

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

Middle East Technical University (B.Sc.), Ankara, TURKEY – (2011 – 2016)

Major Programme: Business Administration, **CGPA:** 2.75/4.00

- **Courses Taken:** Professional Selling, Marketing Research, Negotiations Process, Business Forecasting, Project Management, Industrial Organizations, Creativity and Innovation in Organizations

Xiamen University, Xiamen, CHINA (Exchange) – (Spring 2014)

- **Courses Taken:** Management Communication
- **Personal Statement:** The exchange program brought me an opportunity to learn lots of new things and to acquire an adaptation skill in a totally different culture.

Kabataş High School, İstanbul, TURKEY – (2006 – 2011)

- Kabataş High School is one of the best and long-established high schools in Turkey which only accepts top students in the high school entrance exam.

WORK EXPERIENCES

Turkish Air Force, Reserve Officer – (October 2018 – October 2019)

12th Air Transportation Main Base Command Finance Department

- **Main Duties:** Following and helping the accrue ment of command payments including direct supplies, open tender procedures and restricted procedures. And being 24-hour watch officer several times (Representation of the colonel out of working hours and command of all privates and five subordinates).

Alarko Holding A.Ş., Accounting Internship – (July 2015)

- **Main Duties:** Conducting daily processes between Takasbank and the company, documentation of the accounting entries and conducting the correspondence of reconciliation statements.

MEMBERSHIPS

Kabataş High School - Society of Economics – (2006 – 2009) Head of Finance Department

- **Main duties:** Capital budgeting and working capital management in projects

Junior Achievement – (2006 – 2009)

- As a member of Society of Economics in Kabataş High School, my teammates and I were representing my school's company in Junior Achievement's activities.

PROJECTS & CERTIFICATES

METU Confucius Institute & Huawei Summer Camp – (September 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018)

- Certificates earned for organizing the event and helping Chinese teachers to communicate with Turkish Children. Having part each year after becoming the essential part of the team.

Capital Markets Board of Turkey Education Seminar– (June 2016)

- Certificate earned for participating a semi-annually held education seminar for selected senior students in which students can acquire comprehensive knowledge about capital markets operations and the board's structure.

İstanbul Autistic Children Education Center “I Have a Buddy” Project – (May 2010)

- Certificate earned for participating the project where I taught how to take photos to my Buddy.

1st National Junior Achievement Companies Fair – (February 2008)

- Certificate earned for participating a fair where student companies competed with each other. Also, my company earned “The Best Company Achievement” in the competition.

Junior Achievement Entrepreneurship Conference – (March 2007)

- Certificate earned for attending the ‘Entrepreneurship Conference’ in Robert College.

First Aid Volunteers Education Program – (November 2006)

- Certificate earned for completing a first aid education program held by İstanbul Metropolitan Municipality.

LINGUISTIC PROFICIENCY

Mother tongue	Turkish				
Other languages	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C1	C2	C1	C1	C2
	• The medium of instruction at Middle East Technical University is English.				
Chinese	A1	A1	A1	A1	A1
	• I started learning Chinese when I was in China for the exchange program. I took Chinese courses both in China and Turkey.				

Levels: A1/A2: Basic user - B1/B2: Independent user - C1/C2 Proficient user

COMPUTER SKILLS

MS Office Applications : Word, Excel, PowerPoint

Other Software : SPSS, Minitab, Crystal Ball, EViews, MS Project, Photoshop, Dreamweaver

Operating Systems : Mac OSX/OS, Windows XP/7/8/10

INTERESTS

Skiing

Travelling

Camping

Photography