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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Economics, Sabanci University, Istanbul Jun 2016

Visiting Ph.D. Fellow, University of Warwick, Coventry Sep 2013 - Mar 2014

M.A., Bank, Money and Markets, Université Paris X – Nanterre, Paris Sep 2007

B.A., Economics, Galatasaray University, Istanbul Jun 2005

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Post – Doc Research Fellow, Sabanci University, Istanbul Dec 2016 – present

Consultant, TUSIAD – Sabanci University Competitiveness Forum , Istanbul Sep 2016 – Nov 2016

Teaching and Research Assistant, Sabanci University, Istanbul Sep 2009 – Jun 2016

Teaching

2-weeks Microeconomics Refresher Class for incoming Public Policy MA students Fall 2012, Fall 2015

Macroeconomics (graduate) Spring 2011, Spring 2012, Fall 2012, Spring 2013

Quantitative Methods (graduate) Fall 2010

Econometrics (undergraduate) Fall 2011

Microeconomics (undergraduate) Summer 2011

Macroeconomics (undergraduate) Fall 2009, Spring 2010, Summer 2010

Research

in TUSIAD – Sabanci University Competitiveness Forum

in project “Determinants of Wage and Earnings Inequality in the US”

in project “Intergenerational Education and Occupation Mobility in Turkey”

in project “The Effects of Foreign Currency Borrowing and Real Exchange Rates on Macroeconomic Fluctuations in Developing Countries”

Research Associate, Economic Policy Research Foundation of Turkey (TEPAV), Ankara Nov 2007 – Sep 2009

Intern, European Investment Bank, Luxembourg May 2007 – Sep 2007

Associate in Audit, PricewaterhouseCoopers, Istanbul Sep 2005 – Aug 2006

RESEARCH AREA

Macroeconomics, Urban Economics

PUBLICATIONS

Real Exchange Rate Volatility and Business Cycles in Emerging Market Economies (with *Inci Gumus*), *Economics Letters*, 134, (2015), 127-129.

WORK-IN-PROGRESS

Effects of Financial Development on Residual Wage Inequality in the US

Labor Mobility and Welfare Implications of Turkey’s Accession to EU

PRESENTATIONS

Macro-workshop in University of Warwick Economics Department

January 2014

FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS AND AWARDS

Full scholarship for PhD Program, Sabancı University

International Research Fellow Grant, TUBITAK (The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey)

Research Assistantship Grant, TUBITAK (The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey)

Graduated ranked 1st in M.A. program in Université Paris X – Nanterre

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Stata, Matlab, Dynare

LANGUAGES

Turkish (native), English, French