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EDUCATION

ERASMUS UNIVERSITY ROTTERDAM

September 2019 - Present, Rotterdam, Netherlands

MSc Public Administration in Governance of
Migration and Diversity
Erasmus School of Social and Behavioral Sciences

INSTITUTE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

The Hague, Netherlands

Module: Development Studies, 2020

LEIDEN UNIVERSITY

Leiden, Netherlands

Module: History of Migration and Diversity, 2019

KING'S COLLEGE LONDON

2016 -2019, London, UK

BA International Relations
War Studies Department

SCHOOL OF ORIENTAL AND AFRICAN STUDIES

London, UK

Module: Politics of Development, 2017-18

Module: Nationalism, Ethnicity and State in Asia and
Africa, 2019

LANGUAGES

TURKISH – Mother Tongue

ENGLISH – Native

GREEK – Fluent

SPANISH – Intermediate

ARABIC – Beginner

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

MEDIAMATIC, INTERN

July - October 2020, Amsterdam, Netherlands

- Content preparation and organisation of meetings
- Writing and research for website and social media platforms

ART AND RECONCILIATION: CONFLICT, CULTURE AND COMMUNITY FILM, PROJECT ASSISTANT

May 2019 - June 2019, London, UK

- Conducting interviews and filming the interdisciplinary process of the artists and political scientists
- Documenting the exhibition space

INTERNATIONAL CRISIS GROUP, RESEARCH INTERN

March - September 2018, Istanbul, Turkey

- Research on Syrian women refugees in Turkey's Sanliurfa province to devise policies aimed at facilitating integration
- Report writing, drafting and summarising
- Organisational tasks such as producing drafts for meetings and planning for my supervisors

GUVENLIK ENSTITUSU, TRANSLATOR

September 2016 - 2018, London, UK

- A student-led website featuring security-related articles to add variety to the limited news found in Turkish online
- Translating articles from English to Turkish together with editing translations to refine them for publishing

IR TODAY, EDITOR

February - December 2018, London, UK

- A student-led news blog publishing student-produced content on contemporary international affairs
- Editing articles on the South and Central Asia region
- Communications role between contributing authors and the website

CYPRUS FRIENDSHIP PROGRAM, MEMBER

July 2016 – Present, Cyprus

- A non-profit group aiming to bridge the gap between Greek-speaking and Turkish-speaking Cypriot youth as part of a wider goal of peacebuilding and unification

VOLUNTARY EXPERIENCE

KING'S COLLEGE LONDON SEXPRESSION SOCIETY, VOLUNTEER

2018 - 2019, London, UK

- Sex education lessons at high schools around London

THE LEARNING PROJECT STATION, VOLUNTEER

December 2017 - June 2018, London, UK

- A student-run project offering lessons to asylum seekers and refugees in London
- Weekly English lessons and assisted with the organisation of lessons