## **CURRICULUM VITAE**



## PERSONAL INFORMATION

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#### **EDUCATION**

2012-..... Istanbul Technical University-Istanbul-Turkey (PhD student)
2008-2011 Istanbul Technical University-Istanbul-Turkey (Physics Engineering, MSc)

<u>Thesis title</u>: Dielectric Spectroscopy of Hydrogen bonding Thermotropic Side Chain Liquid Crystalline Polymers

**2001-2007 Izmir Institute of Technology** —Izmir-Turkey (Faculty of Science, department of Physics (English), B.S.) GPA:3.06/ 4.00 (honour degree with the 3rd highest mark)

<u>Graduation Project</u>: Fabrication of Large Area Mesas on Superconducting Bi<sub>2</sub>Sr<sub>2</sub>CaCu<sub>2</sub>O<sub>8+x</sub> and Tunneling Characteristics of Intrinsic Josephson Junctions

1996-2000 Savastepe Anatolian Teacher Training High-school—Balıkesir-Turkey

## **AWARDS**

- KOÇ Foundation- education grant (2012-2013 Academic year)
- Graduation with honour degree in B.S. education (Izmir Institute of Technology, Physics department -2007)

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCES**

**February 2010- continuing** Istanbul Technical University (Research Assistant Physics Engineering)

# The courses given at Istanbul Technical University:

Physics I Laboratory

Physics II Laboratory

Statistical Phy.&Thermodynamics Laboratory

Physics III (Problem solving hours)

Modern Physics (Problem solving hours)

Analytical Mechanics (Problem solving hours)

Quantum Mechanics II (Problem solving hours)

Electromagnetik Theory (Problem solving hours)

**December 2003- June 2007** Community Volunteers Foundation (TOG)-Sustainable social project/ volunteer educator and project advisor

#### **PRESENTATIONS**

**December 2012-** "The molecular dynamics and phase transitions of crosslinking polymers with long alkyle side chains (dry and swollen states)", 16.National Symposium of Liquid State Physics, supported by Piri Reis University, Istanbul, (oral presentation)

**September 2012-** "Dielectric Spectroscopy of hydrogen bonded Thermotropic Liquid Crystalline polymer with six methylene units in the side chain " (Broadband Dielectric Spectroscopy Congress 2012, Leipzig, Germany, poster)

May-June 2011- "Second course on Dielectric Spectroscopy", San Sebastian, Spain

**September 2010-** "Dielectric Spectroscopy and Phase Behavior of Side Chain Liquid Crystalline Copolymers" (6th International Conference on Broadband Dielectric Spectroscopy and its Applications, Madrid, Spain ,poster)

**November 2008**- "Structure of Metal-Oxide-Semiconductor capacitors"—(oral presentation)-ITU- Turkey

**August 2007**- "Fabrication of Large Area Mesas on Superconducting  $Bi_2Sr_2CaCu_2O_{8+x}$  and Tunneling Characteristics of Intrinsic Josephson Junctions" (24th International Physics Congress, Malatya, Turkey, poster)

May 2007- "Fabrication and electrical characterization of natural intrinsic Josephson Junctions of BISCCO superconductive crystal" —experimental working in period of 1 year (at the end of year, oral presentation and reporting, IZTECH - Turkey)

## RESEARCH TOPICS AND INSTRUMENTATION

- -Laser Spectroscopy
- -Production and characterization of nanophosphors
- Bridgman Single Crystal Growth System
- -Sol-gel synthesis
- -Melt quenching method

## Previous Experiences:

- Broadband Dielectric Spectroscopy (BDS- Novocontrol) system and nonlinear curve fitting
- Spectroscopic Ellipsometry system
- Thin film deposition techniques (Ion beam deposition, Sputtering)
- Superconductivity superconductor materials and I-V measurements
- Dielectric spectroscopy, dielectric materials and phase transitions

- Polymeric materials and biopolymers
- MOS structures

## **COMPUTER SKILLS**

- Microsoft Office Programmes (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, etc.),
- Fortran77 (intermediate level)
- Solidworks (basic level)
- Matlab
- Sigmaplot
- Origin (intermediate level)
- WINDETA, WINFIT (BDS Novocontrol softwares)

# **LANGUAGES**

Turkish: Native language,

English: Advanced in reading skill, good at speaking and writing skills.

Russian: Basic knowledge