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RESEARCH INTERESTS	<u>Methods:</u> Machine Learning, Formal Modeling, Panel Data Econometrics <u>Substantive:</u> Crisis Bargaining, Nuclear Proliferation, Alliance Formation	
ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS	Istanbul University Faculty of Political Science Assistant Professor of International Relations	2016 - ... Istanbul, Turkey
	Istanbul University Statistics Research Center Member of the Executive Board	2019 - ... Istanbul, Turkey
	Harvard University Institute for Quantitative Social Science Postdoctoral Research Fellow	2016 - 2017 Cambridge, MA
	Harvard University Department of Government Predoctoral Research Fellow	2013 - 2014 Cambridge, MA
EDUCATION	Koç University PhD in International Relations	2009 - 2015 Istanbul, Turkey
	University of Essex MA in International Relations	2007 - 2008 Colchester, UK
PUBLICATIONS	Muhammet A. Bas, Omer F. Orsun & Robert J. Schub (2018) Accounting for Extra-Dyadic Sources of International Outcomes, <i>International Interactions</i> ., 44:4, 777-800	
	Omer F. Orsun, Resat Bayer & Michael Bernhard (2017) Democratization and Conflict in <i>Encyclopedia of Empirical International Relations Theory</i> , eds. William Thompson. Oxford University Press.	
	Michael Bernhard, Omer F. Orsun & Resat Bayer (2017) Democratization in Conflict Research: How Conceptualization Affects Operationalization and Testing Outcomes, <i>International Interactions</i> ., 43:6, 941-966	
	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	
	S. Erdem Aytac, Michael Mousseau & 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.	
	Michael Mousseau, Omer F. Orsun & Jameson Ungerer (2013) Capitalism and Peace: It's Keynes, Not Hayek, in <i>The Capitalist Peace: The Origins and Prospects of a Liberal Idea</i> , eds. Gerald Schneider and Nils Petter Gleditsch. Routledge.	
	Michael Mousseau, Omer F. Orsun & Jameson Ungerer (2013) Does the Market-Capitalist Peace Supersede the Democratic Peace: The Evidence Still Says Yes, in <i>The Capitalist Peace: The Origins and Prospects of a Liberal Idea</i> , eds. Gerald Schneider and Nils Petter Gleditsch. Routledge.	

RESEARCH
IN PROGRESS

mixGauss: Model Based Clustering for Mixture of Gaussian Distributions for Stata (with Muhammet A. Baş)

Uncertainty over Regime Type and Crisis Bargaining (with Muhammet A. Baş)

Independence and Trade (with Reşat Bayer and Yaşar Şaşioğlu)

Retiring Red Lines in International Politics (with Cantay Çalışkan)

Measuring Informal Alliance Uncertainty

Polarization and International Crisis Bargaining

LeadSpeech: A Text Dataset for Leader Speeches (with Özgün Erler Bayır)

A Reputational Theory of Authoritarian Crisis Bargaining

TEACHING
EXPERIENCE

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

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

Analytical Techniques in Social Sciences 2015
Bilgi University, Undergraduate Level

Introduction to International Relations 2015
Koç University, Undergraduate Level

METHODS
TRAINING

Advanced Quantitative Research Methodology 2014
Gary King, Harvard University

Formal Political Theory 2013
Horacio Larreguy, Harvard University

Network Analysis and Modeling 2012
Zeev Maoz, University of California Davis

Game Theory and Formal Modeling 2010
Nolan McCarty, Princeton University

SELECTED
PRESENTATIONS &
TALKS

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.

The Patterns of Aid in Western Balkans *2010 European Public Policy Conference*, Istanbul, Turkey

GRANTS & AWARDS	2016/17 TUBITAK Postdoctoral Research Grant (# 221920152)
	2013/14 TUBITAK Predoctoral Research Grant (# 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 Scholarship for Formal Modeling Training at ECPR Summer School
	2010 Koç University Scholarship for Formal Modeling Training at Sabanci University
	2009/15 Koç University Full Scholarship (Tuition Waiver and Stipends)

COMPUTER SKILLS	<i>Numerical Optimization</i>
	Stata, R, SAS , Python
	<i>Analytic Optimization</i>
	Mathematica, Maple