

Curriculum Vitae



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EDUCATION

- M.A., English Language and Literature, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2001.
- B.A., English Language and Literature, Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey, 1997.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Courses taken

- A 60-hour blended course: Testing, Evaluation and Assessment by Dave Allen from NILE, North Cyprus, 2017
- TELC (The English Language Certificate) examiner Course, German Adult Education Association, Hamburg, 2013
- E-Moderators Course (Online), British Council, 2012
- E-Learning Education and Management Course, Near East University, 2011
- Instructional Technology and Materials Design (ITMD), EMU, 2009
- Teaching with I-Technology: Web 2.0 in the EFL Classroom, Bodrum, Turkey, 2008
- ICELT, Cambridge University, 2008
- The Certificate in Computers and Teacher Development (CCTD), EMU, 2005
- CEELT II, Cambridge University, 2001

Seminars, Conferences and Workshops Attended

- IATEFL Conference Attendance. Brighton, UK. 2018
- An ELT seminar on Global Scale of English, offered by Pearson, 7th May, 2016
- OTA (Oxford Teachers Academy) Teaching English to Adults, January 2015
- Forum on Curriculum Issues (FOCI), Yasar University, Izmir, 2014
- Teresa Doguelli-How to Use Open Mind Beginner (Pre-A1)-How to Use Skillful (Academic Skills), EMU FLEPS, 2013-14
- Workshop on “How to exploit Oxford Word Skills”, EMU, 2013-14
- Participant at “The 3rd FLEPS Workshop Fest, EMU, 2013
- Grant Kempton – Curriculum Consultancy – EPS test specifications, EMU, FLEPS, 2013-14
- 2nd Workshop Festival, EMU FLEPS, 2012
- Participant at “Critical Thinking in Action” workshop organized by Macmillan Education in association with Deniz Plaza, EMU FLEPS, 2012
- Group Dynamics and Multiple Intelligence workshop, EMU FLEPS, 2009
- Increasing Learner involvement in reading classes – workshop – Edward Casassa, EMU FLEPS, 2009
- Workshop on “Language and technology- the role of reading” by David Evan , EMU, 2009
- Participant at Sabancı University SL International Conference on Foreign Language Education, Sabanci University, 2007
- Participant at International EFL Skills Conference. Cairo, Egypt, American University, 2006
- Participant at Tesol Symposium on Dual Language Education: Teaching and Learning in Two Languages in the EFL Setting, Bogazici University, 2005
- Strategic planning workshop by Dr. Mehmet Altinay, EMU, 2004
- 1st International Conference, EMU FLEPS, 1999

PAPERS PRESENTED OR WORKSHOPS CONDUCTED

- Presenter at INTED conference. “@school-computer assisted foreign language education’-the students’ perspective”, Valencia, Spain, 2011
- Presenter at INTED conference. “The application of Gagne’s nine events in the design of power-point presentations”, Valencia, Spain, 2011
- Presenter at INTED conference. “@salamis- the online component of f2f English Language Education”, Valencia, Spain, 2011
- Presenter at Workshop Fest 1. “@salamis- the online component of f2f English Language Education”, EMU, 2011

ACADEMIC /TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Senior Instructor – teaching general English, young adults, all levels in Eastern Mediterranean University, FLEPS, 2003 - present
- Instructor- teaching general English, young adults, all levels in Eastern Mediterranean University, FLEPS, 2002 – 2003
- English Teacher, EMPS, 2002
- English Teacher, EMC, 1999-2001
- Part Time Instructor, EMU, 1997-1999

COURSES TAUGHT *(in the last three years)*

- CEFR B1 Level General English Spring 2021-22
- CEFR A1-A2 Level General English Fall 2021-22
- CEFR B1 Level General English Spring 2020-21
- CEFR A1-A2 Level General English Fall 2020-21
- CEFR B1 Level General English Spring 2019-20
- CEFR B1 Level General English Fall 2019-20

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Testing Unit Member, 2014-2020
- Portfolio Working Group, 2013-2014
- Online Support Group, 2011-2012
- Blended Learning Team Member, 2008-2011
- SFL Council membership, 2008–2009
- Evening Courses team member, 2004- 2005

PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES, FORUMS

- 1st Forum On Assessment Issues (FOAI), Sabanci University, Istanbul, 2013
- 3rd International Conference, workshop on Creating Self Access Materials, EMU FLEPS, 2001
- 2nd International Conference, Reading Skill, EMU FLEPS, 2000

SERVICE TO UNIVERSITY

- Volunteer in the Performance Management Piloting Programme, 2013
- Internship programme, 2009-2012

- Celebrating Diversity (Organizing a traditional dance show), 2010-2011
- EMU Strategic planning membership, 2009
- Research Project “@Salamis: Bilgisayar ve Internet destekli dil egitimi” funded by EMU, 2008-2010
- SFL Council membership, 2008–2009
- Ballroom Dancing instructor (Extra-curricular Activities), 1998-2004
- 1st International EPS ELT Conference Organizing Committee membership, 1999
- One of the two presenters of the Graduation Ceremony, presenting the ceremony in English, 1998

SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

- Member of organizing committee for a concert for ‘Yarinlara Bir Umut Dernegi’, 2016
- Member of organizing committee for a concert for ‘Yarinlara Bir Umut Dernegi’ 2015
- Founding Member of Yarinlara Bir Umut Dernegi, 2013-Present
- E-Moderating “Learning Technologies” course, 2013
- EU Project “@school” for Gazi Magusa Turk Marif Koleji, 2011
- Jury member of “Dancing Competition for Primary Schools” organized by Gazi Magusa Municipality, 2006
- Ballroom Dancing instructor at Gazi MagusaMunicipality, 1998-2003
- Jury member of “Dancing Competition for Primary Schools” organized by Gazi Magusa Municipality, 2001