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#### **EDUCATION**

### Middle East Technical University

Ankara, Turkey

Aerospace Engineering; 4th Year, CGPA: 2.49

Sept 2019 - Ongoing

Courses: Fluid Mechanics, Numerical Methods, Heat Transfer, Aerodynamics, Applied Elasticity, Aerospace Structures

#### SKILLS SUMMARY

• Languages: C/C++, Fortran, MATLAB, LaTeX

• Softwares: Catia, Siemens NX, SolidWorks, Fusion 360, xflr5, MS Excel, Illustrator

EXPERIENCE

## METU Aerospace Society

Head of Communication

Jan 2020 - March 2021

• Responsible for interactions, announcements within the community and social media accounts of the community.

#### Airfighters.com

Editor and Representative

Nov 2021 - Ongoing

- Followed and shared the world aviation news on a weekly basis...
- $\circ\,$  Designed the graphics needed for the page.
- METU representative of the page.

# Turkish Aerospace Industries (TUSAŞ)

Long Term Intern

Dec 2021 - May 2022

- Worked on the modeling of structural parts.
- Used mostly shape design, part design and assembly workbenches of Catia.
- Contributed to modification projects by making detailed research and reports.
- Researched, modeled and finished a concept modification study.

## 5. Main Maintenance Factory of Turkish Armed Forces

Intern

July 2021 - Aug 2022

- All phases of the helicopter maintenance at the depot level, especially the main body, engine and composite, were observed.
- Did the disassembly and assembly of the body parts of different types of helicopters.
- $\circ$  Contributed to the installation of missile warning systems on relevant helicopters.
- Performed a test flight with a Sikorsky S-70 Helicopter after maintenance.

## TÜBİTAK Space Technologies Research Institute (TÜBİTAK UZAY)

InternStudied in detail on spacecraft orbital and attitude dynamics.

Aug 2021 - Sep 2022

- Made orbital modeling and visualization using right ascension and declination data by using MATLAB.
- Contributed technical observations at advanced satellite production and control facilities of TÜBİTAK UZAY.
- Participated in presentations of future projects of the Institute.

## Projects

#### • UAV for Teknofest International Unmanned Aircraft Competition 2021 - TÜBİTAK:

- $\circ\,$  Member and pilot of the METU Airbenders team.
- $\circ\,$  Designed various sizings for a UAV under 4 kg and its payload system.
- Studied for the image processing code to detect the release area during the mission.
- Prepared the fully autonomous control code using px4 autopilot.

## • VTOL UAV for METU VTOL Competition 2020 - Boeing:

- Member of the METU Airbenders team.
- o Designed various sizings for a VTOL(vertical take-off and landing) UAV under 4 kg.
- Performed aerodynamic analysis mainly using XFLR5.
- The UAV was designed as a quadplane and to carry payload dangling at the end of a 1 meter long rope.

# • UAV for Teknofest International Unmanned Aircraft Competition 2020 - TÜBİTAK:

- Member and pilot of the HUMA team.
- o Designed main frame, landing gear, and payload system by using Fusion360 for a quadcopter UAV under 4 kg.
- o Manufactured the frame with CNC using aluminum composite and other components with 3D Printer using PLA.
- $\circ\,$  Performed test flights and then made optimizations.

#### • International Space Apps Challenge 2020 - NASA:

o Developed the basic space game named Fight For Future using Unity and Blender with the team.