

Curriculum Vitae

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Place and Date of Birth: Izmir, 06/12/1976

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Advanced Education:

1993-1994 : Champaign Centennial High School, U.S.A.

1987-1993 : Denizli Anadolu Lisesi (High School)

1982-1987 : Denizli Hürriyet İlkokulu (Primary School)

Diploma: June 1994.Cum.GPA: 4.10/5.00

Higher Education:

2002- 2006: PhD, Center for the Study of Political Change (Circap), Department of Political Science, Università Degli Studi di Siena.

Degrees awarded: PhD in Political Science, October 2006.

Thesis title: “Turkish Public Opinion and the European Union: Determinants of Turkish Public Support for European Union Membership”

research areas: Public opinion studies; EU enlargement and integration; Turkish membership; research methodologies and measurement.

10.09.2003: Master Scientifico Culturale in “Politica Comparata ed Europea” awarded by Center for the Study of Political Change (Circap), Department of Political Science, Università Degli Studi di Siena-Italy.

1999-2002 : Masters studies at Department of International Relations, Middle East Technical University, Ankara. /Course load completed in Fall 2000. Cum. GPA: 3.79/4.00

Degrees awarded: M.Sc. degree in International Relations

Thesis title: “Italian and Spanish Foreign Policy towards the Mediterranean: A Comparative Analysis”

1995-1999 : Department of Political Science and Public Administration, Middle East Technical University, Ankara.

Degrees awarded: B.Sc. degree in Political Science and Public Administration: June 1999, Cum. GPA: 3.42/4.00-Graduated with *honors*.

Languages: Turkish (native), English (Excellent), Italian (Fluent)
French (Intermediate), Spanish (presently learning)

Publications:

- Şenyuva, Ö. (1998), "Uygarlık Üzerine", *Agackakan*, vol. 2 Fall-Winter, pp. 28-42.
- Şenyuva, Ö. (2000), Report on the *Education and Youth Policies of Turkey and their compatibility to EU policies*, presented to the European Union Secretariat of Turkey, (unpublished), Ankara.
- Şenyuva, Ö., (2002), (Abstract), "The Mediterranean Security after September 11 Attacks: Changing Perceptions and Needs" paper presented at 32nd. Annual and 7th. UACES Research Conference, organized by University Association for Contemporary European Studies. Queen's University, Belfast, United Kingdom, 02-04 September 2002. Available at: www.uaces.org/D410201Abstracts.htm
- Şenyuva, Ö., (2004) "*The Unheard voice of Turkish Public Opinion*", paper presented at ECPR - Standing Group on the European Union: 2nd European Conference on EU Politics Implications of A Wider Europe: Politics, Institutions and Diversity 24-26 June 2004, Bologna, Italy. Available at: www.jhubc.it/ecpr-bologna/docs/93.pdf
- Şenyuva, Ö., "Gençlik STKları ve Sivil Toplum", National daily newspaper **Radikal**, 13 September 2004.
- Şenyuva, Ö. (2006), "Turkish Public Opinion and European Union Membership: *The state of The Art in Public Opinion Studies in Turkey.*", *Perceptions*, vol XI. Spring.

Book:

- Şenyuva, Ö.; Giebel, K.; Kloosterman, P., and Garcia-Lopez, M.A., (2007), *Educational Evaluation in Youth Work*, Strasbourg: Council of Europe publishing.

Academic Conferences, Meetings and Seminars:

- Participant, 2nd C.E.P. Balkan Students Debate Forum, Bucharest, Romania, May 1997.
- Participant, 6th International Course of University of People's Institutions for Peace in cooperation with University of Trento, under patronage of UNESCO, on "*People's Diplomacy, Non-violence and Reconstruction of Post War Societies*", Rovereto, Italy, September-October 1998.
- Member of the coordination team, *Antalya 2000* conference, organized by Middle East Technical University and British Council-Turkey, June-November 2000, Ankara Turkey
- Paper giver, "*Turkey and the European Union, a Mediterranean Perspective*" paper presented at the Conference: *4000 years in East Mediterranean*, Aegean University, Mediterranean Studies Faculty, 31 March-01 April 2001, Rhodes, Greece.
- Member of organization team, "*Enlarging The European Union: Past And Present Processes*" international conference organized by *Centre for European Studies-METU*, 06-08 June 2001, Ankara, Turkey
- Member of organization team, "*Workshop on Turkey and the Middle East*" organized by *International Institute for Strategic Studies (IISS)-London and Centre for European Studies-METU*, 26 November 2001, Ankara, Turkey
- Member of organization team, "*EU-NATO Co-operation and the Participation of Third Countries in the ESDP*" Venusberg Group Autumn Session, organized by *Bertelsmann Foundation-Germany* in cooperation with *International Institute for Strategic Studies (IISS)-London and Centre for European Studies-METU*, 27-28 November 2001, Ankara, Turkey

- Paper giver, “*The Mediterranean Security after September 11 Attacks: Changing Perceptions and Needs*” at 32nd Annual and 7th. UACES Research Conference, organized by *University Association for Contemporary European Studies*. Queen’s University, Belfast, United Kingdom, 02-04 September 2002.
- Paper giver, “*The US Public Opinion during the Kosovo Conflict: The body Bag Syndrome*”, at 2nd International Relations Conference organized by *International Relations Department of Middle East Technical University*, 23-25 June 2003, Ankara-Turkey.
- Facilitator, “*Next Generation Europeans: Diversity in Action*” international conference, organized by British Council Turkey and Centre for European Studies at METU, 18-21 February 2004, İzmir/Turkey
- Paper giver, “*The Unheard voice of Turkish Public Opinion*”, at ECPR - Standing Group on the European Union: 2nd European Conference on EU Politics Implications of A Wider Europe: Politics, Institutions and Diversity 24-26 June 2004, Bologna, Italy
- Paper giver, “*Determinants of public support for EU membership in Turkey*”, international conference organized by University of Trento, 6-8 June 2005, Trento-Italy.
- Participant, 3rd Italian-Turkish Forum “*150th Anniversary of the Italian-Turkish Relations: A common vision towards the EU*”, organized by Centre for Strategic Research (Stratejik Araştırmalar Merkezi-SAM); UniCredit Group and Limes, Roma, November 7-8, 2006

International Experiences (selected):

- Participant, E.U. Training Course on “*Effects of European Youth Programs in the World*”, Rome, Italy, October 1997.
- Project Coordinator, European Union YFE-Action D exchange programme on “*Let’s Build Our Common Future,*” Ankara, Turkey, September 1997.
- Project Coordinator, European Union YFE Action-D exchange programme on “*Our Cultural Differences are Our Richness*”, ODTU/Ankara, Turkey, August 1998
- Commentator, international forum session on *EU Youth Policies* in European Youth Festival, 11-17 December 1999, Ankara, Turkey.
- Participant & Reporter, Study visit to United Kingdom, *University of Warwick, University of Birmingham, London School of Economics and Politics* and *University Association of Contemporary European Studies*, February 2000.
- Resource Person, the *Mediterranean Youth Forum* meeting, May 2000, Malta
- Member of Core Group, representing Turkey, for the preparation of *European Youth Meeting* as a part of the *consultation process for drafting of White Paper on European Youth Policy*, 5-8 September 2000, Brussels Belgium
- Steering Committee member, preparatory meeting for *Euro-Med Civil Forum* as a part of the *IV. Ministers meeting of Euro-Mediterranean Partnership; Barcelona IV*, 15-19 September 2000, Marseille, France
- Member of Core group and Reporter, *European Youth Meeting* as a part of the *consultation process for drafting of White Paper on European Youth Policy*, 5-7 October 2000, Paris France
- Resource person and facilitator, *Euro-Med Civil Forum*, 7-13 November 2000, Marseille, France
- Speaker on the topic *Cooperation in the Mediterranean*, in the conference *Triangle Jove*, 17-19 November 2000, Barcelona Spain
- Speaker on the topic *Euro-Mediterranean Partnership, an assesment* in the Training Course on Euro-Mediterranean Cooperation, organized by North South Centre of the Council of Europe, 18-26 February 2001, Barcelona Spain.

- Participant representing Turkey in the coordination meeting of the “*Global Education Week*” organized by North South Centre of the Council of Europe, 16-18 June 2001, Strasbourg, France.
- Member of organization team, World Youth Festival, 15 July-03 August 2001, Panama City, Panama.
- Project Coordinator, Trainer, “*NGO Training Project*”, in cooperation with British Council, Connect Youth International-UK and organized by GSM-Youth Services Centre; Eskisehir, Bursa, Izmit, Istanbul, Gaziantep, Adana, Mersin’ September 2001-May 2002.
- Trainer and Resource person, “*Making Future Connections*” organized by British Council, April 2002, Izmir-Turkey.
- Education coordinator, training for youth workers “*Values of Peace*” organized by Anatolian Scout Movement under the frame of European Commission Euro-Med Youth Program August 2002, Ankara, Turkey.
- Trainer, “*Advanced Training for NGO representatives*”, in cooperation with British Council, Connect Youth International-UK and organized by GSM-Youth Services Centre; April 2003, Ankara, Turkey.
- Trainer, “*Advanced Training for NGO representatives-II*”, in cooperation with British Council, Connect Youth International-UK and organized by GSM-Youth Services Centre; June 2003, Ankara, Turkey.
- Participant, “*Youth for Development and Peace*”, consultation meeting of the World Bank initiative on youth, 15-17 September 2003, Paris-France.
- Facilitator and trainer, “*Working for youth development today*”, workshop organized by YDC-Youth for Development and Cooperation, as part of the 4th University on Youth and Development, in partnership with North South Centre of CoE, CJE-Spanish Youth Council, European Youth Forum and FLAJ-Foro Latino Americano de Juventud. 16-26 September 2003, Mollina-Spain.
- Interpreter (Italian-Turkish), “*Study visit in Italy*” organized by government of Emigla Romagna part of the Marmara Earthquake Rehabilitation Project by the European Commission, 6-13 October 2003, Rome/ Grossetto/ Parma/ Ferrara/ Bologna- Italy
- Trainer on *intercultural communication*, Council of Europe Youth Foundation seminar, “*European Enlargement and South East Europe*”, 20-27 September 2004, Kustendil, Bulgaria
- Trainer, “*Promotion of International Youth Exchanges In West Midlands Region*”, organized by the Youth programme regional committee, 7-11 October, Stafford and 14-24 November Worcester- England
- Trainer, “*Cross border cooperation and development*”, workshop organized by YDC-Youth for Development and Cooperation and YEN- Youth Express Network, as part of the 5th University on Youth and Development, in partnership with North South Centre of CoE, CJE-Spanish Youth Council, European Youth Forum and FLAJ-Foro LatinoAmericano de Juventud. 11-15 October 2004, Mollina-Spain.
- Trainer, “*Evaluation Toolbox*” Council of Europe project organized by Youth Express Network, November 2004, Avanos Turkey.
- Trainer, “*Youth Steps in Mediterranean*” international seminar organized by EKAD and British Council Turkey, 2-4 December 2004, Ankara Turkey
- Trainer, “*Long Term Training Course for Multicultural Projects Within the Frame of South Eastern Europe and European Integration*” 05-13 December 2004, Avanos Turkey.
- Trainer, “*Training for facilitators of youth projects*”, European Commission Youth program Action 5, 26 January – 8 February 2005, Ankara – Turkey.
- Trainer, “*on arrival training for EVS volunteers*”, organized by National Agency of Turkey, 12-17 February 2005, Bursa – Turkey

- Trainer, “*Contact making seminar*”, organized by Youth and Development Association-Turkey, European Commission Youth Program Action 5, 10-15 March 2005, Avanos-Turkey.
- Trainer, European Youth Forum Pool of Trainers Sub group meeting, 24-25 April 2005, Brussels-Belgium.
- Trainer, “*on arrival training for EVS volunteers*”, organized by National Agency of Turkey, 27 June 1 July 2005, Izmir – Turkey
- Trainer, “*pre departure training for EVS volunteers*”, organized by National Agency of Turkey, 29 August 1 September 2005, Izmir – Turkey
- International Assessor, Technical assistance to the CFCU for the management of a grant scheme Framework contract AMS/451 – LOT 8 Request for service n° POPOV 58 PHARE-BG-PAO (EU funded), Beneficiary: CFCU Ministry of Finance, Bulgaria.; 27 September-7 October 2005, Sofia-Bulgaria.
- Trainer & co-ordinator workshop on “*Exclusion in Europe: Anti-Semitism, Islam phobia and Gender issues*” as part of 6th Summer University on Youth and Development, University on Youth and Development, in partnership with North South Centre of CoE, Youth Express Network, CJE-Spanish Youth Council, European Youth Forum and FLAJ-Foro Latino Americano de Juventud 13-19 October 2005, Mollina-Spain.
- Participant, Symposium “*All Different- All Equal Campaign*” by Council of Europe, 28-30 October, Strasbourg-France
- Trainer, “*on arrival training for EVS volunteers*”, organized by National Agency of Turkey, 7-11 November 2005, Ankara– Turkey
- Trainer & Facilitator “*European Youth Week*” organized by European Commission, 1-8 December 2005, Brussels-Belgium
- Educational Coordinator “*Training of Youth workers in Turkey*”, organized by the Youth Social Development Program in Turkey, 27 March-1 April 2006, Ankara-Turkey
- Trainer, “*on arrival training for EVS volunteers*”, organized by National Agency of Turkey, 24-29 April 2006, Antalya– Turkey
- Facilitator, “*Contact Making Seminar on EVS*”, organized by the National Agency of Turkey, 03-08 July 2006, Trabzon-Turkey.
- Expert, “*Organization Management – Basic Training Course*”, organized by the Youth Social Development Program, 10-16 August 2006, Ankara-Turkey.

Presentations:

- Presentations on *Euro-Mediterranean Partnership and its Social Dimension*, as a part of the training program of the Representation of the European Commission to Turkey, February-May 1999, Antalya, Ankara and Bursa Turkey.
- Presentation on *The Youth Policies of the European Union*, Summer School of the Agenda 21-Youth For Habitat International Network, September 1999, Foca Turkey,
- Presentation on *Euro-Mediterranean Partnership*, training Program of the AEGEE, December 2000, Ankara Turkey

Work Experience – Positions held:

- Vice President of Youth Express Network, October 2003 – present.
- Member of the *European Youth Forum Trainers Pool*, February 2005- November 2006.
- Member of the European Union Affairs Commission of the European Youth Forum, May 2003-May 2005.

- Research Assistant, *Centre for European Studies*, in the Middle East Technical University, December 1999-September 2002.
- *European Union and Mediterranean Affairs* coordinator for GSM-Youth Services Centre, Ankara / May 1997-December 1999

Scholarships and Grants Awarded:

- Long Term exchange student grant, Rotary International 1993-1994
- Visiting academic grant, The British Council-Ankara, September 2002
- Scholarship for the degree of PhD abroad, The Higher Board of Education, Turkey, 2002-2005.