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EMPLOYMENT

Ankara Yıldırım Beyazıt University
Assistant Professor of Economics

Ankara, Turkey
2020-present

EDUCATION

University of California, Santa Barbara
Ph.D., Economics

California, USA
2014 - 2020

Boğaziçi University
M.A., Economics
B.A., Economics

Istanbul, Turkey
2011
2009

FIELDS

Primary Macroeconomics, Household Finance
Secondary Healthcare, Behavioral Macroeconomics

RESEARCH

Working Papers

Liquidity Constraints and Healthcare Expenditure

Local Shocks and Healthcare Elasticities

History-Dependent Present Bias

Welfare Implications of Competition in a Vertical Market Structure: A Case of Accumulator Industry

Works in Progress

Debt and Portfolio Allocation over the Lifecycle

Testing Liquidity Constraints for Durable Consumption

Health Investment under Time Inconsistency

PRESENTATIONS

Central Bank of the Republic of Turkey

2020

UCSB Macroeconomics group, Applied Microeconomics Lunch, Econometrics group

2019

TEACHING

Teaching Assistant, UCSB

PSTAT 109	Statistics for Economics	<i>Winter'15</i>
ECON 2	Principles of Economics-Macro	<i>Winter'16, Spring'16</i>
ECON 101	Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory	<i>Fall'15-16, Spring'17, Summer'17-18</i>
ECON 140A	Introduction to Econometrics I	<i>Fall'17, Winter'18, Spring'18</i>
ECON 140B	Introduction to Econometrics II	<i>Winter'17</i>
ECON 180	International Trade	<i>Fall'18</i>
ECON 181	International Finance	<i>Winter'19, Fall'19, Spring'20</i>
ECON 135	Monetary Economics	<i>Winter'20</i>

HONORS AND AWARDS

Outstanding Undergraduate TA Award	<i>2019-2020</i>
Janet A. Alpert Fellowship in Economics	<i>2017-2018</i>
Economics Department Graduate Research Funding	<i>2017</i>
UCSB Economics Department Block Grant	<i>2015-2016</i>
The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey Scholarship, TUBITAK	<i>2010-2011</i>
KYK Scholarship given to nationwide top 100 students in University Entrance	<i>2004-2009</i>
Ranked 90th in University Entrance Examination (among more than 1.5 million participants)	<i>2004</i>