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WORK EXPERIENCE

- May 2021 - ...** Predoctoral Fellow FI, Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IBEI), Barcelona, Spain
- May 2016 - Sep 2019** Research/Teaching Assistant, Kultur University, İstanbul, Turkey
- Aug 2013 - Sep 2013** Intern, Ministry of the European Union, Ankara, Turkey

EDUCATION

- 2019 - ...** PhD in Political Science and International Relations, Pompeu Fabra University (UPF), Barcelona, Spain
Dissertation Title: In Pursuit of Data: The Use of Biometric Technology in Humanitarian Aid Operations
Advisor: Dr Miriam Bradley
- 2015 - 2018** MA in International Relations, Hacettepe University, Ankara, Turkey
Dissertation Title: New Challenges within the Framework of the Responsibility to Protect: Terrorism and Protection of Populations
Advisor: Dr Pinar Mine Gozen Ercan
CGPA: 3.48 out of 4.00
- 2009 - 2014** BA in International Relations, Atilim University, Ankara, Turkey
Graduated with high honors ranking 3rd in the faculty
CGPA: 3.79 out of 4.00

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Human Rights, Humanitarian Intervention, Humanitarian Aid, Technology and Security Studies, Responsibility to Protect, Terrorism

PUBLICATIONS

Acikyildiz, C. (2022). Boko Haram in Nigeria: R2P and Non-State Armed Groups. In P.G. Ercan (Ed.). *The Responsibility to Protect Twenty Years On: Rhetoric and Implementation* (pp.81-106). Switzerland: Palgrave Macmillan. Available at <https://link.springer.com/book/10.1007/978-3-030-90731-0>

Açıkıldız, Ç. (2018). Failure to Protect in Syria: Will the UNSC Invoke R2P Ever Again? Global Political Trends Center. Available at https://www.jstor.org/stable/resrep14133#metadata_info_tab_contents

GRANTS

- 2021 – 2024** Grants for the recruitment of new research staff (FI)
Institution: Agency for Management of University and Research (AGAUR)
- 2012 – 2014** Full-time Academic Achievement Grant
Institution: Atilim University

CONFERENCE ACTIVITY

- 2022** Humanitarian Biometrics: Explaining Different Data Management Practices of International Humanitarian Organizations. Conference presentation at the VI International Conference of Development Studies (VI CIED) organized by the Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IBEI) and the Spanish Network of Development Studies (REEDES), Barcelona, Spain.
- 2021** Digitalization in Humanitarian Response: Biometric Practices of International Humanitarian Organizations. Conference presentation at the 6th International Humanitarian Studies Association (IHSA) conference hosted by Sciences Po, Paris, France.

CERTIFICATES

- 2021** Research Ethics and Personal Data Protection
Institution: Pompeu Fabra University
- 2021** Human Subject Research
Institution: Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI)
- 2020** Qualitative Research Methods: Conversational Interviewing
Institution: edX, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- 2020** Humanitarian Response to Conflict and Disaster
Institution: edX, Harvard University
- 2019** Introduction to Computational Social Science: Application of Machine Learning Approaches to Text and Survey Analytics
Institution: Pompeu Fabra University

AWARDS

- 2014** 50 Students Leaving a Mark
Institution: Atilim University
- 2014** Higher Achievement Certificate
Institution: Atilim University

LANGUAGES AND COMPUTER SKILLS

Turkish: Native
English: Fluent in speaking and advanced academic writing skills
Spanish: Intermediate
NVivo (Advanced)
SAP (Advanced)
Microsoft Office Applications (Advanced)

REFERENCES

References will be provided upon request.