

Curriculum Vitae



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EDUCATION

- Ph.D., Communication and Media Studies, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2017
- M.A., Hacettepe University, Child Development and Health Department, Ankara, 1993
- Denver Developmental Test Certificate, Hacettepe University, Medical School, 1988
- Teaching Certificate, Hacettepe University, Education Faculty, Ankara. Turkey, 1986
- B.A. Hacettepe University, Child Development and Education Department, Ankara, 1986

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Courses and Workshops Attended

- Seminar “Teaching Multicultural Classes: from challenges to opportunities”, by Uwe Pohl 25 April, (2019) EMU, English Preparatory School, Famagusta.
- Kahoot by Tahir Eşlik (14 March 2019) In- house Care &Share Sessions Attended at EMU Fleps, Famagusta.
- Workshop “Avucunuzdaki Kelebek” by İzgören Akademi, 21April (2017).
- Workshop “Problem Davranışların Kontrol Edilmesi (Controlling Problem Behaviors)” by Prof. Dr. Bulbin Sucuoğlu, 28 March (2015).
- Workshop “Otizm Spektrum Bozukluğu hala bir sır (Autism Spectrum Disorder is still a mystery)” by Prof. Dr. Bulbin Sucuoğlu, 27 March (2015).
- Fourth International Child and Teen Consumption Conference PhD & Master Students pre-conference Workshop: "Research on Child & Teens Consumption. Present and Future Perspectives" Prof. Daniel T. Cook from Rutgers University, and Megan Beech from Emerald, Milan, Italy, December 11, (2012).
- “Qualitative Data Analysis in Educational Research” (Workshop during the 3rd Int. Conference on Educational Sciences), By Prof.Dr. Ali Yıldırım, EMU-EF, June 22-25, (2011).
- The 3rd Int. Conference on Educational Sciences (ICES’11) “Current Trends and Future Directions for Professional development of Teachers”. Gazimağusa, North Cyprus, June 22-25, (2011).
- National Pre-School Education Conference, “ Okul Öncesi Eğitiminin Bugünü ve Geleceği”, Marmara University, Atatürk Education Faculty, İstanbul, 1-3 June (2011).
- Conference on “Kendine Zarar Verme Davranışı” (Self-mutilative Behaviour) By Prof. Dr. Dean Owen, Kıbrıs Türk Psikolojik Danışmanlık ve Rehberlik Derneği (Cyprus Turkish Psychological Counselling and Guidance Association) 20 March 2010.
- Conference on “İyilik Hali” (Well-being) By Prof.Dr.Fidan Korkut Owen, Kıbrıs Türk Psikolojik Danışmanlık ve Rehberlik Derneği (Cyprus Turkish Psychological Counselling and Guidance Association) 20 March 2010.
- English Language Enhancement Workshop, Oregon State University English Language Institute, English Language Enhancement Workshop, Oregon State University English Language Institute /Team Building; Multiple Intelligences; Look, Listen& Learn: Using Audio and Video in EFL; Words, Words, Words: Making Vocabulary Learning More Fun! ; and Assessment in the Communicative Classroom (2002).

- Vocational Teaching Seminar, Berlin, Germany, August 1995.
- Applied Technology Education Course, Turkish National Education Ministry, Ankara, 1994.
- Applied Modular Education Course, Turkish National Education Ministry, Ankara, 1994.

Research Grants, Training Grants and Scholarships

- Student Counsellor, '@School - Computer Assisted Foreign Language Education', The European Commission, Schools' Initiative for Innovation and Change Program Project, CRIS No. 2009/202-022. Implemented at Gazimağusa Turk Maarif College (secondary school part) (2009-2011)
- Student Counsellor, '@Salamis -Computer and Internet Supported Foreign Language Education', BAP-A-08-03, EMU Scientific Research Project, September 15, 2008 - December 15, 2009

ACADEMIC / TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Assistant Prof.Dr., Lecturer, Educational Sciences Department, (Faculty of Education, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2017- present
- Senior Instructor, Lecturer, Educational Sciences Department, (Faculty of Education, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1999- 2017.
- Senior Instructor, Student Counsellor, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1997 – present.
- Instructor, Student Counsellor, Eastern Mediterranean University, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1996 – 1997.
- 1996-1997: EMU English Preparatory School, Instructor.
- 1996-1997: Eastern Mediterranean College, Student Counsellor.
- 1996-1997: Eastern Mediterranean Nursery School, Advisor.
- 1994-1996: Turkish National Education Ministry, Centre for the Development of Vocational Education, Planning and Research Expert.
- 1993-1994: Turkish National Education Ministry, Directorate of Vocational Education for Girls, Project Development Expert.

- 1990-1991: Middle East Technical University Primary School, Ankara, Turkey: Pre-school Coordinator.
- 1988-1989: İlkadım Kindergarden: Director
- 1986-1987: İlkadım Kindergarden: Teacher

COURSES TAUGHT (The last three years)

- EĞİT102, Educational Psychology, 2021-22 Spring
- OOEG106, Development and Education in Infancy, 2021-22 Spring
- SOEG 422, Child Psychology, 2021-22 Spring
- OOEG315, Child Assessment and Evaluation, 2021-22 Fall
- RPDA 102, Developmental Psychology I, Spring 2020-21 Spring
- RPDA 112, Developmental Psychology I, Spring 2020-21 Spring
- OOEG 106, Development and Education in Infancy, 2020-21 Spring
- OOEG 214, Early Childhood Education In Different Countries, 2020-21 Spring
- SOEG 422, Child Psychology, 2020-21 Spring
- OOEG 315, Child Assessment and Evaluation, 2020-21 Fall
- OOEG 103, Introduction to Childhood Education, 2020-21 Fall
- EGİP 113, Educational Psychology, 2020-21 Fall
- RPDA 112, Educational Psychology I, 2020-21 Fall
- OOEG 317, Approaches to Learning in Early Childhood, 2019-20 Spring
- OOEG 320, Teaching Methods in Pre-School II, 2019-20 Spring
- SOEG 409, Early Child Education, 2019-20 Spring
- RPDA 102, Developmental Psychology I, 2019-20 Spring
- RPDA 112, Developmental Psychology I, 2019-20 Spring
- PSKO 105 Introduction to Psychology Fall, 2019-20 Fall
- PSKO 111, Introduction to Psychology Fall, 2019-20 Fall
- PSKO 101, Introduction to Psychology Fall, 2019-20 Fall
- OOEG319, Special Teaching Methods In Pre-school I, 2019-20 Fall
- RPDA 213, Developmental Psychology II, 2018-19 Fall
- OOEG 319 Special Teaching Methods In Pre-school I, 2018-19 Fall

- RPDA 102 Developmental Psychology I, 2018-19 Spring
- SOEG 409 Early Childhood Education, 2018-19 Spring
- OOEK 319 Special Teaching Methods In Pre-school I, 2018-19 Spring
- OOEK 320 Special Teaching Methods In Pre-school II, 2018-19 Spring
- RPDA112 Developmental Psychology I, 2017-18 Spring Semester
- OOEK320 Special Teaching Methods In Pre-school II 2017-18, Spring Semester
- OOEK 202 Early Childhood Development 2017-18, Spring Semester
- OOEK 319, Special Teaching Methods In Pre-school I 2017-2018 Fall Semester
- RPDA112, Developmental Psychology I, 2017-2018 Fall Semester
- RPDA213 Developmental Psychology II, 2017-2018 Fall Semester

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Handicapped Student Counsellor in Foreign Languages and Preparatory School for EMU Disabled Friendly Campus (since-2019)
- Public Relations and Media Working Group Member (2011-2013)
- Accreditation Working Group Member (2011)
- Blended Learning Team Member (27 Feb. 2009-2012)EMU English Preparatory School, Student Affairs Coordinator (2003-2004)
- Member of EMU English Preparatory School Council (since 1998-)
- Child Development and Education Association Membership (since 1986)

CONFERENCES, CONGRESSES AND SYMPOSIUMS ATTENDED

- 17. Akademik Bilişim Konferansı (AB2015, Anadolu Üniversitesi / Eskişehir, 4-6 Şubat 2015.
- The 3rd Int. Conference on Educational Sciences (ICES'11) "Current Trends and Future Directions for Professional Development of Teachers". Gazimağusa, North Cyprus, June 22-25, (2011).
- National Pre-School Education Conference, " Okul Öncesi Eğitiminin Bugünü ve Geleceği", Marmara University, Atatürk Education Faculty, İstanbul, 1-3 June (2011).

- Child and Teen Consumption 2008 Conference, Trondheim, Norway, paper published in proceedings. April (2008).
- 2nd. International Distance Education Congress, Ankara, Turkey, May (1998).
- Turkish National Social Sciences Congress, METU, Ankara, presented a paper, December 2006.
- May 2002: International Distance Education Symposium, Eskişehir Anadolu University, Eskişehir, Turkey.
- May 1996: 1st International Distance Education Congress, Ankara, Turkey, presented a paper.
- May 1995: 5. Çocuk ve Ergen Psikolojisi Kongresi, Ankara, Türkiye, presented a paper. (in Turkish)
- August 1993: XVI'th. International School Psychology Colloquium, Banska Bystrica, Slovakia, presented a paper.

PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES, CONGRESSES AND SYMPOSIUMS

- Aybay, Y. (2012): "Children's and Tweens' Magazines, Consumption and Stereotype Gender Roles" Fourth International Child and Teen Consumption Conference, December, 2012.
- Aybay, Y. (2012) "Barbie ve GoGirl Dergilerinin Toplumsal Cinsiyet Rollerini Açısından İncelenmesi" (A study on the social gender role effects of Barbie and GoGirl magazines) 3rd International Conference in Communication and Media Studies, EMU, Gazimağusa, 11-13 April 2012
- Aybay, Y. (2010) "Girls' Magazines and the Body Satisfaction and Consumption Habits of Teenagers", Third International Child and Teen Consumption Conference, Linköping University, Campus Norrköping, Sweden, June , 2010
- Aybay Y., (2008) "Effects of Girls' Magazines on the Identity Formation and Consumption Habits of Teenagers " Child and Teen Consumption Conference, Trondheim, Norway, April 2008.

- Aybay, Y. (2005) “Kuzey Kıbrıs Türk Cumhuriyeti’nde Kadın Gazetecilerin Konumu” 9. Ulusal Sosyal Bilimler Kongresi “Kıbrıs Türk Medyası ve Gazeteciler” başlıklı oturumunda sunulan bildiri metnidir . 7-9 Aralık, 2005
- Aybay.,Y. (2006) The Position of Women Journalists in the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus, (Kuzey Kıbrıs Türk Cumhuriyeti’nde Kadın Gazetecilerin Konumu), Global Communication Magazine, issue 1, Spring 2006.
- Aybay, I, and, Aybay, Y.,(1996) “Türkiye İçin Dört Aşamalı Bir Uzaktan Eğitim Projesi”, 1st International Distance Education Congress, CDRom - Abstracts p.17, Ankara, Turkey.
- Gönen, M. and Aybay,Y., (1995), “İlkokul 4. Sınıfa Devam Eden Farklı Sosyo-Ekonomik Düzeylerdeki Çocuklarda Stres Yaratan Yaşam Olaylarının İncelenmesi”, Fifth Turkish National Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Congress, Ankara, in Turkish.
- Gönen, M. and Aybay,Y. (1993) , “A study on Life Events Causing Stress in 10 Years Old Students”, XVI’tth International School Psychology Colloquium Abstracts, Banska Bystrica, Slovakia, August 1993.

PUBLICATIONS

- Aybay Y., Kara N. (2018) “The impact of teen magazines on adolescent girls in North Cyprus” Social Behavior and Personality An International Journal 46(1):49-62 DOI: 10.2224/sbp.6406
- Aybay,Y. (2017) “The Impact of Teen Magazines on Adolescent Girls in North Cyprus”, PhD thesis, Eastern Mediterranean University, Gazimağusa, September 2017.
- Aybay,Y. (2006) The Position of Women Journalists in the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus, (Kuzey Kıbrıs Türk Cumhuriyeti’nde Kadın Gazetecilerin Konumu), Global Communication Magazine, issue 1, Spring 2006.
- Çıyan, M. Aybay Y.ve diğerleri, (1995) METARGEM , “Çok Programlı Lise Uygulamasının Değerlendirilmesi”, Turkish National Education Ministry Printing, Ankara, 1995
- Aybay, Y., in Turkish, The Analysis of Life Events Causing Stress in Children from Different Socio-Economic Status, Studying at 4th Grade, (“İlkokul 4.Sınıfa Devam Eden Alt ve Üst Sosyo-Ekonomik Düzeylerdeki Çocuklarda Stres Yaratan Yaşam

Olaylarının Etkilerinin İncelenmesi”), Hacettepe University, Child Education and Health, MA Thesis, Ankara, 1993.

RESEARCH/PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS

- Counselling and Guidance
- Child and Adolescent Development
- Distance Learning
- Women, Gender Studies
- Teaching Methods

SERVICES TO THE UNIVERSITY

- Board Member of Disabled Student Unit (2019-2022)
- Member of Student Satisfaction Team EMU (2010-11)
- Student Counsellor, '@Salamis -Computer and Internet Supported Foreign Language Education', BAP-A-08-03,EMU Scientific Research Project, September 15, 2008 - December 15, 2009
- Member of the Orientation Programme EMU (1996-present)

SERVICES TO THE COMMUNITY

- Student Counsellor, '@School - Computer Assisted Foreign Language Education', The European Commission, Schools' Initiative for Innovation and Change Program Project, CRIS No. 2009/202-022. Implemented at Gazimağusa Turk Maarif College (secondary school part) (2009-2011)