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M.A. Economics, University of Virginia Dec 2012
M.A. Economics, Koc University May 2011
B.A. Economics, TOBB University of Economics and Technology May 2008

FIELDS OF INTEREST:

Political Economy, Labor Economics, Applied Microeconomics

RESEARCH PAPERS:

"Party Formation in a Parliamentary Democracy" Job Market Paper

RESEARCH AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Research Assistant for Professor Peter Debaere, University of Virginia May 2017 - Aug 2017

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

Teaching Assistant University of Virginia

Econ 2010-2020, Principles of Microeconomics and Macroeconomics	Fall 2011, Spring 2012
Econ 3010, Intermediate Microeconomics	Fall 2012, 2017, Spring 2013
Econ 3720, Introduction to Econometrics	Fall 2014, 2016, Spring 2016
Econ 4210, International Trade	Fall 2013
Econ 4720, Econometric Methods	Spring 2014, 2015

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS:

80th International Atlantic Economic Conference, Boston, MA Oct 2015
UVA-Richmond Fed Research Jamboree, Charlottesville, VA (poster) May 2016

SELECTED AWARDS:

Bynum Funds for Quantitative Research, University of Virginia May 2015, 2016, and 2017
Bankard Fund for Political Economy, University of Virginia May 2015
Certificate of Excellence in Graduate Teaching, University of Virginia Aug 2014

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Citizenship: Turkey
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