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Professional Summary

An aspiring journalist and political scientist who has been studying for 5 years in the US. Trained in international affairs, political science and history in the US and Turkey, with experience in journalism in several formats, covering world affairs and social justice issues.

EDUCATION

Master of Arts, Political Science *Expected Graduation Date June 2022*

The Graduate Center, City University of New York

Master of Arts, International Affairs and Global Justice *June 2019*

Brooklyn College, City University of New York

. Master Thesis: Working Class Support for Contemporary Right-Wing Nationalism: A Comparative Analysis of the USA and Turkey

Bachelor of Science, Global and International Affairs, Minor in History *August 2016*

Binghamton University, State University of New York

Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey

Degree awarded through joint dual-diploma program

RELATED EXPERIENCE

The Migrant Center of New York, Inc. New York, USA *October 2019 - December 2019*
Outreach, Advocacy and Networking Coordinator

Scriberr Media LLC, California, USA *September 2019 - October 2019*
News Reporter Internship

National Writers Union / UAW Local 1981, New York, USA *August 2018 – Current*
NY Steering Committee Member

The Journal of International Affairs, CUNY Brooklyn College, New York *January 2019 – June 2019*
Editor

WBAI Pacifica Radio 99.5 fm, New York, USA *September 2016 – September 2017*
Reporter Intern at WBAI Evening News

Evrensel Newspaper, Istanbul, Turkey *September 2015 – Current*
Volunteer Correspondent in the US

Hayatin Sesi TV Channel, Istanbul, Turkey *September 2015 – September 2016*
US Correspondent

ADDITIONAL

Memberships: METU (Middle East Technical University) Political Science Club Membership (2014-2015) / METU Hariciye Journal Membership (2011-2013) / METU GIA Representative in The Student Assembly of METU (Fall 2011 - Spring 2012)

Fellowship: Rose Goldstein Memorial Scholarship 2018 / Donald and Mary Ellen Passantino International Students Scholarship 2018

Computer Skills: R (Basics) / Adobe Audition 1.5 / Final Cut Pro X / Adobe InDesign / Excel / Word / Stata (Basics) / Facebook / Twitter / Instagram / YouTube / StreamYard / Zoom

Language Skills: Turkish (Native) / English (Fluent) /

Teaching Skills: Online Teaching Essentials Certificate - CUNY SPS

PRESENTATIONS & CONFERENCES

POLITICAL EDUCATION LOBBYING CONFERENCE, Albany, New York *March 2020*

Summit Topic: Meeting with state political incumbents and drawing attention on UAW-supported bills

Organizer: UAW Regions 9 & 9A New York State Community Action Program

Duty: Lobbyist (Beginner)

ORGANIZING 2.0 CONFERENCE, The Murphy Institute, New York *April 2019*

Workshop Topics: Social media and worker organizing, media coverage, digital engagement

Organizer: CUNY Murphy Institute, NY State AFL-CIO, NYC Central Labor Council

Duty: Organizer Attendee

WALL STREET JOURNAL STUDENT EDITOR SUMMIT, NY, New York *October 2018*

Summit Topic: Media, news, and opinion

Organizer: Wall Street Journal

Duty: Student Attendee

US PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS, METU, Ankara *November 2016*

Presented: "On the Presidential Elections" via Skype

Organizer: METU Political Science Club

Presentation Title: The Social Dynamics and The Presidential Elections in the USA

CRISIS IN TURKEY, NY, New York *October 2016*

Presented: "Crisis in Turkey"

Organizer: The National Writers Union & PSC-CUNY

Presentation Title: The Political-Economic Analysis of the Attempted Coup in Turkey

FIFTH BIENNIAL SUNY Binghamton Grad Student Conference, Binghamton, New York *April 2016*

Presented: "Kurdish Unrest in Turkey and Syria"

Organizer: The SUNY Binghamton Sociology Graduate Student Union

Presentation Title: The Political Possibilities in the Rojava (Syrian Kurdistan) and Syria

11th&12th The NATIONAL CONGRESS of SOCIAL SCIENCES, Ankara, Turkey *December 2009 - 2011*

Session Title: The sessions about the Kurdish question

Organizer: The Turkish Social Science Association

Duty: Volunteer Assistance