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EDUCATION

Ph.D.	2024
Bogazici University, Istanbul, Turkey	Master-Integrated Program
Department of Economics	
Dissertation: Essays on Migration and Mobility	
Bachelor of Science	2016
Bogazici University, Istanbul, Turkey	
Department of Industrial Engineering	
Exchange Student	2015
Delft University of Technology, Netherlands	
Faculty of Technology, Policy and Management	

RESEARCH & TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIP

Bogazici University, Department of International Trade	2019 - Present
· INTT 527 Research Methods (M.A.)	
· INTT 321 Quantitative Analysis and Applications (B.A.)	
· INTT 227-228 Applied Statistics I & II (B.A.)	
Bogazici University, Department of Economics	2017 - 2018
· EC 101 Introduction to Microeconomics (B.A.)	
· CMPE 150 Introduction to Computing for Economics (B.A.)	

FIELDS OF INTEREST

Applied Microeconomics, Labor and Demographic Economics, Migration, Gender and Violence

COMPUTER SKILLS

STATA, R, Python, Matlab, SPSS, ArcGIS, L^AT_EX, Microsoft Office

RESEARCH PAPERS

Publications

- Intergenerational Power Shift and the Rise of Non-arranged Marriages Among Refugees (with Andrew D. Foster and Murat G. Kirdar) [[Paper Link](#)] (Accepted to *Demography*)

Working Papers

- The Effects of Civil War and Forced Migration on Intimate Partner Violence among Syrian Refugee Women in Jordan (with Murat G. Kirdar) [[Paper Link](#)] (Submitted)

Works in Progress

- The Effect of Rental Prices on Student Mobility [[Abstract](#)]

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS & WORKSHOPS/SUMMER SCHOOLS

- International Conference of Middle East Economics Association (MEEA), September 2024
- European Economic Association (EEA-ESEM) 2024 Congress, Rotterdam, August 2024
- Turkey Computational Social Sciences Conference 2024, Koc University, May 2024
- BROAD-ER International Winter School on International Migration, Amsterdam, January 2024
- Turkish Economic Association, The 30th Conference on Economics, Antalya, November 2023
- CSS Summer School, "Recent Advances in Computational Social Sciences Methods", ISI Foundation, Turin, July 2023
- Workshop on the Economics of the Refugee Migration, Bogazici University, June 2023
- Social ComQuant Workshops, "Conflict and Forced Migration: Social Media as Event Data", Koc University, March 2023
- European Commission, MSCA-IF-2020 Global Fellowship Project Meeting, An Analysis of Educational, Labor Market, Demographic and Health Outcomes of Syrian Refugees in Turkey, Hacettepe University, January 2023
- International Istanbul Economics Research Conference, Istanbul University, November 2022

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

- The Council of Higher Education 100/2000 Doctoral Scholarship (2017 - 2019)
Support for doctoral research in thematic priority fields in Turkey
- Honor Degree (2016)
For the students whose GPA is 3.00 or above in undergraduate in Bogazici University
- Achievement Scholarship of Turkish Prime Ministry (2011 - 2016)
For top 100 students in University Entrance Exam

PERSONAL

Date of Birth: 22.01.1994

Citizenship: Turkish

Languages: Turkish (Native), English (Advanced, TOEFL iBT: 103/120)

REFERENCES

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