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# **EDUCATION**

# A-Level Student | Bedales School

Hampshire, England

A-Levels: Economy, Fashion Design, Mathematics

Sep 2022 – Ongoing Anticipated Graduation – August 2024

# **Grades 9-11 | Private Ekrem Elginkan High School**

Sep 2020 – Jun 2022

Istanbul, Turkey

Followed the Turkish Ministry of Education (MEB) curriculum, courses taken in Mathematics, Physics, Biology, Chemistry, English, Turkish Literature, History, Geography, and more



# **EXPERIENCE**

# **INTERN** | Oztiryakiler Inc.

# Summers and Early Falls of 2021 – 2023

- Represented the company at its stand in <u>HOSTECH by TUSID Istanbul</u>, the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Hotel, Restaurant, Café, Bakery Equipment and Technologies Fair on September 20-24<sup>th</sup> 2023 and interacted with attendees to raise brand awareness, expand the customer base and get to know competitors, advertised new products and identified company shortcomings for later business strategising
- Assisted in developing a new technical support website and process for the company with a focus on increasing customer commitment and social media presence as well as decreasing ticket-solving times
- Accompanied the Oztiryaki Marketing Manager on his visits to company retailers in Sultanahmet, Buyukcekmece, Diyarbakir, Antep, Adana and Bolu, and learned how the main company constructs effective cross-cultural communication with retailers
- Supported the company's relief for earthquake regions by supplying kitchen equipment and relief kits for the women in the area, a project led by the female employees, in collaboration with the UN
- Participated in corporate involvements such as the organisation of cultural festivals sponsored by Oztiryakiler to uphold our cultural values in Sultanahmet and Buyukcekmece, planting forests in the name of fathers for Father's Day, creating waste-free corporate policies, and digitisation of records



# **ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT**

#### **Private Algorithm Study**

Jul 2023 – Ongoing

- Study algorithmic thinking with an associate professor to improve my problem-solving skills
- Learn coding (programming languages listed below in Skills) and entry-level data-mining

## **NPTEL Course: Strategic Management**

Oct 2023

- Studied horizontal and vertical integrations, importance of diversification and synergy, screening processes, and the challenges associated with performance measuring
- Examined the five-step model for evaluation and control and Strategy Audits
- Earned a CPD certification in strategic implementation

# **Course Cloud Training: Fundamentals of Retail Analytics**

**Sep 2023** 

- Examined the challenges involved in retail analytics and the fundamental principles of retail analytics, earning a CPD certification
- Learned about the advantages of retail supply chain management, the workings of retail psychology, the effectiveness of marketing strategies across channels, and the steps to establish an efficient sales process taking targeting trends and customers into consideration



# **SPORTS**

Fitness Coach Sep 2023 – Ongoing

• Coach Bedales students who visit the school gym for various sports, motivating them to train and making sure they perform appropriate exercises for their personal goals, 9 hours a week

• Analyse and observe athletes from multiple perspectives and provide feedback on their performance

 Fencing
 2013 – 2022

 TED Sports Club
 2019 – 2022

 Istanbul Fencing Academy
 2013 – 2019

- Licensed Class C with the <u>Turkish Fencing Federation</u> with seven individual participations representing Turkey in international events as a national athlete between 2019 and 2021
- Earned several medals in regional and national competitions, ranked 10<sup>th</sup> internationally at the U14 Stars Circuit Tournament held in Sophia, Bulgaria on March 9-10, 2019, and ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> in the Europe leaderboard when all tournament results were averaged across the year in 2019

# Swimming at Buyukada Youth and Water Sports Club

Summers of 2019 – 2022

High School Sports Clubs	2019 – 2022
Basketball Club	Sep 2021 – Jun 2022
Volleyball Club	Sep 2021 – Jun 2022
Badminton Club	Sep 2021 – Jun 2022
Table Tennis Club	Sep 2021 – Jun 2022
Kickboxing Club	Sep 2019 – Jun 2020

# **E-Sports:** Razer Invitational – Fortnite

2021

 Came in third place with a three-person team among hundreds of teams and won \$5000 from the prize pool



## **SKILLS AND HOBBIES**

- Turkish (Native)
- Piano

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- English (Advanced)
- Japanese (Beginner)
- Python

• Spanish (A2)