Curriculum Vitae



Senior Instructor

Coordinator for Academic Affairs Unit, FLEPS, EPS division,

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EDUCATION

- M.A., Education Specializing in IT in Education and Training, University of Wollongong, Wollongong, Australia, 2005
- Atatürk Teachers' Academy, Pedagogy and Teaching Certificate Program, Nicosia, North Cyprus. 2005
- RSA Cambridge Examinations in English for Language Teachers Level Two (CEELT II), offered by Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2000
- B.A., English Language and Literature, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1998

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Courses and Workshops Attended

Teacher Training

- 'Take Your School Online', offered by Norwich Institute for Language Education (NILE), NILE Online Course, (2020)
- '21st Century Skill in Language Education' offered by Norwich Institute for Language Education (NILE), EMU FLEPS, North Cyprus (August 2018)
- 'Management in Language Education' offered by Norwich Institute for Language Education (NILE), Blended EMU FLEPS, North Cyprus (November 2017)
- Master Trainer. One-week intensive course, offered by Pearson Education. EMU FLEPS, North Cyprus (August 2017)
- 'Testing, Evaluation and Assessment', offered by Norwich Institute for Language Education (NILE), 60 hour Blended Course EMU FLEPS, North Cyprus (April 2017)

- Critical Thinking and Academic Skills. ELT seminar given by Tony Prince, offered by Norwich Institute for Language Education (NILE). EMU FLEPS, North Cyprus (2017)
- Academic Culture and Critical Thinking. ELT seminar given by Tony Prince, offered by Norwich Institute for Language Education (NILE). EMU FLEPS, North Cyprus (2017)
- Classroom Management. ELT seminar given by Tony Gurr, offered by Pearson Education. EMU FLEPS, North Cyprus (2017)
- Reflective Practitioner. ELT seminar given by Tony Gurr, offered by Pearson Education. EMU FLEPS, North Cyprus (2017)
- Fostering Learner Autonomy through Student Self-assessment. ELT Seminar offered by Pearson Education, given by JT Rehill. EMU FLEPS, North Cyprus (2016)
- Using Assessment to Support Learning: Formative Classroom Practices. ELT Seminar offered by Pearson Education, given by JT Rehill. EMU FLEPS, North Cyprus (2016)
- Update of E-Moderator Course, British Council, (2016)
- "TELTS Workshop on Speaking and Writing Task 2", offered by British Council and C-Quals, given by Dina Panayi, Nicosia, North Cyprus, (2013)
- "Writing Techniques to Improve Students' Scores in Tasks 1 and 2 in the Academic version of IELTS", offered by British Council and Macmillan Education, given by Sam McCarter, Nicosia, North Cyprus, (2013)
- Oxford Teachers' Academy (OTA), TEA, Nicosia, North Cyprus, (2012)
- E-Moderator Course, British Council, (2010)
- English Preparatory School New Teachers' Course, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (1999)

Curriculum

- 'Essentials of Curriculum and Syllabus Design' offered by Norwich Institute for Language Education (NILE), 50 hour Blended Course EMU FLEPS, North Cyprus (December - 2017)
- "Macmillan Education's Blended Solution for university prep classes", by Semih Irfaner, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2016)
- "Global Scale of English (GSE)" an ELT seminar on Curriculum Development, by Grant Kempton, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2016)
- FOCI-XII (Forum on Curricular Issues XII), Feedback & the Curriculum: the Who? What? When? How? And why? Yeditepe University, Istanbul, Turkey (December, 2015)
- The Road Ahead with Ayse Pasalar (2013-2014)
- Vocabulary with Grant Kempton (2013-2014)
- Root Cause Analysis with Ayse Pasalar (2013-2014)
- Difference between Syllabus and Testing in the Development Program with Grant Kempton (2013-2014)
- Visioning Process with Ayse Pasalar (2013-2014)
- Portfolio with Grant Kempton (2013-2014)
- CEFR: From a Teaching to a Learning Curriculum Beykent University, Istanbul, Turkey (2013-2014)
- FOCI-IX (Forum on Curricular Issues IX), Thinking Critically about Critical Thinking in the Curriculum, Yasar University, Izmir, Turkey (May, 2014)
- "How to use Skillful (Academic Skills, offered by Macmillan Education", given by Teresa Doguelli, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2014).

- "Using New English File to teach integrated skills for the benefit of the student/creating a communicative environment while teaching reading/writing", offered by Oxford University Press, given by Laura Woodward, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2014).
- Evaluating British Council Courses (2012-2013)
- Syllabus & Portfolio Consultancy visit with Grant Kempton (2012-2013)
- "Curriculum Consultancy", given by Grant Kempton, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2013).
- "Teacher Empowerment", offered by Deniz Plaza and Oxford University Press, given by Bill Bowler, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2013)
- "Critical Thinking in Action", offered by Macmillan Education and Deniz Plaza, given by Lindsay Clandfield, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2012).
- "Empowerment and Lifelong Learning Yes, We Can", offered by Macmillan Education and Deniz Plaza, given by Teresa Doguelli, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2012)
- Course book evaluation (2012)
- "Learner-Centred Teaching", offered by Deniz Plaza and Oxford University Press, given by Steve Darn, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2011).
- "Teaching Real Four Skills", offered by Deniz Plaza and Oxford University Press, given by Garath Davies, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2011)
- Professional Development Working group (2010 2013)

Research Grants, Training Grants and Scholarships (if any)

• Type A Project "@ Salamis" Research Assistant, Funded by Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2009).

ACADEMIC /TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Senior Instructor, teaching general English, young adults, all levels, EPS division of FLEPS, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2013 present
- Senior Instructor, teaching academic English, young adults, Engl-191, FL division of FLEPS, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2011 – 2012 Summer School
- Senior Instructor, teaching general English, young adults, all levels, EPS division of FLEPS, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2003 2012
- Senior Instructor, teaching academic English, young adults, Engl-191, FL division of FLEPS, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2002 – 2003 Spring Semester
- Senior Instructor, teaching general English, young adults, all levels, EPS division of FLEPS, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1998 – 2002

COURSES TAUGHT (in the last three years)

• EPS B010 (B1- B1+), EPS division of FLEPS, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, Spring 2021-2022

- EPS UB010 (B1+), EPS division of FLEPS, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, Fall 2021-2022 Hybrid (synchronous teaching via Microsoft Teams)
- EPS B010 (B1- B1+), EPS division of FLEPS, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, Spring 2020-2021 Online via Microsoft Teams
- EPS A020 (A1- A2), EPS division of FLEPS, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, Fall 2020-2021 Online via Microsoft Teams
- EP EPS B010 S 104 (B1- B1+), EPS division of FLEPS, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, Spring 2019-2020 Online via Microsoft Teams
- EPS A020 (A1- A2), EPS division of FLEPS, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, Fall 2019-2020
- EPS B010 (B1- B1+), EPS division of FLEPS, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, Spring 2018-2019
- EPS A020 (A1- A2), EPS division of FLEPS, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, Fall 2018-2019

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Academic Affairs Coordinator (2018 present)
- Syllabus Unit Coordinator (2015 2018)
- Syllabus Unit Member responsible for 104/114 (B1-B1+) levels (2013-2015)
- Professional Development Coordinator Assistant (2012-2013)
- Professional Development Working Group (2012-2013)
- Portfolio Working Group Member (2012-2013)
- Online Support Working Group Member (2011-2012)
- Blended Learning Team (BLT) Member (2008-2011)
- Information Management 2 Year Diploma Course English Teacher (E-Teacher) (2002-2010)
- Syllabus Design and Implementation Team Member (specializing in EdCompS Educational Computing Services) (2001-2005)

CONFERENCES, CONGRESSES AND SYMPOSIUMS ATTENDED (if any)

- 3. FLEPS Workshop Fest, Eastern Mediterranean University, English Preparatory School (June, 2013)
- Ozverir, A. & Ozverir, I. (2011). Metaphors and authenticity. ED-MEDIA Conference, Lisbon, Portugal.
- 7.3.2 Ozverir, A., Ozverir, I., Arkin, I., & Irikoglu, M. (2011). '@ School computer assisted foreign language education' the students' perspective. Paper presented at the INTED, Valencia, Spain.
- 7.3.3 Arkin, I., Ozverir, A., & Irikoglu, M. (2011). 'The application of Gagne's nine events in the design of PowerPoint presentations'. Paper presented at the INTED, Valencia, Spain.
- 7.3.4 Irikoglu, M., Ozverir, A., Arkin, I., & Ozverir, I. (2011). '@ Salamis the online component of f2f English language education'. Paper presented at the INTED, Valencia, Spain.

- 7.3.5 Ozverir, A. (2007). 'A Genre-Based Approach to designing online material for EAP students.' Conference Proceedings in Interactive Computer Aided Blended Learning Florianopolis, Brazil
- ELT Seminar, Eastern Mediterranean University (September 2007)
- 2nd International ELT Conference, English Language Teaching Department, Eastern Mediterranean University (2-5 May, 2006)

PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES, CONGRESSES AND SYMPOSIUMS (if any)

- 2. EPS Workshop Fest, Eastern Mediterranean University, English Preparatory School (June, 2012)
- 1. EPS Workshop Fest, Eastern Mediterranean University, English Preparatory School (June, 2011)
- World Conference on Educational Multimedia, Hypermedia & Telecommunications, Lisbon, Portugal (June, 2011)
- 3rd Annual ELT Conference: Theoretical and Practical Applications of emergent Technology in ELT Classroom, Girne American University, (April, 2011)
- International Technology, Education and Development Conference, Valencia, Spain (March, 2011)
- World Council of Comparative Education Societies XIV World Congress, Istanbul, Turkey (June, 2010)
- 2. EPS ELT Seminar, Eastern Mediterranean University, English Preparatory School (2008)
- Interactive Computer Aided Blended Learning Florianopolis, Brazil (7-9 May, 2007)
- 1st International Conference on Education, English Language Teaching Department, Eastern Mediterranean University (8-10 May, 2002)

PUBLICATIONS (if any)

- Ozverir, İ., Mokhtari, L., & Dzverir, A. (2021). A systematic analysis of design-based research in technology-enhanced language learning (TELL). HAYEF: Journal of Education, 18(3), 323-352.
- Ozverir, A. & Ozverir, I. (2011). Metaphors and authenticity. ED-MEDIA Conference, Lisbon, Portugal.
- Ozverir, A., Ozverir, I., Arkin, I., & Irikoglu, M. (2011). '@ School computer assisted foreign language education' the students' perspective. Paper presented at the INTED, Valencia, Spain.
- Arkin, I., Ozverir, A., & Irikoglu, M. (2011). 'The application of Gagne's nine events in the design of PowerPoint presentations'. Paper presented at the INTED, Valencia, Spain.
- Irikoglu, M., Ozverir, A., Arkin, I., & Ozverir, I. (2011). '@ Salamis the online component of f2f English language education'. Paper presented at the INTED, Valencia, Spain.
- Ozverir, A. & Ozverir, I. (2010). '@ Salamis: Blending the English language classroom.'
 XIV World congress of comparative education societies. Boğaziçi University, İstanbul,
 Turkey

- Ozverir, A. (2007). 'A Genre-Based Approach to designing online material for EAP students.' Conference Proceedings in Interactive Computer Aided Blended Learning Florianopolis, Brazil
- Ozverir, A. & Varanoglulari, F. (2002). 'Online teaching: changing needs of a changing medium.' Conference Proceedings in Education: Changing Times, Changing Needs: 1st International Conference on Education, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus

RESEARCH/PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS

- Educational Technology
- Authentic Learning Activities
- Syllabus Design
- Blended-learning
- Curriculum

SERVICES TO THE UNIVERSITY

- Organising Committee Member responsible for Administrative and Financial Supervision ICONFLE (1st International Conference on Foreign Languages and Education), Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2017)
- Organising Committee Moderator for Registration ICONFLE (1st International Conference on Foreign Languages and Education), Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2017)
- Organising Committee Member responsible for Accommodation and Social Events of ICONFLE (1st International Conference on Foreign Languages and Education), Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2017)
- Organising Committee in the joint FOCI-XV(Forum on Curriculum Issues) and T-Plus Event Themed "Collaboration for Curricular and Professional Development" Hosted by Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2016)
- FLEPS CDC (Curriculum Development Committee) member, (2014 2015)
- FLEPS Council member, 2013 to 2015
- PhD Project by İldeniz Özverir, Authentic activities in language learning: Bringing real world relevance to classroom, participated in piloting the project at EPS (2013)
- Helped in the organization of 3. FLEPS Workshop Fest. (2013)
- Online Support Working group (2010 2013)
- Helped in the organization of 2. EPS Workshop Fest. (2012)
- Course book evaluation (2011)
- Helped in the organization of 1. EPS Workshop Fest. (2011)
- Professional Development Working group (2010 2011)

- Eastern Mediterranean University, Educational Sciences Faculty, Department of Education 4th year teacher students (2010-2011)
- FLEPS AAB (Academic Advisory Board) member, (2009 2010)
- EPS Learning Management System evaluation (2009)
- Internships (2008 2011)
- Eastern Mediterranean University, Educational Sciences Faculty, Department of Education 4th year teacher students (2008-2010)
- EPS Course book evaluation committee (2008)
- Volunteer Speaking Working group (2000)
- Volunteer Online materials Development (1999 2000)

SERVICES TO THE COMMUNITY

- E-moderator for Learning Technologies for the Classroom Course, British Council (2011-2013)
- Evaluating British Council Courses (2013)
- Technology Training for a State High School (2011)
- Designing Online Portal for State High School (2008 2011)
- Assisting State high schools in EU projects (2008-2010)