Curriculum Vitae



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EDUCATION

- M.A., Communication and Media Studies, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2015 (frozen)
- RSA Cambridge Examinations in English for Language Teachers Level Two (CEELT II), offered by Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, April 2001
- B.A., English Literature and Humanities/ELH, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, July 1999
- 'Certificate of Training in English Language Teaching', ELT, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, July 1999

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Courses and Workshops Attended

- OTA, Mentoring Skills Course by Chris Sheen, Online Platform, June-July 2022 (still in progress)
- 7th FLEPS Workshop Festival, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, May 2022
- Hybrid Learning Through Microsoft Teams by Clare Rolf-Golks (NILE), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, March 2022

- Quality Management in Language Education by Martyn Clarke (NILE), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, March 2022
- Seminar on Assuring quality of assessment for learning (with reference to CEFR) by Tim Goodier, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, November 2019
- Road Mapping GSE and Pearson Assurance by Grant Kempton, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, October 2019
- PD Session: Reflection and Target Setting by FLEPS PD, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, September 2019
- Google E-Portfolio by Nurcan Garip, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, May 2019
- Edmodo Training Session by Turan Degirmencioglu, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, April 2019
- Intercultural Awareness in Language Classrooms by Uwe Pohl, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, April 2019
- 5th FLEPS Workshop Festival, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, June 2018
- How to Integrate Thinking Skills into ELT, Blooming Skills in ELT by Alan MacKenzie,
 Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, November 2017
- Key Technologies that really impact on teaching and learning by Russell Stannard,
 Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, November 2016
- An ELT seminar on "Using Assessment to Support Learning: Formative Classroom Practices" by JT Rehill, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, October 2016
- Teaching with MacMillan English Campus Training Session, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, September 2016
- Trends and New Directions in Language Teaching and Learning by Thom Kiddle,
 Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, September 2016
- How to Integrate Technology into the Language Classroom by Semih Irfaner, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, September 2016
- Key technologies for blended learning by Russell Stannard, Norwich Institute for Language Education (NILE), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2016
- A training session on "Teaching with Macmillan English Campus" by Ivy Rudd, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, September 2016
- A presentation on 'Macmillan Education's Blended Solution for University prep classes' by Semih Irfaner, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, May 2016

- MLD In-house Training, 'Statistics', by Aygun Ozyahyalar, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, February 2015
- 4th SFL FLEPS Workshop Festival, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, July 2014
- 3rd SFL FLEPS Workshop Festival, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, June 2013
- MLD In-house Training: Instructional Planning and Evaluating Students' Learning,
 Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, June 2013
- In-house Training 'Grading Academic Written Work' by Aygun Ozyahyalar, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, April 2013
- In-service Training 'Instructional Planning and Coming up with Smart Learning Outcomes' Workshop' by Canan Perkan, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, February 2013
- 'Curriculum Consultancy Visit' by Tony Gurr, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, January 2013
- Workshop on 'What does it mean to know a word?' by Megan Beler, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2012
- Workshop on 'Learner in Literature' by Megan Beler, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2012
- 2nd SFL EPS Workshop Festival, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, June 2012
- 'Critical Thinking Workshop' by Lindsay Clanfield, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, May 2012
- 'CEFR and Learning Objectives' by Nurcan Pembe Garip, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, April 2012
- Lecture on 'Michel Foucault's 'The Birth of the Clinic': An Archeology of Medical Perception' by Dr. Johann Pillai, Sidestreets, Kyrenia, North Cyprus, 2010
- 'Testing Workshop III' by Sue Davies, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, October 2009
- Workshop titled 'New English File Course Book Orientation' by Paul Seligson, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2009
- 'Testing Workshop II' by Sue Davies, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, September 2008
- Workshop on 'Training and Supporting Teacher Development' by Angela Malderez,
 Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, September 2008
- '2nd EPS ELT Seminar on New Trends in ELT', Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, February 2008
- 3rd International Conference on Women's Studies titled 'Gender at the Crossroads: Multi-Disciplinary Perspectives', Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2008

- Workshop on 'Leadership' by George Pickering, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2008
- Workshop on 'Total Quality Management' by George Pickering, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2008
- Training Programme by Oxford Teachers' Academy 'Principles and Practices in Teaching Teenagers', Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2008
- Workshop on Syllabus and Materials Design, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2004
- Workshop on 'Task Based Learning' by Nick Dawson, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2004
- Workshop on 'Learner Training' by Mary-Frances Reilly, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2003
- ELH Conference titled 'Inscriptions in the Sand: An Arts and Culture Conference', Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2003
- Workshop on General Service List by John Eldridge, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2002
- Workshop on Cutting Edge Series by Ahmet Sofuoglu, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2002
- ELH Conference titled 'Literature and the Poetics/Politics of Space', Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2001
- Workshop titled 'Creativity in Writing' by Dilek Kurtoglu Eken, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2001
- '3rd International ELT Conference on 'Bringing the Text Book to Life', Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, February 2001
- ELH Conference titled 'Ethics and Subjectivity in Literary and Cultural Studies', Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2000
- ELT Conference on 'Practical Issues for Practicing Teachers', Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2000
- New Teachers' Course (NT), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1999 – 2000

Training Grants and Scholarships

NONE

ACADEMIC /TEACHING EXPERIENCE

• Instructor, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1999 – present.

 Teaching General English to the Police Department, Famagusta District, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2010

COURSES TAUGHT (in the last three years)

• ENGL 192 Academic English (Communication in English II), 2019-present

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Academic Affairs Coordinator, School of Foreign Languages, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2019-2020-present
- English Medium Program Coordinator, School of Foreign Languages, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2019-2020
- Academic English Framework Planner, School of Foreign Languages, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2018-2019
- Testing Moderator (Academic English), School of Foreign Languages, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2012-2016
- Course Organizer of ENGL 172, School of Foreign Languages, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2010-2013
- Testing and Moderation Team Member (Academic English), School of Foreign Languages, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2011
- Syllabus Team Member In-class Assessment / Process Writing (Academic English),
 School of Foreign Languages, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North
 Cyprus, 2009-2011
- Council Member, School of Foreign Languages, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2007 2009
- Teaching Team Leader, School of Foreign Languages, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2007 – 2009
- Testing Team Member, School of Foreign Languages, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2002 2005
- Acting Assistant Director, School of Foreign Languages, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2004
- Student Self Study Center Team Member, School of Foreign Languages, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2001 – 2004
- Curricular Team Member Syllabus Material Design & Implementation, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2001 – 2004
- Tutoring in the Internship Programme, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2001 2003

SERVICES TO THE UNIVERSITY

- Football Player in Ladies' Football League, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2002
- Referee in Ladies' Table Tennis Tournament, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2002

SERVICES TO THE COMMUNITY

- Raising sponsorship for the Canakkale Chess Club, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2019present
- Involvement in various social responsibility organizations, activities and projects and charities related to pollution, recycling, diseases, stray animals, etc., North Cyprus, 2008 – present
- Organizing Billiards Tournaments, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2010 2012
- Teaching General English to the Police Department, Famagusta District, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2010