## KEMAL GUNAY

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## **EDUCATION**

2018 – 2022 **Istanbul University,** Institute of Social Sciences Ph.D

Thesis topic: "Climate Crisis and Public Relations"

2015 – 2018 **Istanbul University,** Institute of Social Sciences

Postgraduate in Corporate Communication

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

2019 - 2022 **Istanbul University,** New Media Researcher - Scholarship

- Field of Study: Digital Media, Environmental Communication and Communication Sciences, Data Science, Political Discourse
- Analysis Methods: Text mining & NLP; Topic Modelling (LDA, STM), Social Network Analysis, Text Clustering
- Academic research tools: Python, RStudio, SPSS, NVivo Software

2021 – 2022 **Data Science & ML School,** Bootcamp Participant

Hands-on-experience via projects; CRM Analytics; Recommendation Systems;
 Measurement, Regression, Classification and Time Series Problems; NLP, MS SQL,
 Big Data and Production Level Data Science.

2018 – 2019 **Istanbul Gelisim University,** Researcher

- Field of Study: Digital Media and Communication Sciences, NLP & Text Mining, Data Visualization, Machine Learning
- Academic research through Python, RStudio, SPSS, NVivo Software

# **PUBLICATIONS & CONFERENCES**

- <u>Value-Based Communication during Covid-19 pandemic: A study on the Twitter</u> messages of Turkish Ministry of Health
- An Investigation of Candidate Leaders' Tweet Campaigns Prior to the Istanbul Metropolitan Municipal Elections Using Big Data Text Mining
- <u>Topic Modeling Analysis Of Ngo's Twitter Postings Between 2020-2021 In Turkey Within The Context Of Climate Change Communication</u>
- Digital Siege Is the Internet of Things Transforming a Surveillance Tool?
- CTC 2021 3rd Communication and Technology Congress 12-14 April, Istanbul
- 19th Annual International Conference on Communication and Mass Media, 10-11 May 2021, Athens, Greece

### **TECH SKILLS**

 Python, RStudio, SPSS, SQL, Docker, Hadoop, Spark, Git, Google Data Studio, Tableau

#### DATA SCIENCE & MACHINE LEARNING PROJECTS

- NLP (Text Mining, Review Modeling, Word Embeddings, Text Classification)
- Recommendation Systems (ARL, Collaborative Filtering, MF)
- House Price Prediction Model
- Demand Forecasting Time Series
- CRM Analytics (KPI, Cohort, CLTV, Segmentation)
- BG-NBD: Expected Sales Forecasting
- Gamma-Gamma: Expected Average Profit
- RFM Analysis & Churn Analysis
- Automation and Model Deployment (Flask, makefile)
- Measurement Problems (AB Testing, Sorting)

### **REFERENCES:**

- Prof. Dr. Yesim Gucdemir
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### **PORTFOLIO**

GitHub:

https://github.com/KemalGunay

#### Kaggle:

https://www.kaggle.com/kemalgunay

LANGUAGES: Native Turkish speaker, English-C1, German-A2, French-A2, Spanish-A2