

## Omer Faruk Orsun

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RESEARCH INTERESTS	International Politics: international conflict, alliance politics, foreign policy analysis Data Science: measurement, modeling, machine learning, survey methods	
ACADEMIC & ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS	<p><b>New York University   Abu Dhabi</b> Abu Dhabi, UAE</p> <p><b>Visiting Assistant Professor of Political Science</b>, <i>Divison of Social Science</i> 2023 - Ong. Visiting Lecturer of Political Science, Instructor, <i>Divison of Social Science</i> 2019 - 2023</p> <p><b>Istanbul University</b> Istanbul, Turkey</p> <p>Assistant Professor of International Politics, <i>Faculty of Political Science</i> 2016 - 2019 Member of the Executive Board, <i>Statistics Research Center</i> 2018 - 2019</p> <p><b>Harvard University</b> Cambridge, MA</p> <p>Postdoctoral Research Fellow, <i>Institute for Quantitative Social Science</i> 2016 - 2017 President, <i>Faculty of Arts &amp; Sciences Postdoctoral Association</i> 2016 - 2017 Predoctoral Research Fellow, <i>Department of Government</i> 2013 - 2014</p>	
EDUCATION	<p><b>Koç University</b> Istanbul, Turkey</p> <p>PhD in International Relations, <i>Department of International Relations</i> 2009 - 2015</p> <p><b>University of Essex</b> Colchester, UK</p> <p>MA in International Relations, <i>Department of Government</i> 2007 - 2008</p> <p><b>Istanbul University</b> 2003 - 2007</p> <p>BA in Public Administration, <i>Faculty of Political Science</i> Istanbul, Turkey</p>	
JOURNAL ARTICLES	<p>Muhammet A. Bas and Omer F. Orsun (2021) Regime Uncertainty and Interstate Conflict, <i>International Studies Quarterly</i>. 65:3, 838–851</p> <p>Muhammet A. Bas, Omer F. Orsun &amp; Robert J. Schub (2018) Accounting for Extra-Dyadic Sources of International Outcomes, <i>International Interactions</i>. 44:4, 777-800</p> <p>Michael Bernhard, Omer F. Orsun &amp; Resat Bayer (2017) Democratization in Conflict Research: How Conceptualization Affects Operationalization and Testing Outcomes, <i>International Interactions</i>. 43:6, 941-966</p> <p>Omer F. Orsun, Resat Bayer &amp; Michael Bernhard (2017) Democratization and Conflict in <i>Oxford Encyclopedia of Empirical International Relations Theory</i>, eds. William Thompson. (reprinted as book chapter in 2018)</p> <p>S. Erdem Aytac, Michael Mousseau &amp; Omer F. Orsun (2016) Why Some Countries are Immune from the Resource Curse: The Role of Economic Norms, <i>Democratization</i>. 23:1, 71-92.</p>	
BOOK CHAPTERS	<p>Michael Mousseau, Omer F. Orsun &amp; Jameson Ungerer (2013) Capitalism and Peace: It's Keynes, Not Hayek, in <i>The Capitalist Peace</i>, eds. G. Schneider and N.P. Gleditsch. Routledge.</p> <p>Michael Mousseau, Omer F. Orsun &amp; Jameson Ungerer (2013) Does the Market-Capitalist Peace Supersede the Democratic Peace, in <i>The Capitalist Peace</i>, eds. G. Schneider and N.P. Gleditsch. Routledge</p>	

ARTICLES IN TURKISH OUTLETS	Omer F. Orsun (2020) Dimensions of Democracy and Military Expenditure, <i>Uluslararası İlişkiler</i> . 67, 61-81
	Omer F. Orsun (2017) The Politics of Effective Aid and Interstate Conflict. <i>All Azimuth: A Journal of Foreign Policy and Peace</i> . 6:1, 83-102
SOFTWARE	mixGauss: Model Based Clustering for Mixture of Gaussian Distributions for Stata (with Muhammet A. Bas) [In Progress]
INVITED TALKS	University of Oxford, Department of Politics and International Relations, May 2019
	Bilkent University, Foreign Policy and Peace Center, October 2015
	Boğaziçi University, Department of Politics and International Relations, March 2015
	Özyeğin University, Department of Politics and International Relations, December 2013
SELECTED PRESENTATIONS	A Unified Model of Regime Types and Transitions 2023 11th Eursian Peace Science Conference (with Muhammet A. Bas)
	Accidental Use of Force in International Relations 2023 11th Eursian Peace Science Conference (with Muhammet A. Bas and Ekrem Taha Baser)
	Alliance Reputation as a Hidden Variable 2021 International Studies Association Annual Convention (with Muhammet A. Bas)
	Migration, Aid, and Independence 2020 ECPR Annual Conference. (with Resat Bayer)
	Independence and Migration 2019 MiReKoc 15 Year Anniversary Conference, Istanbul, Turkey. (with Resat Bayer)
	Uncertainty over Regime Type and Crisis Bargaining 2018 Peace Science Society International Annual Convention, Austin, TX, USA.(with Muhammet Bas)
	Outcome Uncertainty: A New Measure 2016 Peace Science Society International Annual Convention, South Bend, IN, USA. (with Muhammet Bas and Robert Schub)
	Political Shocks and Trade 2016 Peace Science Society International Annual Convention, South Bend, IN, USA. (with Resat Bayer and Yasar Sasioglu)
	The Machiavellian Moment: Explaining War Outcomes 2015 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Convention, Chicago, USA.
	Dangerous Democratization or Concept Misformation 2014 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Washington DC, USA (with Reşat Bayer and Michael Bernhard)
	Is Peace Exportable? Foreign Aid and Interstate Conflict 2012 International Studies Association Annual Convention, San Diego, USA.
RESEARCH IN PROGRESS	The Patterns of Aid in Western Balkans 2010 European Public Policy Conference, Istanbul, Turkey
	A Unified Model of Regime Types and Transitions (with Muhammet A. Bas) - Under Review
	Accidental Use of Force in International Relations (with Muhammet A. Bas and Ekrem Taha Baser) - Under

Review

Apology in International Politics (with Muhammet A. Bas and Ekrem Taha Baser)

Public Opinion on Disaster Aid (with Muhammet A. Bas, Elena McLean, and Joonseok Yang )

Alliance Reputation as a Hidden Variable (with Muhammet A. Bas)

Independence and Migration (with Reşat Bayer)

Independence and Trade (with Reşat Bayer and Yaşar Şaşioğlu)

TEACHING  
EXPERIENCE

*Foreign Policy Analysis* 2022, 2023  
New York University Abu Dhabi, Undergraduate Level

*Introduction to International Politics* 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023  
New York University Abu Dhabi, Undergraduate Level

*Statistics for Social and Behavioral Sciences* 2022, 2023  
New York University Abu Dhabi, Undergraduate Level

*Data Analysis* 2019, 2020  
New York University Abu Dhabi, Undergraduate Level, Team-taught

*Quantitative and Qualitative Research Methods* 2017, 2018, 2019  
Istanbul University, Graduate Level

*Foreign Policy Analysis: A Case Based Approach to Strategic Analysis* 2017, 2018, 2019  
Istanbul University, Graduate Level

*Analytical Techniques in Social Sciences* 2015, 2019  
Bilgi University, Undergraduate Level

*Introduction to International Relations* 2015  
Koç University, Undergraduate Level

CONSULTING  
EXPERIENCE

**United Cities and Local Governments, MEWA** Istanbul, Turkey  
Data Analytics Consultant, *Pilot Project on the Sustainable Development Goals in Turkey* 2019

GRANTS & AWARDS

2016/18 Istanbul University Research Award  
2016/17 TUBITAK Postdoctoral Research Fellowship (# 221920152)  
2013/14 TUBITAK Predoctoral Research Fellowship (# 2214A20132)  
2013/14 Koç University Thesis Completion Grant  
2013 The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey Travel Grant  
2012 ISA San Diego Annual Convention Travel Grant  
2012 Koç University Travel Grant  
2011 ISA Montreal Annual Convention Travel Grant  
2011 The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey Travel Grant  
2010 Koç University Formal Theory Fellowship, ECPR Summer School  
2010 Koç University Formal Theory Fellowship, Sabanci University  
2009/15 Koç University Full Scholarship (Tuition Waiver and Stipends)

METHODS TRAINING	<i>Advanced Quantitative Research Methodology</i> Gary King, Harvard University	2014
	<i>Game Theory and Formal Modeling</i> Nolan McCarty, Princeton University	2010
	<i>Network Analysis and Modeling</i> Zeev Maoz, University of California Davis	2012
COMPUTER SKILLS	R, Stata, Mathematica, $\text{\LaTeX}$	