-Diderot, 24 March 2017.
21. "'Vulnerable' refugees and 'vulnerable' borders: Refugee law and vulnerability", Keynote speech at the Workshop Gender Migration Border: the concept of vulnerability and its pitfalls in border regime & gender studies, Göttingen University KAEE, 3-4 March 2017.
22. "Law as a strategic instrument of political resistance of academics", Presentation at the panel discussion on Politically Engaged Academia: Solidarity with the Academics for Peace in Turkey and Germany, Adam-von-Trott Saal, Georg-August-Universität-Göttingen, 10 February 2017.
23. "A Critical Approach to the EU-Turkey Deal", Workshop of the Kritnet-working group on Turkey: Local and national governance of migration within the context of

“Refugee Crisis” from Turkish and German Perspectives, 18-19 February 2017, Göttingen.

24. “La démocratie radicale dans les discours légaux contemporains au Rojava au coeur de la «crise» Syrienne: Une analyse genrée”, European Society of International Law Annual Conference 'How International Law Works in Times of Crisis?', 8-10 September 2016, Riga.
25. “Les femmes syriennes et les LGBTI réfugié-e-s en Turquie”. Journée d'études ‘Genre, violences de guerre et résistances dans les conflits actuels du Moyen-Orient’, University Paris 8, 15 April 2016
26. “Out-of-camp Syrian Women and LGBTI refugees in Turkey: amid legal blindness and structural violence”, ECAS 6th European Conference on African Studies, Paris, 8-10 July 2015.
27. "Out-Of-Camp Syrian Women and LGBTI Refugees: Exploring The Gendered Nature Of Turkey’s New Immigration Law", Law and Society 2015 Annual Meeting: Law’s Promise and Law's Pathos in the Global North and Global South, Seattle, USA, 28-31 May 2015.
28. "Syrian Women and LGBTI Refugees in Istanbul: Legal and Structural Violence", Women and War Conference: Upholding Gendered Peace at a Time of War Academics and Activists Speak Out on the Shifting Places of Women in the Arab World, Beirut, Lebanon, 8-11 June 2015.
29. “The legal framework that sets the basis for the protection of Syrian refugees’ right to health”, Panel: "Prioritizing Women - Adapting Refugee Health Services for 21st Century Health Challenges", Columbia Global Centers, Istanbul, 7 March 2015.
30. “Articulating Human Rights Discourse in Local Struggles in a Neoliberal Age”, The Politics of Legality in a Neoliberal Age Conference, 1-2 August 2014, University of NSW, Sydney.
31. “Legal Framework for the Protection of Out of Camp Syrian Refugees in Turkey”, 15th International Conference for the Study of Forced Migration, 15-19 July 2014, Bogota, Colombia.