

Curriculum Vitae

General Information

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Education

- Master of Science, still pursuing
Institution: [Department of Computer Engineering, Boğaziçi University](#), Istanbul, Turkey
Advisor: [Susan Uskudarli](#)
- Bachelor of Science, 2023
Institution: Department of Computer Engineering, Boğaziçi University
- High School Diploma, 2015
Institution: [Şehremini Anadolu Lisesi](#), Istanbul

Internships

- Automated UI Testing, Summer 2022
Company: [Trailblu](#), Istanbul
- Machine Learning, Winter 2022
Company: [Caretta Software](#), Istanbul

Volunteering

- Student Volunteer, May 2023
Conference: [EACL 2023](#), Dubrovnik, Croatia

Assistantships

- Student Assistant, Fall 2022
Course: CMPE150 - Introduction to Computing
Institution: Department of Computer Engineering, Boğaziçi University
Teacher: [Murat Özyurt](#)

Projects

- Turkish Language Processing Platform ([TULAP](#)), 2022-now
Development of a research output platform
[Demonstration Video](#)
For details, [see](#)
- A Collaborative Web Tool for Linguistic Annotation ([BoAT](#)), 2022-now
Senior Project, CMPE492
Advisor: [Susan Uskudarli](#)
[Reference Video](#), [Repository](#)
For details, [see](#)

Publications

- TULAP - An Accessible and Sustainable Platform for Turkish Natural Language Processing Resources, 2023
Authors: Uskudarli S, Şen M, **Akkurt F**, Gürbüz M, Gungor O, Özgür A, Güngör T.
Conference: EACL 2023
[PDF](#)
- BoAT v2 - A Web-Based Dependency Annotation Tool with Focus on Agglutinative Languages, 2022
Authors: **Akkurt SF**, Marşan B, Uskudarli S.
Conference: ALTNLP 2022
[PDF](#)
- Enhancements to the BOUN Treebank Reflecting the Agglutinative Nature of Turkish, 2022
Authors: Marşan B, **Akkurt SF**, Şen M, Gürbüz M, Güngör O, Özateş ŞB, Üsküdarlı S, Özgür A, Güngör T, Öztürk B.
Conference: ALTNLP 2022
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Conferences

- SCOL 2023, May 2023
Student Conference on Linguistics, Istanbul, Turkey
Presented *Collaborative Annotation Tool*.
[Presentation Video](#)
- EACL 2023, May 2023
The 17th Conference of the European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics, Dubrovnik, Croatia
Presented *TULAP - An Accessible and Sustainable Platform for Turkish Natural Language Processing Resources*, system demonstration.

- ALTNLP 2022, June 2022

The International Conference and Workshop on Agglutinative Language Technologies as a challenge of Natural Language Processing, Koper, Slovenia

Presented *BoAT v2 - A Web-Based Dependency Annotation Tool with Focus on Agglutinative Languages*.

Open Source Contributions

- [Universal Dependencies](#)
 - [Turkish BOUN Treebank](#)
 - [Turkish IMST Treebank](#)

Languages

- Turkish: Native
- English: Bilingual
- Arabic, Japanese, Italian, Korean: Intermediate (studied their grammars)
- Spanish, French: Elementary

Interests

- Computational Linguistics, Linguistic Variation, Phonology.

Extracurricular Activities

- Like solving crosswords, problems, [KenKen](#) and similar puzzles. Solved 60+ problems on [Project Euler](#).
- Regular contributor to [certain Wikimedia Projects](#).
- Regular contributor to and transcriber on [Genius](#).
- Love listening to podcasts.
- Acted in a school play in my second year of high school (2013).
- Played quite a lot of table tennis and basketball.

Further Links

- [GitHub](#)
- [LinkedIn](#)
- [Twitter](#)