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Yunus Serhat Bıçakçı, PhD

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I am a Visiting Postdoctoral Researcher at the Jill Dando Institute of Security and Crime Science at University College London and an Assistant Professor at the Vocational School of Social Sciences at Marmara University. My research focuses on criminology, big data, machine learning, natural language processing, and spatial-temporal predictions.

I am particularly interested in data science, big data, artificial intelligence, information systems (e.g., GIS), criminology, geospatial analysis, and football. My ultimate goal is to use machine learning, deep learning, data science, and various analytics and visualization tools such as Python, R, and SQL to solve challenging real-world problems.

EDUCATION

PostDoc The Jill Dando Institute of Security and Crime Science, University College London (UCL)	Present
PhD Applied Informatics (Geographical Information Technologies Program), Istanbul Technical University	07/2021
MSc Information Systems (Management Information Systems Program), Sakarya University	07/2013
BA Business Administration, Anadolu University	07/2011

RECENT CERTIFICATES

TensorFlow Developer Certificate – Issued by: TensorFlow Certificate	2022 - 2025
Google Machine Learning Bootcamp Turkey – Study time: 5 months – Google Developers & inzva Certificate	2022
Deep Learning Specialization – Issued by: DeepLearning.Al Certificate	2022
TensorFlow Developer Specialization – Issued by: DeepLearning.AI Certificate	2022
Data Science and Machine Learning Bootcamp – Study time: 4.5 months – miuul.com Certificate	2022

SKILLS

Programming Languages Python, R, SQL

Soft Skills Leadership, Supporting, Communication, Problem-Solving, Time Management, Creativity
Tools and Other GIS, AI/ML Frameworks, Google Cloud, Docker, Kubernetes, Git, Project Management

EXPERIENCE

Postdoctoral Researcher / Jill Dando Institute of Security and Crime Science, UCL - London, UK

2023 — Present

• Conduct independent research and contribute to the advancement of knowledge in the field. This may involve designing and conducting experiments, analyzing data, writing and publishing research papers, and presenting findings at conferences and seminars.

Assistant Professor / Vocational School of Social Sciences, Marmara University - Istanbul, Turkey

2022 - 2023

- Create lesson plans that cover the foundations of technology, guide students through activities that allow them to apply technological solutions to prepare work-life, hold office hours for students to answer questions and provide support.
- Teaching – ILT2005: Media Literacy, BSP1005: Information and Communication Technology, ILT2006: Management Information Systems, BYS2034: Time Management, BSP2007–BSP1060: Office Programs

Research Assistant / Vocational School of Social Sciences, Marmara University - Istanbul, Turkey

2013 - 2022

• Responsible for research related to my research interests, also leading group lessons, grading coursework, setting up student projects and aiding in the supervision of the students.

Manager of Football Team / Vocational School of Social Sciences, Marmara University – Istanbul, Turkey (Part-Time) 2014 — 2017

 Managing the overall development and performance of the football team, including overseeing training and practice sessions, and developing and implementing strategies for games and competitions. Overall, my role as a coach is to lead and support the team in achieving their goals both on and off the field.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

ATTransUNet: Semantic Segmentation Model for Building Segmentation from Aerial Image and Laser Data. Yunus Serhat Bıçakçı, Beytullah Sarıca. *Nordic Machine Intelligence*.(in press)

2023

Artificial Intelligence Applications in Tourism and Travel Offices Yunus Serhat Bıçakçı, Bora Aksu. *Digital Transformation Dynamics in Tourism*, In Derya Semiz Celik (Ed.), The Reflections of Digital Transformation on Tourism (pp. 139-152). Istanbul, Turkey: Beta Publishing.

Location-Based Analyses for Electronic Monitoring of Parolees, Yunus Serhat Bıçakçı, Dursun Zafer Seker, Hande Demirel. *ISPRS International Journal of Geo-Information*, *9*(*5*), *296*.

Spatio-temporal analyses to estimate speed information for transport forecasting and scenario testing, Yunus Serhat Bıçakçı, Beytullah Sarıca, Mete Ercan Pakdil, Batuhan Yazırlı, Hande Demirel. *Fresenius Environmental Bulletin*, *26*(1).

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RECENT TALKS

TensorFlow Basics – Google DSC Bandırma University | Watch Link
Introduction to Machine Learning – Google DSC Işık University | Watch Link

12/2022

11/2022

OTHER SKILLS

University Service

- Editorial Board (The Social Research Journal of Marmara University)
- Journal Referee (International Humanities and Social Science Review)
- Administration (Member of Board of Department, Academic Process Manager of Department)

Football

- TFF Grassroots C Licence
- The FA Level 1 Introduction to Coaching Football
- The FA Level 1 Futsal Licence
- The FA Level 1- Talent Identification Licence
- The FA Introduction to First Aid in Football
- The FA Safeguarding Children Course
- The FA Level 7- Referee Licence

Martial Arts

- Taekwondo 2nd Dan Black Belt and Trainee Licence
- Kickboxing 1st Dan Black Belt and Trainee Licence
- · Wushu 1st Dan Black Belt