

## Europass Curriculum Vitae



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**Gender** Female

**Desired employment / Occupational field** Research and Teaching Assistant

### Education and training

**Dates** September 2011-August 2017  
**Title of qualification awarded** Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in English Language Teaching at Middle East Technical University (METU)  
**Principal subjects/occupational skills covered** Fields of study  
-Curriculum/Program Development and Evaluation, Research Methods in Applied Linguistics, Testing,  
Material Development and Evaluation, Applied Linguistics, Sociolinguistics, Linguistics for ELT,  
Approaches to Teacher Education  
**Occupational**  
-major theoretical and methodological issues in English Language Teaching (ELT)  
-foundation in the theoretical and applied aspects of ELT  
-current issues in teaching and learning languages and professional development of language teachers  
**Dates** September 2006-May 2009  
**Title of qualification awarded** Master's Degree (MA) in English Language Teaching from Hacettepe University

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Fields of study -Approaches and Methods in ELT, Classroom Management, Psychology for Language Learning, Sociolinguistics, Research Methods Occupational -current teaching approaches and methods in the field of ELT -major issues in classroom management -psychology and its relationship to language learning and teaching -the issues of multiculturalism, gender roles, bilingualism and their relationship to language use -using quantitative, qualitative and mixed methods in conducting research in the field of ELT
Dates	September 2002-May 2006
Title of qualification awarded	Bachelor's Degree (BA) in English Language Teaching from Cukurova University
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Fields of study -Introduction to Teacher Education, Linguistics, Language Acquisition, English Language Skills, Language Learning Strategies, Approaches and Methods in ELT, Teaching English to Young Learners, Teaching Practice, Classroom Management, Research Methods, Testing, Material Development and Evaluation, Coursebook Evaluation Occupational -major approaches, methods and techniques in ELT - coursebook evaluation and modification principles and techniques -major issues in developing materials for ELT students -teaching practice with Turkish secondary and high school English learners
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Middle East Technical University (METU) Ankara/TURKEY ODTU Egitim Fakultesi Yabancı Diller Egitimi 06531
Level in national or international classification	14
<b>Work experience</b>	
Dates	March 2018-
Occupation or position held	Lecturer
Main activities and responsibilities	Teaching English as a Second Language at the University English Preparatory Program
Name and address of employer	Osmaniye Korkut Ata Üniversitesi Yabancı Diller Yüksekokulu Karacaoğlan Yerleşkesi B- Blok 80000 Merkez/OSMANİYE TURKEY
Dates	August 2015-May 2016
Occupation or position held	Fulbright Foreign Language Teaching Assistantship (FLTA)
Main activities and responsibilities	Teaching and assisting with Turkish language classes ranging from elementary to advanced level, grading home works, providing tutoring for individual and small groups of students.
Name and address of employer	University of Arizona Middle Eastern and North African Studies 845 N Park Ave Marshall Bldg Tucson, Arizona 85721 Website: <a href="https://menas.arizona.edu">https://menas.arizona.edu</a>
Type of business or sector	University
Dates	December 2008-July 2015
Occupation or position held	Research Assistant

<b>Main activities and responsibilities</b>	Invigilating the mid-term and final sit-down exams, assisting professors in teaching courses, preparing course materials, evaluating exam results in collaboration with the professors, substituting the classes of professors when they are away for an academic and administrative work, serving the faculty for introducing itself to the potential prospective students, working as a consultant of student affairs and Erasmus/Comenius program, organizing national and international student /postgraduate conferences																																								
<b>Name and address of employer</b>	ODTU Egitim Fakultesi Yabancı Diller Egitimi 06531 Cankaya ANKARA/TURKEY Website: <a href="http://fle.metu.edu.tr/">http://fle.metu.edu.tr/</a>																																								
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<b>Occupation or position held</b>	Erasmus Placement Mobility																																								
<b>Main activities and responsibilities</b>	I attended school meetings and helped co-ordinating a series of initiatives in the summer program for international students. I made an important contribution in organizing the Annual Conference of the Japanese Language Association/Institute of International Education in London. I have been involved in the organization of an international seminar on the role of grammar instruction on second language acquisition. I also worked very closely with Professor Alessandro Benati to develop a research project on the effects of Processing Instruction on the acquisition of Turkish and/or English language.																																								
<b>Name and address of employer</b>	University of Greenwich School of Humanities and Social Sciences Greenwich Campus Greenwich																																								
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<b>Social skills and competences</b>	-good communication skills with international students in the department gained through my experience as a consultant of Erasmus program																																								
<b>Organisational skills and competences</b>	-organizational ability and team spirit gained through my experience as a member of conference organization committee in the department																																								
<b>Technical skills and competences</b>	-command of statistical computer programs (such as PASW, Exmeralda, CLAN)																																								
<b>Computer skills and competences</b>	-good command of Microsoft Office Tools (Word, Excel and PowerPoint)																																								
<b>Artistic skills and competences</b>	-latin dances (rhumba, cha-cha, salsa, bachata) acquired through training -belly dance on amateur level -playing the flute and guitar acquired through training during secondary school education																																								

Other skills and competences	-cooking Turkish cuisine
Driving licence	Category B