### Curriculum Vitae



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#### **EDUCATION**

- Certificate in Computers and Teacher Development (CCTD), Eastern Mediterranean University, Cyprus, 2001.
- M.A. ELT/Educational Studies, Eastern Mediterranean University, Cyprus, 1999.
- Cambridge Examination in English for Language Teachers, (CEELT II), RSA/Cambridge, Eastern Mediterranean University, Cyprus, 1995.
- Certificate for Overseas Teachers of English, (COTE), RSA/ Cambridge, Eastern Mediterranean University, Cyprus, 1993-1994.
- B.A. Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Foreign Language Education, 1992

## **ACADEMIC /TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- Test Writer for ENGL 185
- Organizer for ENGL 261, FLEPS, 2015-2016
- Exam Moderator for ENGL 161 and ENGL 162, FLEPS, 2015-2016
- Test Writer for ENGL 271, FLEPS, 2014-2015
- Test Writer for ENGL 272, FLEPS, 2013-2014
- Working Group member for ENGL 271-272 FLEPS, 2013-2016
- Overall Organizer for ENGL 271, FLEPS, 2013-2015

- Teacher Representative, FLEPS, 2013-2014
- Coordinator for Administrative and Student Affairs, EMU-FLEPS, 2012-2013
- Test Writer for ENGL 172 and ENGL 271, EMU-FLEPS, 2012-2013
- Overall Coordinator for General English, EMU-FLEPS, 2011-2012
- Curriculum Development Committee Member, EMU-FLEPS, 2011-2012
- International Exams and Courses Working Group Member
- Promotion Team Member, SFL-EPS, 2010-2011
- Testing and Moderation Team Member, SFL-EPS, 2010-2011
- Team Coordinator, SFL-EPS, 2010-2011
- Team Coordinator for Turkish Medium Program (TMP), EMU-MLD, 2009-2010
- Team Coordinator for TMP EMU-MLD, 2008-2009
- Course Organizer for ENGL 172, EMU-MLD, 2007-2008
- Teacher Representative at the SFL Council EMU-SFL, 2005-2006
- Curricular Team Educational Resources unit member, EMU-SFL, 2001-2002
- Curricular Team Member, EMU-SFL, 1999-2001
- Syllabus and Materials Development and Implementation Team Leader EMU-SFL 1998-1999
- Assistant Leader of Syllabus and Materials Development Team, EMU-SFL,1997-1998
- Assistant Leader of Reading Materials Team, EMU-SFL, 1994-1997
- Assistant Leader of Teachers' Resource Centre, EMU-SFL, 1993-1994

## **COURSES TAUGHT** (in the last three years)

- ENGL 181, Academic English I, Spring 2021-2022.
- ENGL 181, Academic English I, Spring 2021-2022.
- ENGL 185, Complementary English II, Fall 2021-2022.
- ENGL 182, Academic English II, Spring 2020-2021.
- ENGL 182, Academic English II, Spring 2020-2021.

- ENGL 182, Academic English II, Fall 2020-2021.
- ENGL 182, Academic English II, Fall 2020-2021.
- ENGL 182, Academic English II, Spring 2019-2020.
- ENGL 182, Academic English II, Spring 2019-2020.
- ENGL 182, Academic English II, Fall 2019-2020.
- ENGL 182, Academic English II, Fall 2019-2020.
- ENGL 152, Communication in English II, Spring 2018-2019.
- ENGL 191, Academic English I, Spring 2018-2019.
- ENGL 191, Academic English I, Spring 2018-2019.
- ENGL 172, English II, Fall 2018-2019.
- ENGL 181, Academic English I, Fall 2018-2019.
- ENGL 185, Complementary English II, Fall 2018-2019.

#### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

HLT (Humanising Language Teaching) Pilgrim's Online magazine

#### PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

### **Courses and Workshops Attended**

- Certificate program on "QR Codes" by Nalan Guder and Nurcan Garip, FLEPS, EMU, January 2020.
- Seminar on "In Class Action-oriented Tasks and Criterion Assessment with FLEPS Teachers" by Tim Goodier NILE, EMU, 8 November 2019.
- Course on "21st Century Authentic Learning" by İldeniz Özverir, FLEPS, EMU, October 2019.
- Workshop on 'Google E-Portfolio' by Nurcan Garip, FLEPS, EMU, 30 April, 8 May, 14 May 2019.
- Seminar on 'How to Apply for Financial Funding for Academic Conferences' by Nadıran Tanyeli, FLEPS, EMU, April 2019.

- Workshop on 'Skills for Success Presentation' by Camille Dunn, OUP, FLEPS, EMU, March 2019.
- Workshop on 'Encouraging and Developing Productive Skills' by Thom Kiddle, FLEPS, EMU, November 2018
- A two day seminar on 'Perspectives on Professional Development for Teachers' by NILE, FLEPS, EMU, May 2018
- Workshop on 'Wellbeing and Motivation at Work' by Gülcan Garip, EMU, April 2018
- Workshop on 'Using Very Short Films' by Alan Pulverness, FLEPS, EMU, December 2017
- Seminar on 'Integrating Critical Thinking Skills into English Language Teaching' by Alan Mackenzie, FLEPS, EMU, November 2017
- Seminar on 'Issues In Assessing productive skills: Speaking / Writing' by Mehdi Riazi, FLEPS, EMU, November 2017
- Hands On Seminar on 'An Introduction to Macmillan English Campus' by Semih Irfaner, FLEPS, EMU, October 2017
- 9<sup>th</sup> T-Plus Event, The Inseparable Duo in Success: Curriculum & Teacher Training, FLEPS, EMU, 11-12<sup>th</sup> May 2017
- Seminar on Classroom Management by Tony Gurr, Pearson, FLEPS EMU, March 2017
- 'Tuning into Your Learners, Assessment and Evaluation in the Lesson' by Craig Thaine, Cambridge University Press, FLEPS, EMU, March 2017
- Seminar on "Education Towards Peace" by Cliff Perry, British Council, FLEPS, EMU, January 2017
- Seminar on 'Key Technologies for Blending Learning' by Russell Stannard, FLEPS, EMU, 10-11<sup>th</sup> November 2016
- Workshop: 'Using Assessment to Support Learning: Formative Classroom Practices' by JT Rehill, LEAD, Pearson, FLEPS, EMU, October 2016
- Training on Macmillan English Campus Online by Ivy Rudd, FLEPS, EMU, 8<sup>th</sup> September 2016
- 'Trends and New Directions in Language Teaching and Learning" by Thom Kiddle, FLEPS, EMU, 6<sup>th</sup> September, 2016
- 'How to Integrate Technology into Language Classrooms' by Semih Irfaner, Macmillan, FLEPS, EMU, 5<sup>th</sup> September 2016
- Presentation: Macmillan Education's Blended Solution for university prep classes by Semih Irfaner FLEPS, EMU, May 2016

- How to exploit the course book NEF by Paul Seligson, FLEPS, EMU, March 2016
   Session on TMP Curriculum by Grant Kempton, Longman/Pearson, FLEPS, EMU, February 2016
- Teacher Trainer Training by Teresa Doguelli, FLEPS, EMU, March 2015
- Teacher Trainer Training by Teresa Doguelli, FLEPS, EMU, January 2015
- Workshop: 'A practical training on how to use English File 3rd edition effectively in classroom' by Jackie Hallsal FLEPS, EMU September 2014
- NLP and Coaching for Teachers: 2 weeks' teacher training course, The University of Kent, Canterbury, England, 3-16 August 2014
- 4th FLEPS Workshop Festival, FLEPS, EMU, July 2014
- How to use Open Mind Beginner (Pre- A1): Workshop by Teresa Doguelli, FLEPS, EMU, May 2014
- Using New English file to teach integrated skills for the benefit of the student/ creating a communicative environment while teaching reading/writing: Workshop by Laura Woodward, FLEPS, EMU, April 2014
- City & Guilds Online Examiner Training, FLEPS, EMU, March 2014
- City & Guilds IESOL and ISESOL Assessment Training B1 Achiever Level Webinar by Luca Biercsak, FLEPS, EMU, November 2013
- TELC Training by Linda Gallasch, FLEPS, EMU, 16-18 September 2013
- Instructional Planning and Evaluating Learning: 3-day workshop by Canan Perkan, FLEPS, EMU, 2013
- Writing Techniques to improve students' scores in Tasks 1 and 2 in the Academic Version of IELTS: workshop by Sam McCarter, FLEPS, EMU, 2013
- Basic Computer Skills for Test Writing: in house workshop by Aygun Ozyahyalar FLEPS, EMU, 2013
- Curriculum Consultancy Visit: Tony Gurr, FLEPS, EMU, 2013
- What does it mean to know a word? Workshop by Meghan Beler, FLEPS, EMU, 2012
- Critical Thinking in Action: workshop by Lindsay Clandfield, FLEPS, EMU, 2012
- Empowerment and Lifelong Learning- Yes we can!: workshop by Teresa Doguelli, FLEPS, EMU 2012
- The Value and Use of Communication and Collaboration in ELT: seminar by Gareth Rees, FLEPS, EMU, 2012
- Developing and Testing Productive Skills, workshop by Gareth Davies, FLEPS, EMU,
   September 2011
- Teaching Real Four Skills workshop by Gareth Davies, FLEPS, EMU, January 2011
- 4<sup>th</sup> School of Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School Directors' Meeting: as a note taker, FLEPS / Salamis Conti Hotel, 2010
- Course book presentation by Guy Elders, FLEPS, EMU, 2010
- Communicative Teaching and CEFR Assessment: training by Vincent Smidowicz, EMU,2010
- Creative ELT, training, Cesme, Turkey, 13-18th July, 2009
- Oxford Teachers' Academy: seminar, FLEPS, EMU, 2009
- Oxford Teachers' Academy: seminar by Patrick Shortt, FLEPS, EMU, 2008
- "Leadership" workshop by George Pickering, EMU, 30-31 October, 2008
- "Testing" workshop by Susan Davies Hardy EMU, 2008

- "New English File" course book orientation by Paul Seligson, EMU, 2008
- Extensive Reading: workshop by Bill BowlerHidden Garden, Nicosia, 2008
- "Drama Techniques": workshop by Teresa Doguelli, SFL-EMU, 2006
- SFL Language Teaching Seminar: participation, SFL-EPS, 2005
- Kıbrıs'ta Son Gelişmeler: conference by E. Kaymak, Y. Vural, N. Kızılyurek, EMU, 2004
- Seminar on "Creative Writing" by Mario Rinvolucri, EMU, 2003
- TEFL Certificate Program: participant, San Diego State University, the U.S.A., 2001
- Workshop on the evaluation of the EMUSFL-IED Intermediate and Upper Intermediate programs and the Freshman English courses by John Clegg, EMU, 2001
- "The Power of Stories in Language Teaching: for all ages and all levels": seminar by Andrew Wright, Ataturk Cultural Centre, Nicosia, 2000
- "A world of Magic and Inspiration: Stories for Language Learning": seminar by Deniz Kurtoğlu Eken, EMU, 1999
- Training and inset on the EMU SFL-IED Syllabus Design and Development by Pauline Rea-Dickens, EMU, 1999
- Extending English Language Teaching Skills: summer school participant, University of Oxford, Keble College the U.K. 1998
- "Clarifying the Professional Role of the Teacher": seminar by Michael Ackermann, EMU, 1998
- New Graduates' Course, SFL-EPS, 1992-1993

## Research Grants, Training Grants and Scholarships (if any)

- NLP and Coaching for Teachers: 2 weeks' teacher training course, The University of Kent, Canterbury, England, 3-16 August 2014
- TEFL Certificate Program: participant, San Diego State University, the U.S.A., 2001
- Extending English Language Teaching Skills: summer school participant, University of Oxford, Keble College the U.K. 1998

## CONFERENCES, CONGRESSES AND SYMPOSIUMS ATTENDED (if any)

- 4<sup>th</sup> SFLEPS Workshop Festival: FLEPS, EMU, 2014
- 3<sup>rd</sup> SFLEPS Workshop Festival: FLEPS, EMU, 2013
- International Seminar on Reflection of Indian Culture & Civilization in Travelogues: paper presentation, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India, 2012
- 2nd SFLEPS Workshop Festival: FLEPS, EMU, 2012
- 1st SFLEPS Workshop Festival: FLEPS, EMU, 2011
- 10<sup>th</sup> METU ELT Convention Ankara, Turkey, 22-23rd May, 2009
- 2nd EPS-ELT Conference SFL-EPS, EMU, 2008
- 3rd International ELT Conference on "Bringing the textbook to life", EMU, 2001

- 2nd International ELT Conference on "Practical Issues for Practising Teachers", EMU,
   2000
- 1st International ELT Conference on "Developing English Language Teaching Practices", EMU, 1999

# PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES, CONGRESSES AND SYMPOSIUMS (if any)

- 3<sup>rd</sup> EMU FLEPS Workshop Festival: paper presentation: 'Jack Frost' FLEPS, EMU, 2013
- International Seminar on Reflection of Indian Culture & Civilization in Travelogues: paper presentation, 'The Incredible Impossibility' Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India, 2012
- ICANAS 38 International Congress of Asian and North African Studies: paper presentation, "Argoşillo'dan Mouse'a" Ankara, TOBB University, Turkey, 2007

# **PUBLICATIONS** (if any)

- İçimdeki Ayaz ISBN 978-9925-593-34-7 (Fourth Edition) Lefkoşa, 2022
- İçimdeki Ayaz ISBN 978-6056448683 (Third edition) 44 Yayınları, Ankara, 2017
- İçimdeki Ayaz ISBN 978-6056448683 (second edition) 44 Yayınları, Ankara, 2015
- İçimdeki Ayaz
   ISBN 978-605-42-6659-3, Siyah İnci Yayinlari, Istanbul, 2013
- Argosillo'dan Mouse'a
   ISBN 978-975-16-2453-6(2.c) (p.599) Atatürk Kültür, Dil ve Tarih Yüksek Kurumu,
   Ankara, 2011
- Vacations: coe.sdsu.edu/people/jmora/MoraModules/ vacations.htm2001

#### **SERVICES TO UNIVERSITY**

- ISESOL Interlocutor for City and Guilds Exams, 2009-2015
- Instructor, Summer School, 2012-2013
- Instructor, Summer School, 2011-2012 (ENGL 192)
- Internship (MLD), 2006-2007
- Contributing to the completion of the Strategic Planning Process, 2004
- Internship (SFL), 2001-2002
- Internship (SFL), 1993-1994
- Instructor, Summer School, 1996-1997
- Instructor, Summer School, 1999-2000

İçimizdeki Ayaz'ı Tanımak: Informal talk during a FLEPS social gathering, FLEPS, EMU,
 May 2014

## **SERVICES TO COMMUNITY**

- A speech on 'İçimizdeki Ayaz', Mehmetçik Library, March 2017
- Reiki Training and Atunement
- Member of Yarınlara Bir Umut Derneği 2014
- Instructor, Evening Courses, English Preparatory School, Famagusta, 2001-2002
- Instructor, Evening Courses for Adults, Cyprus Turkish British Cultural Association, Nicosia, 1995-1997

## **RESEARCH/PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS**

- Reading / Writing Strategies
- Psychology
- NLP (Neuro-linguistic Programming)
- Fifth Dimensional Issues