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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

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| Assistant Professor Department of Political Science Kansas State University | 2008-Present <i>(on leave, 2009-2011 Cumhuriyet U., Turkey)</i> |
| Research Faculty Center for Criminology and Public Policy Florida State University | 2005-2008 |

EDUCATION

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| Ph.D., Department of Political Science Florida State University | 2005 |
| M.S., Department of Political Science Florida State University | 2003 |
| M.A., Department of Political Science Ankara University, Turkey | 1997 |
| B.A., Public Administration College of Political Sciences Ankara University, Turkey | 1994 |

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Articles

"A Model and Test of Policymaking Process," forthcoming in *Journal of Politics and Law* (with C. Oakley, G. Pesta, and T. blomberg).

"Secular-Islamist Cleavage, Values and Support for Democracy and Shari'a in the Arab World," forthcoming in *Political Research Quarterly*.

"Social Identity and Attitudes toward Foreign Policy: Evidence from a Youth Survey in Turkey," *International Journal of Middle East Studies*, 45.01 (2013).

"Islamophobia and Threat Perceptions: Explaining anti-Muslim sentiment in the West," *Journal of Muslim Minority Affairs* 32.3 (2012).

“Modernization, Islam or Social Capital What Explains Attitudes toward Democracy in the Muslim World?” *Comparative Political Studies*, 43.11 (November, 2010).

“Committee Assignments in a Nascent Party System: the Case of the Turkish Grand National Assembly” with Walter Forrest and Yusuf Tekin, *International Political Science Review*, 29.3 (2008).

“Treaties, Collective Responses and the Determinants of Aggregate Support for European Integration,” *European Union Politics*, 6.4 (2005).

Other Publications

Book Review

Review of Paul T. Levin's "Turkey and the European Union: Christian and Secular Images of Islam, *International Journal of Turkish Studies*, Fall 2012, 18(1&2): 188-190.

Peer Reviewed Articles and Books in Turkish

Türkiye'nin Dış Politikası Bağlamında Ortadoğu'ya Yönelik Tutumlar: Üniversite Öğrencilerinin Algıları Hakkında Bir Alan Araştırması [Turkish Foreign Policy and Attitudes Toward Middle East: A Case Study of College Students] with Fatih Ertugay, *Review of International Law and Politics*, Winter, 2011.

1877'den Günümüze Parlamento: 22. Dönem TBMM'nde Parlamento ve Parlamenter Rol Algısı, [*Parliament in Turkey since 1877: Parliament and Parliamentary Role Perceptions in the Turkish Grand National Assembly in its 22nd Term*], with Yusuf Tekin, *Siyasal: Ankara, Turkey*.]-**BOOK**

“Parlamenterlerin Rol Davranislari Uzerine bir Inceleme: TBMM Uzerine bir Uygulama”, [*A study of Parliamentary Role behaviors: The case of Turkish Grand National Assembly, Istanbul University, Journal of Faculty of Political Sciences, 2006*].

“Demokratik Siyasal Yapılarda Temsil İlkesi: TBMM'nde Bir Alan Araştırması”, [*Representation in Democratic Institutions: The case of Turkish Grand National Assembly, Selcuk University, Journal of Administrative and Economic Sciences, 2006*].

“Avrupa Parlamentosu Seçimleri ve Muhtemel Üyelik Durumunda bu Seçimlerin Türkiye'de Siyasal Hayat ve Partiler Üzerine Yansımalarına İlişkin Öngörüler [*EP elections and some Insights about the Impact of these Elections on Political Parties in Turkey, Journal of Liberal Thought, 9(36), Winter 2004*]

Opinion Pieces

Al-Fatah Congress, de facto Palestinian State and Peace Process in the Middle East, *Middle Eastern Analysis*, 10, 33-39, 2009 (in Turkish).

The Afghanistan Dilemma: The Foreign Policy Choices of Obama and the future of Af-Pak, *Middle Eastern Analysis*, 11, 41-48, 2009 (In Turkish).

Afghanistan: Between Security and Nation Building, *Middle Eastern Analysis*, 12, 80-86, 2009 (in Turkish).

Gaza Blockade and the Future of the Israel-Palestine Conflict, Middle Eastern Analysis 2, 8-15, 2010 (in Turkish).

America's New War: The Inevitable Rise of Taliban and the Limits of State-building in Afghanistan, Middle Eastern Analysis 2, 74-81, 2010 (in Turkish).

Can Karzai Provide a Solution for Afghanistan, ORSAM, 2010 (in Turkish).

Are Turks anti-Semitic?, Hurriyet Daily News, 2009 (in English)

Winners and Losers. Turkish Zaman, 2007 (in Turkish and English)

Why is Democracy not the Only Game in Town? Zaman and Haber 10, 2007 (in Turkish and English).

On European Court of Human Rights, Democracy and Western Muslims", 2006, liberal.org (in English).

UNDER REVIEW

Democracy, Gender Gap and Civic Engagement in the Arab World (with Ethan Bernick),(under review at Political Behavior)

Islamist Party Moderation: Internal Party Structures, Leadership, and Strategic Political Action (with Mike Wuthrich, under review at World Politics).

How do Partisan Cues Inform Attitudes: Elite Messages, Selective Cue-taking and Individual Support for EU Membership in Turkey (under review at Comparative European Politics).

GRANTS AND AWARDS

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| Political Islam: A Distance Education Project (development of a distance Education course on Political Islam, Kansas State University, \$7,000) | 2012 |
| Youth Attitudes toward Turkish Foreign Policy and EU Membership: A survey Experiment (Cumhuriyet University, BAP, 10,000 TL (~\$6600) | 2009-2010 |
| Artinian Travel Grant, Southern Political Science Association (\$250, Awarded but Declined) | 2010 |
| International Studies Association-South Conference, Second Runner-up, Graduate Student Paper Competition | 2004 |
| Florida State University, Department of Political Science (graduate assistantship) | 2002-2005 |
| Turkish Higher Education Council Full Scholarship for Graduate Studies, 2000-2004. | 2000-2004 |

DATA SETS

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| Turkish Parliamentarians Survey | 2003-2004 |
| Youth Attitudes toward Turkish Foreign Policy and EU Membership A survey Experiment. | 2010 |

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor, Kansas State University

Middle East Politics
International Politics of Middle East
Islam and Politics/Political Islam
Comparative Politics
Advanced Research Methods II- *Graduate*
US Security and the Middle East-*Graduate*

Florida State University, Summer Abroad Program: Turkey

Middle East Politics- *Graduate and undergraduate*
Turkish Politics -*Graduate and undergraduate* (housed at Koc University).

Assistant Professor, Cumhuriyet University, Turkey (2009-2011)

Middle East and Turkish Foreign Policy
Turkish Constitutional System
Turkish Politics
International Relations
EU and Turkey
Political Data Analysis: Introduction to Regression- *Graduate*
Middle East Politics-*Graduate*

Instructor, Florida State University

Introduction to Comparative Politics
West European Politics
Research Methods in Political Science
European Union Politics

Adjunct Lecturer, University of Florida

Research Methods

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Reviewer

British Journal of Political Science, Political Research Quarterly, European Union Politics, Legislative Studies Quarterly, Comparative Political Studies, European Journal of Political Research, Political Science Quarterly, Comparative European Politics, Comparative Politics.

Public Lectures/Talks

Vernon Larson Lecture Series, Kansas State University *2013*
Arab Spring and Freedom's Future

Akay Meetings, Cumhuriyet University *2011*
New Trends in Turkish Foreign Policy

Fulbright Abroad Workshop at FAMU, Tallahassee *2004*
Presenter on Turkish culture and politics

RECENT CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Paper Presentations

Religiosity, Economic Beliefs and Support for Democracy in the Muslim World, American Political Science Association Meeting, Chicago, IL, 2013.

How Cultural Beliefs About Women's Role in the World Shape Women's Civic Engagement, with Ethan Bernick and Chardie Baird, Midwest Political Science Association Meeting, Chicago, IL, 2013.

Parties After Revolution: Social and Economic Origins of Political Parties in the Middle East, Middle East Studies Association Conference, Denver, CO, November 2012.

Democracy, Gender Gap and Civic Engagement in the Arab World (with Ethan Bernick), Midwest Political Science Association Meeting, Chicago, IL, April 2012.

Etatized versus Ethicalized: Explaining the Transformation of Sharia Discourses and Their Political Consequences in Turkey and Saudi Arabia, Midwest Political Science Association Meeting, Chicago, IL April 2012.

"Divergent or Concurrent? Explaining Microlevel Determinants of Support for Democracy and Shari'a in the Arab World", presented at Middle East Studies Association Conference, Washington DC, December, 2011.

When are Muslims viewed as Terrorists: Explaining anti-Muslim sentiment in US and Europe", First International Symposium on Terrorism and Transnational Crimes, Antalya, TURKEY, November 2009.

"Why do Individuals Vote in Authoritarian and Hybrid Regimes? Explaining Voting Behavior in Turkey, Morocco, and Egypt", Midwest Political Science Association Meeting, Chicago, IL, April 2009.

"The popular base of Muslim Democracy: Explaining support for Islamic parties in Turkey and Morocco" Midwest Political Science Association Meeting, Chicago, IL, April 2009.

Discussant/Chair

Midwest Political Science Association *2009, 2012, 2013*

Middle East Studies Association *2011, 2012*

LANGUAGES AND PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Turkish (Native)
English (Fluent)
Arabic (Intermediate)
Zazaki (Native)

Hierarchical Linear Modeling, Maximum Likelihood Estimation, Time Series Cross Sectional Analysis, Structural Equation Modeling, STATA, SAS, SPSS

Experimental Design, Elite Surveys

SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY

MA Program (2008-2009), Website, Newsletter (2008-2009), Strategic Planning (2011-current), Merit and Evaluation (2011, 2012), Outreach Events (2011/-2012).