

# Baris Depecik

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## Education

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- **Rotterdam School of Management, Erasmus University** October 2016  
PhD in Marketing (Quantitative) Rotterdam, the Netherlands
- **Sabancı University** June 2007  
MA In Economics Istanbul, Turkey
- **Bilkent University** June 2004  
BSc in Electrical and Electronics Engineering Ankara, Turkey

## Academic Work Experience

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- **Sabancı University** 2019-Present  
Assistant Professor of Marketing Istanbul, Turkey
- **Rice University, Jones Graduate School of Business** 2017-2018  
Visiting Assistant Professor of Marketing Houston, USA
- **Bilkent University** 2016-2019  
Assistant Professor of Marketing Ankara, Turkey

## Research

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### Interests

- Substantive: Brand Management, Advertising, Channel Management, Artificial Intelligence, Sports Marketing.
- Methodological: Bayesian Econometrics, Marketing Mix Models (e.g., the main own- and cross-brand effects of marketing mix elements, interaction effects between marketing mix instruments, marketing effects on (cross) category demand, short-run vs. long-run marketing effectiveness, dynamic response models, difference-in-difference models), Text and Image Analysis, Experimental Research.
- Industries: Arts, Media, Entertainment, Sports.

### Publications

- Depecik, B., Everdingen, Y. M. van, & Bruggen, G. H. van (2014). "Firm Value Effects of Global, Regional, and Local Brand Divestments in Core and Non-Core Businesses." *Global Strategy Journal*, 4(2), 143-160.
- Everdingen, Y.M. van, Depecik, B. & Bruggen, G.H. van (2015). "Het effect van mersaneringen op de waarde van ondernemingen." *Ontwikkelingen in het Marktonderzoek / Jaarboek MOA*. (in Dutch)

## Invited Talks, Seminars & Conference Presentations

- **Winning with Packaging: Does Repackaging Elevate Sales?**  
Koc-Ozyegin-Sabanci Research Camp (2021).
- **Who Benefits from Brand Exits?**  
McMaster University (2018), University of Auckland (2017), Sabanci University Business Analytics Workshop (2017), Koc University (2017), Ozyegin University (2017), Marketing Science Conference - Los Angeles (2017).
- **The Effect of Sponsorship on Sales**  
Koc University (2019), AMA Summer Conference -Boston (2018), Bilkent University (2017), Sports Marketing Conference-Salzburg (2016).
- **Managing Brand Deletions**  
London Business School, Transatlantic Doctoral Conference (2014).

## Awards & Honors

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- €10,000 research grant as the winner of TFI Research Grant 2019. For the proposal titled "The Effect of Access Opportunities on Spending versus Saving".
- \$10,000 research grant from Sabanci University.
- Full scholarship for the full duration of graduate & undergraduate studies.
- Ranked 13<sup>th</sup> among undergraduate students from all academic fields in Turkey (approximately 500k candidates) in Nationwide University Entrance Exam for graduate studies.
- Ranked 31<sup>st</sup> among high school students in Turkey (approximately 1.5 million candidates) in Nationwide University Entrance Exam for undergraduate studies.

## Teaching

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- **Marketing Research**
  - Undergraduate, Sabanci University, 2019.
- **Go-To-Market Strategy / Channel Management**
  - MBA, Sabanci University, 2020.
  - MBA, Rice University, 2018.
  - Undergraduate, Bilkent University, 2017-2018.
- **Marketing Communications**
  - Executive MBA, Sabanci University, 2019-2021.
  - Professional MBA, Rice University, 2018.
  - Undergraduate, Bilkent University, 2016-2018.
- **Marketing Principles**
  - Undergraduate, Rice University, 2018.
- **Global Marketing**
  - Undergraduate, Bilkent University, 2016-2017.

Mean evaluation scores range from 1.17 to 1.83 on a 7-point scale (1: outstanding, 2: very good, 7: very poor).

## Industry Experience

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- **Data Scientist and Quantitative Analyst** 2007-2008  
Equity Research, BNP Paribas-TEB Investment Istanbul, Turkey
- **Software Engineer - Data Management** 2005-2006  
Hewlett & Packard Company Istanbul, Turkey

## Other

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- Computer Skills: Julia, Python, Java, Matlab.
- Languages: Turkish (native), English (fluent).
- Interests: Cooking, Landscape Photography, American Football.

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