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EDUCATION

Ph.D.	2007	Social Anthropology, New York University.	New York
M.A.	2000	Social Anthropology, New York University.	New York
B.A.	1997	Economics, Boğaziçi University.	İstanbul
B.A.	1997	Sociology, Boğaziçi University.	İstanbul
High school	1992	İzmir American Collegiate Institute	İzmir

AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS and RESEARCH GRANTS

2012	Boğaziçi University Outstanding Success in Research Award (Junior)
2012	American Research Institute in Turkey Fellowship
2011	United Nations Development Programme Research Fund
2007	American Anthropological Association Middle East Section Honorable Mention for the Outstanding Student Paper Award
2005	Wenner-Gren Anthropology Foundation Supplementary Fieldwork Grant
2003	Wenner-Gren Anthropology Foundation Dissertation Fieldwork Grant
2003	Annette Weiner Research Award, New York University, Department of Anthropology
2003	R.Bayly Winder Fellowship, New York University, Hagop Kevorkian Center for Near Eastern Studies

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2000- 2003	Teaching Assistantship, New York University, Department of Anthropology
2002- 1997	MacCracken Fellowship, New York University
1997	Highest Honors, Boğaziçi University, Department of Economics
1997	Highest Honors, Boğaziçi University, Department of Sociology

PUBLICATIONS

ARTICLES IN ENGLISH

"Life in Gridlock: Traffic and Transportation in the City." Forthcoming. In **Urban Life: Readings in the Anthropology of the City**, 6th eds. George Gmelch and Petra Kuppinger. Waveland Press.

"Towards an Anthropology of Traffic: A Ride through Class Hierarchies on Istanbul's Roadways." 2013. **Ethnos: Journal of Anthropology**, 78 (4):515-542 **[SSCI]**

"The Return to the Family: Welfare, State and Politics of the Family in Turkey", 2012. **Anthropological Quarterly.** 85(1): 103-140. **[SSCI]**

"Social Work and Social Exclusion in Turkey: an Overview" 2008. **New Perspectives on Turkey**: 38: 107-135. **[SSCI]**

"'Discovering Our Past': Are "We" Breaking Taboos? Reconstructing Ataturkism and the Past in Contemporary Turkey." 2001. *New Perspectives on Turkey*. 25: 1-30.

"Women, Social Policy and Reform: Reflections on the Turkish Case". 2013. In **Gender Equality and the Law**, eds. Fatma Güven Lisaniler and Suheyla Erbilen. Eastern Mediterranean University Press.

BOOK REVIEWS

Review of *Shaping Gender Policy* in Turkey by Gül Aldıkaçtı Marshall. *International Journal of Middle East Studies*.

ARTICLES IN TURKISH

"Devlet Antropolojisi." (Anthropology of the State). Forthcoming. In *Kültür Denen Şey* (This Thing Called Culture), eds. Ayfer Bartu Candan and Cenk Özbay. Metis Yayınları.

"Sosyal Politikanın Cinsiyeti." 2014. In *Dezavantajlı Gruplar ve Sosyal Politika*, ed. Betül Altuntaş, Nobel Yayıncılık: Ankara, 79-95.

"Güncel Sosyal Bilim Analizinin Sihirli Anahtarı: 'Neoliberalizm'?" 2013. *Toplum ve Bilim* 128: 7-31.

RESEARCH REPORTS

Kamu Reformu ve Sosyal Hizmetler: Farklı Reform Deneyimleri Üzerine Değerlendirmeler ve Öneriler. 2012. (Research Report prepared for UNDP, Ankara with Volkan Yılmaz ve Çağrı Boymul).

Türkiye'de Çocuk Bakım Hizmetlerinin Yaygınlaştırılmasına Yönelik Bir Öneri: Mahalle Kreşleri. 2009. Sosyal Politika Forumu Araştırma Raporu. (Research Report prepared for Bogazici University Social Policy Forum with Azer Kılıç ve Çağrı Yoltar).

RESEARCH PROJECTS

2014-	"Raising 'children in need of protection' in post-1980s Turkey" (Boğaziçi University Scientific Research Projects)
2012	"Children of the Turkish State?" (American Research Institute in Turkey)
2011 - 2012	"Global Experiences with Regard to Providing Inclusive Social Services" (United Nations Development Programme)
2008 - 2010	"The Restructuring of Social Work Policy in Turkey" (Boğaziçi University Scientific Research Projects)
2003-05	"Social Work in Turkey: Nation Making and the Modern Family" (Wenner-Gren Anthropology Foundation)

CONFERENCES ATTENDED and INVITED TALKS

May 2016	"Anthropological Analysis and Public Engagement in the Age of New Media." International Union of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences Inter-Congress 2016, Dubrovnik, Croatia.
June 2015	"Switching between on-line and on-site ethnography." International Society for Ethnology and Folklore 12 th Congress, Zagreb, Croatia.
April 2015	"Urban Ethnography on the Move." International Congress of Anthropology, Ankara, Turkey.
June 2014	"ICTs and Novel Forms of Violating Bodies and Persons." Association for Social Anthropologists Conference, Edinburg, Scotland.
June 2013	"New Communication Technologies; New Media and the Remaking of Gender and Power in Turkey." International Association for Media and Communication Research Conference, Dublin, Ireland.
November 2012	"Kameralar, Cinsellik, Şiddet." Ege University Gender, Sexuality and Violence in Culture and Literature Conference, Izmir, Turkey.
October 201	"Women, Social Policy and Reform: Reflections on the Turkish Case". 4 th International Conference on Gender Studies, East Mediterranean University, North Cyprus.
June 2012	"Kamu Reformu ve Sosyal Hizmetler". Koç University Social Policy Research Center Conference, Istanbul, Turkey.
November 2011	"Tracing Welfare Policy in Turkey." Annual Meetings of the American Anthropology Association, Montreal, Canada.
August 2010	"Inequality on the Road: Mapping the Divisions on the Highway that connects the Continents." European Association of Social Anthropologists Conference, Maynooth, Ireland.
November 2008	"Türkiye'de Sosyal Hizmet Politikası ve Toplumsal Cinsiyet Eşitsizlikleri." Koç University Gender Studies in Turkey Conference, Istanbul, Turkey.

April 2007	"Social Work and the Politics of the Family in Turkey: an Ethnographic Analysis." Boğaziçi University, the Ataturk Institute for Modern Turkish History, Istanbul, Turkey.
April 2007	"Social Work and Welfare Restructuring in Turkey: Reflections on Social Policy and Inequalities in Comparative Perspective." Sabancı University Cultural Studies Speaker Series, Istanbul, Turkey.
November 2006	"Work and Subjectivity in Precarious Situations." Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, San Jose, U.S.A.
April 2006	"Social Work and the Family at the Crossroads of Welfare Reform in Turkey." Koç University, Istanbul, Turkey.
December 2005	"State Social Policy, Governance and the Constitution of Familial Subjects: Social Work in Turkey." Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, Washington DC, U.S.A.
October 2005	"Social Work Policy and Practice in the Context of Welfare Reform in Contemporary Turkey." Changing Values, Changing Welfare States Workshop, Bremen University, Germany.
May 2001	"Discovering Our Past: Who Remembers What and When." Boğaziçi University and the University of Michigan, Comparative Cultural Politics Project Workshop, Istanbul, Turkey.
March 2000	"The 'National Past' in Contemporary Turkey." AGSA Symposium, New York University, NY, U.S.A.

TEACHING

Courses Taught at Boğaziçi University

Anthropology of Turkey Theorizing Neoliberalization Selected Topics in Social Theory: Anthropology and History Ethnographic Methods Social Policy

REVIEWING

American Anthropologist
American Ethnologist
Ethnos: Journal of Anthropology
Medical Anthropology
International Journal of Middle East Studies
New Perspectives on Turkey
Boğaziçi University Press

MEMBERSHIPS

American Anthropological Association
Middle East Section
Association for the Anthropology of Policy
Society for Urban, National and Transnational/Global Anthropology