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**Curriculum Vitae**

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Associate Professor of Political Science

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**EDUCATION**

**City University of New York, New York, USA**

9/2000–5/2007

PhD, Department of Political Science

Dissertation Title: State Capacity, State Failure and Internal War-Making in Russia and Turkey

Dissertation Advisor: Susan L. Woodward

Dissertation Committee: Charles Tilly, Stathis Kalyvas, Peter Liberman, Leonard Markovitz

**Columbia University, New York, USA**

1/1999–1/2000

MIA, International Affairs

**Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey**

9/1995–8/1998

MA, Sociology

**Ankara University, Faculty of Social Sciences, Ankara, Turkey**

9/1991–6/1995

BA, International Relations

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Özyeğin University 2018

Associate Professor

Fulbright Visiting Scholar 2017-2018

New York, Program in International Relations

Visiting Fellow Summer 2017

Russia in Global Dialogue Program

Institute for Human Sciences, Vienna, Austria

Associate Professor 2007–2017

Department of Political Science and International Relations,

Yildiz Technical University

Adjunct Professor 2013-2017

Master of International Relations Program,

Boğaziçi University

Research Assistant 2000

United Nations Economic Commission for Europe

(Commissioned to write an assessment of the statistical measurement of human rights)

Research Associate 1997–1998

Turkish Progressive Worker’s Union Confederation

Hotel and Restaurant Workers’ Union

(Commissioned to write a history of the union)

Research Associate 1995–1996

Turkish Medical Association

(Responsibility for the association’s human rights program)

**FIELDS OF INTEREST**

**Research Areas:**

Turkish Politics, Russia in the Middle East, Transnationalism, Citizenship Studies, Territorial Politics, Internal Conflict, Security Studies

**Courses:**

Social Science Methods (MA, PhD)

Fundamentals of International Politics (MA)

War and Conflict in International Relations (BA, MA)

Russian Politics and Society (MA, Ph.D.)

Comparative Politics (BA, MA)

Comparative Government (BA)

Political Sociology (BA)

Issues in Contemporary Turkish Politics (BA)

Russian Politics (BA)

**FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS**

Distinguished Alumna Award of the Political Science Program

at the Graduate Center, CUNY 2018

Fulbright Scholarship Award 2017-2018

Institute for Human Sciences (Vienna), Russia in Global Dialogue Fellowship 2017

Bella Zeller Scholarship Trust Fund, Scholarship 2003–2004

American Association for University Women, International Fellowship 2003–2004

The Graduate Center, Graduate Assistantship Award and University 2002–2004

Fellowship, CUNY

Scholarship for Graduate Education in the USA, Republic of Turkey 1999–2005

**PUBLICATIONS**

**BOOKS**

2018 *The American Passport in Turkey: Citizenship and Belonging in the Age of Global Empire* (with O. Altan Olcay) (submitted to **UPenn Press** in May 2018).

2018 *Tedirginlik Çağı: Şiddet, Siyaset ve Aidiyet Üzerine Denemeler/ Age of Discontent: Essays on Violence, Politics and Belonging* (under preparation, solicited by Doğan Press, İstanbul)

2012 *Küresel Güvenlik Kompleksi*/ *The Global Security Complex.* İstanbul: İletişim.

**EDITED VOLUMES**

2017 *Kuşku ile Komşuluk: Tarihsel Perspektiften Türkiye ve Rusya İlişkileri/ Suspicious Neighbors: Turkey-Russia Relations from a Historical Perspective*, edited by Gencer Ozcan, Evren Balta and Burç Besgül, İstanbul: İletişim.

2014 *Küresel Siyasete Giriş: Kavramlar, Teoriler, Süreçler*/ *Introduction to Global Politics: Concepts, Theories and Processes*, edited by Evren Balta. İstanbul: İletişim.

2010 *Türkiye’de Devlet, Ordu ve Güvenlik Siyaseti/ The State, the Military and Security Politics in Turkey*, edited by Evren Balta Paker and İsmet Akça. İstanbul: İstanbul Bilgi University Press.

1995 *Tıbbi Etik, Doktorlar ve İnsan Hakları/ Medical Ethics, Physicians and Human Rights in Wartime* (with A. Soyer).Ankara: Turkish Medical Association Publications.

**JOURNAL ARTICLES (peer reviewed)**

2018 When Elites Polarize over Polarization (with Senem Aydın Düzgit) *New Perspectives On Turkey* (accepted for publication)

2018 Russia and Turkey: Relations after the Cold War, *Uluslararası İlişkiler Dergisi,* *International Relations Journal (accepted for publication, Spring 2018).*

2018 Constituting the New Turkey: Politics and Emotions after the July 15th Coup Attempt (with Ayşe Betül Çelik) *Mediterranean* P*olitics and Society* DOI: 10.1080/13629395.2018.1507338

2017 Born in the USA: Citizenship Acquisition and Transnational Mothering in Turkey (with O. Altan Olcay). *Gender, Place and Culture* 24(8): 1-20*.*

2016 Tarih, Kimlik ve Dış Politika: Rusya Federasyonu Tarih Ders Kitaplarında Osmanlı-Türk İmajı/ History, Identity and Foreign Policy: The Ottoman-Turkish Image in Russian Federation History Textbooks (with S. Demir). *BILIG* 76(1).

2016 Strategic Citizens of America: Transnational Inequalities and Transformation of Citizenship (with O.Altan-Olcay,) *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, *39*(6), 939-957.

2016 Class and Passports: Transnational Strategies of Distinction in Turkey (with Ö. Altan Olcay). *Sociology*, *50*(6), 1106. (SSCI)

2013 Askerler, Köylüler ve Paramiliter Güçler: Türkiye’de Köy Koruculugu Sistemi/ Soldiers, Peasants and Paramilitaries: Understanding the Village Guard System in Turkey (with İ. Akça). *Toplum ve Bilim,* 126: 7–35.

2011 Uluslararası Fikri, Epistemolojik Yanılgı ve Eleştirel Gerçekçiligin İmkanları/ The Concept of International the Epistemic Fallacy and Possibilities for Critical Realism(with B. Ülman and M. Agcan). *Uluslararası İlişkiler,* 8(30): 15–41.

2009 Güvenlik Endüstrisi ve Güven (sizliğin) İnşası: Bir Toplumsal Paranoyayı Anlamak/ The Security Industry and the Construction of Insecurity: Understanding Social Paranoia*. Toplum ve Bilim,* 115: 204–226.

2009 Küresel Güvenlik Siyaseti ve İnsan Hakları/ Global Security Politics and Human Rights. *Idea: İnsan Bilimleri Dergisi,* 1(1): 175–197.

2002 Measuring Human Rights and Human Development: The Challenges for Information Society. *Statistical Journal of the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe,* 19(6): 277–294.

2002 Savaş Dönemlerinde Doktorların Sorumlulukları/ The Responsibilities of Physicians in Wartime (with A. Soyer). *Toplum ve Hekim,* 10(4): 15–22.

2001 Marksizm ve Yapıbozumun Diyalogu/ The Dialogue of Marxism and Deconstruction. *Praksis,* 4: 360–383.

1999 Gender Differences in Psychological Distress, Coping, Social Support and Related Variables Following the 1995 Dinar (Turkey) Earthquake (with A.N. Karanci, N. Alkan, B. Aksit and H. Sucuoglu). *North American Journal of Psychology,* 1(2):189–204. (SSCI)

***Work in progress (journal articles)***

* Citizenship for Investment and the Transformation of Political Belonging (with O. Altan Olcay) for *Politics and Society*. (in preparation)
* Comparing Populist and Nationalist Paths to Authoritarianism: Cases of Russia and Turkey (with Yunus Sözen) for *Comparative Politics* (in preparation)

**Articles in Other Journals**

2017 Satılık Pasaportlar: Neoliberal Çağda Vatandaşlık Pratikleri/ Passports on Sale: Citinzenship Practices of Neoliberal Era, (with O. Altan Olcay) *Birikim Dergisi,* no: 338

2017 İstanbul’da AKP Seçmenleri/ AKP Voters of Istanbul, (with A. B. Çelik and M. Paker) *Birikim Dergisi* no: 337

2016 Geçmişten Günümüze Darbeler/ Coup d’Etats from Past to Present: A Historical Perspective. *Toplumsal Tarih*, no: 273, September, 2016: 51-56.

2016 Güvencesizlik, Mültecilik, *Saha Dergisi* no: 2 January 2016: 3-6

2012 AKP’s Approach to the Kurdish Problem: One Step Forward, One Step Backward, *Perspectives,* 3(23): 12–16.

2012 Güvenliğin Özel Tedariki Üzerine/ The Privatisation of Security. *Birikim Dergisi,* 274: 72–80.

2008 Sovyet Sonrası Rusya’da Zenginlik ve Para/ Wealth and Money in Post-Soviet Russia. *Birikim,* 232/233: 101–107.

2006 Rusya’nin Gazı, Ukrayna’nın Boru Hattı ya da Avrupa’nin Isınma Sorunun Perde Arkası/ Russia’s Gas and Ukraine’s Pipelines or Behind the Curtain of Europe’s Heating Problem. *Birikim,* 202: 80–91.

2005 Bitmeyen Çocukluk, Erken Yetişkinlik ve Yeni Kapitalizm/Eternal Childhood, Early Adulthood and the New Capitalism. *Birikim,* 192: 20–28.

2005 Ordunun Emperyalizmi, Emperyalizmin Ordusu: ABD’de Militarizmin Yüzleri/ Military Imperialism and the Military of the Empire: The Faces of US Militarism (with İ. Akça). *Birikim,* 189: 58–76.

2004 Çöküsten Kaosa: Rusya, ABD ve Kafkasya Üçgeni/ From Collapse to Chaos: Russia, USA and the Caucasus Triangle. *Birikim,* 186: 7–17.

2004 Bildiğimiz Anlamda Devletin Sonu Mu: İmparatorluk ve Özel Ordular/ Empire and Private Armies. *Birikim,* 178: 11–19.

2003 Afrika’da Çatışmaların Karşılaştırmalı bir Analizi/ A Comparative Analysis of African Civil Wars. *Birikim,* 175/176: 15–25.

**BOOK CHAPTERS**

2018 “Borders Made of Glass: Domestic Threat Perceptions and Alliance Patterns in Russian-Turkish Relations” to be published in *Russia and Turkey (tentative title)*, edited by Fyodor Lukyanov and Soli Özel (chapter submitted)

2018 “Paramilitarism and the Village Guards”, to be published in *Routledge Handbook of Turkish Politics,* edited by Matthew Whiting and Alpaslan Özerdem, (final version approved by the editors)

2018 “Açe’de Çatışmadan Barışa Giden Yol/ The Road from Conflict to Peace in Aceh”, in *Barış Süreçlerini Anlamakve Canlandırmak/ Understanding and Reviving Peace Processes* edited by Ayşe Betül Çelik İstanbul: Bilgi Üniversitesi Publications

2018 “Siyasal Şiddetin Örgütlenmesi/ Organisation of Political Violence”, in *Şiddet Sosyolojisi/ Sociology of Violence: A Reader*, edited by Fuat Güllüpınar, Açık Öğretim Yayınları

2017 “Giriş: Introduction” (with Gencer Özcan and Burç Beşgül) in *Kuşku ile Komşuluk: Tarihsel Perspektiften Türkiye ve Rusya İlişkileri/ Suspicious Neighbors: Turkey-Russia Relations from a Historical Perspective*, edited by Gencer Ozcan, Evren Balta and Burç Besgül, İstanbul: İletişim.

2017 “Rusya ve Türkiye’nin Ortak Tarihi/ Common Trajectory of Russia and Turkey” (with Süreyya Demir) in *Kuşku ile Komşuluk: Tarihsel Perspektiften Türkiye ve Rusya İlişkileri/ Suspicious Neighbors: Turkey-Russia Relations from a Historical Perspective*, edited by Gencer Ozcan, Evren Balta and Burç Besgül, İstanbul: İletişim.

2017 Geçmişten Günümüze Darbeler/ Coup d’Etats from Past to the Present: A Historical Perspective in *Osmanlı’dan Günümüze Darbeler/ Coup d’Etats from the Ottoman Period to the Present,* edited by Mehmet. Ö. Alkan, İstanbul: Tarih Vakfı Publications.

2016 Ölü Bedenlerin Siyasal Yaşamları/ Political Lives of Dead Bodies, in *Öteki Olarak Ölmek/ Dying as the Other*, edited by Evrim C. İflazoğlu and Aslı Demir . Ankara: Dipnot Publications

2015 Barışa Giden Yol/ The Process Towards Peace (with A.B. Çelik, L. Korkut, M. Çelikkan, and N. Mutluer), in *Barış Açısını Savunmak: Çözüm Sürecinde Ne Oldu/ Defending the Peace Perspective: What Happened during the Peace Process?*, edited by Necmiye Alpay and Hakan Tahmaz, 27–41. İstanbul: Metis.

2015 Barış Süreci: Müzakereler ve Hukuk/ Peace Process: Negotiations and Law (with A.B. Çelik, L. Korkut, M. Çelikkan, and N. Mutluer), in *Barış Açısını Savunmak: Çözüm Sürecinde Ne Oldu/ Defending the Peace Perspective: What Happened duing the Peace Process?*, edited by Necmiye Alpay and Hakan Tahmaz, İstanbul: Metis.

2015 Barış Sürecinde İnsani Güvenlik/ Human Security in Peace Processes, in *Barış Açısını Savunmak: Çözüm Sürecinde Ne Oldu/ Defending the Peace Perspective: What Happened during the Peace Process?*, edited by Necmiye Alpay and Hakan Tahmaz, İstanbul: Metis.

2014 Siyasal Şiddetin Örgütlenmesi/ The Organisation of Political Violence, in *Siyaset, Kavramlar, Kurumlar, Süreçler*/ *Politics: Concepts, Institutions and Processes*, edited by Yüksel Taşkın, 173-201. İstanbul: İletisim.

2014 Uluslararası Savaş/ International War, in *Küresel Siyasete Giriş: Kavramlar, Teoriler, Süreçler*/ *Introduction to Global Politics: Concepts, Theories and Processes*, edited by Evren Balta, 257-279. İstanbul: İletişim.

2014 Market Embedded Transnationalism of Turkish Elites (with Ö. Altan Olcay), in *Contemporary Turkey at a Glance*, edited byKristina Kamp, Ayhan Kaya, Fuat Keyman, and Ozge Onursal, 139–155. Springer.

2012 Beyond Military Tutelage: Analyzing Civil-Military Relations under the Justice and Development Party (with I. Akça), in *Rethinking Security*, edited by Ebru Canan Sokulu, 77–93. New York: Lexington Books.

2010 Türkiye’de Doksanlı Yıllarda Ulusal Güvenliğin Yeniden İnşası/ The Reconstruction of Security in Turkey in the 1990s, in *Türkiye’de Devlet, Ordu ve Güvenlik Siyaseti/The Military and Security Politics in Turkey*, edited by Evren Balta Paker and İsmet Akça, 407-431. İstanbul: İstanbul Bilgi University.

2010 Ordu ve Güvenlik Siyasetine Dair Bir Değerlendirme/ An Introduction to the Debate Concerning the Military and Security Politics (with İ. Akça), in *Türkiye’de Devlet, Ordu ve Güvenlik Siyaseti/ The Military and Security Politics in Turkey*, edited by Evren Balta Paker and İsmet Akça, 1-32. İstanbul: İstanbul Bilgi University.

**Work in progress: Book Chapters**

* Russia and Turkey: Relations after the Cold War, *in Turkey and Its Neighbors* edited by Mustafa Aydın and Ayça Ergun, to be published by Routledge (final version approved by the editors)

**REPORTS AND ARTICLES IN COLLECTED PAPERS**

2017 *Turkey after the July 15th Coup Attempt: When Elites Polarize over Polarization* (with S. Aydın Düzgit), İstanbul Policy Center Publications <http://ipc.sabanciuniv.edu/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/Turkey-after-the-July-15-Coup-Attempt_Senem-Aydin-Duzgit_Evren-Balta.pdf>

2017 Yeni Türkiye’nin Yurttaşları: 15 Temmuz Darbe Girişimi Sonrası Siyasal Tutumlar, Değerler ve Duygular/ Citizens of the New Turkey: Political Attitudes, Values and Emotions after the July 15th Coup Attempt, (with Ayşe Betül Çelik, Murat Paker), KONDAReport <http://konda.com.tr/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/KONDA_Yeni_Turkiyenin_Yurttaslari_Mayis2017.pdf>

2016 T*ürkiye-Rusya İlişkilerine Tarih ile Bakmak / Looking at Turkey-Russia Relations through a Historical Lens* (with Behlül Özkan)*,* TUSIAD (Turkish Business Associaton) Foreign Policy Forum Report, November.

2016 15 Temmuz Darbe Girişimi Sonrası Türkiye Toplum ve Siyaseti/ Turkish Politics and Society after the July 15th Failed Coup (with Ayşe Betül Çelik, Murat Paker), August KONDA Barometre

2016 The Pendulum of Democracy: Turkey’s Kurdish Conflict, *The AKP and Turkish Foreign Policy in the Middle East,* *Collected Papers* Vol. 3, LSE Middle East Center Publications. <http://www.lse.ac.uk/middleEastCentre/publications/Collected-Papers/Turkishforeignpolicy.aspx>

2015 The Syrian War and Turkey’s Kurdish Conflict, *Mapping GCC Foreign Policy: Resources, Recipients and Regional Effects, Collected Papers* Vol. 3, LSE Middle East Center Publications. <http://www.lse.ac.uk/middleEastCentre/publications/Collected-Papers/MappingGCCFP.aspx>

2015 Geçici Köy Koruculuğu ve Çözüm Süreci/ Temporary Village Guards and the Solution Process (with Yasemin Acar and Murat Yüksel). İstanbul Policy Center and Open Society Foundation. <http://www.surecanaliz.org/sites/default/files/tmp/dergi/gkk_sistemi_ve_cozum_sureci_nihai_rapor.pdf>

**Selected Online Scholarly Comments**

## 2018 [Türkiye’nin Demokrasi Grafiği](http://www.birikimdergisi.com/haftalik/8881/turkiye-nin-demokrasi-grafigi#.W4ju-WQzbx4) / Democracy Index of Turkey *Birikim Online*

## 2017 [Fırtınalı Diplomasi: Türkiye-Rusya İlişkileri](http://www.tuses.org.tr/userfiles/files/Turkiye%20ve%20Rusya%20Evren%20Balta%20pdf.pdf) / Stormy Diplomacy: Turkish- Russian Relations TÜSES

## 2015 [How the Turkish Elections Changed the Foreign Policy of Turkey](https://www.opendemocracy.net/evren-balta/how-turkish-elections-changed-foreign-policy-of-turkey). *Open Democracy*.

2015 [Researching the Unresearchable: State Politics and Research Ethics](http://blogs.lse.ac.uk/mec/2015/08/26/researching-the-un-researchable-state-politics-and-research-ethics/). *LSE Middle East Center Blog.*

2015 [Güvenlik Devletinde Güvenliksiz Yaşamlar](http://www.feministyaklasimlar.org/ozet/?postid=2413)/ Insecure Lives in Security States (Interview). *Feminist Yaklaşımlar*.

2015 [Rusya-Türkiye Çatışmasını Tarihten Okumak](http://www.birikimdergisi.com/haftalik/7345/rusya-turkiye-catismasini-tarihten-okumak#.VqnzyRh97aY)/ A Historical Reading the Russian-Turkish Conflict. *Birikim Online*.

2015 [Evde Sulh, Cihanda Sulh](http://www.birikimdergisi.com/haftalik/7337/evde-sulh-cihanda-sulh#.VqnzkBh97aY)/ Peace at Home, Peace in the World. *Birikim Online*.

2015 [Üçüncü Dünya Savaşı Değil, Yeni Bir Savaş](http://www.birikimdergisi.com/haftalik/7314/ucuncu-dunya-savasi-degil-yeni-bir-savas#.VqnzJxh97aY)/ Not a Third World War, but a New War. *Birikim Online*.

2015 [Eşik](http://www.birikimdergisi.com/haftalik/7294/esik#.Vqnywhh97aY)/ Threshold. *Birikim Online*.

2015 [Ölü Bedenlerin Siyasal Yaşamları](http://www.birikimdergisi.com/haftalik/7240/olu-bedenlerin-siyasal-yasamlari#.VqnyYhh97aY)/ The Political Lives of Dead Bodies. *Birikim Online*.

2015 [Seçimler ve Şiddet](http://www.birikimdergisi.com/haftalik/1435/secimler-ve-siddet#.Vqn0HRh97aY)/ Elections and Violence. *Birikim Online*.

2015 [Yunanistan’da Ne Oldu](http://www.birikimdergisi.com/haftalik/1515/yunanistan-da-ne-oldu#.VqnyIhh97aY)/ What Happened in Greece? *Birikim Online*.

2015 [Avrupa’nın Kaderi, Syriza’nın Zaferi](http://www.birikimdergisi.com/haftalik/1366/avrupa-nin-kaderi-syriza-nin-zaferi#.VqnxxBh97aY)/ Europe’s Future, Syriza’s Victory. *Birikim Online*.

2015 [Küresel Baskı, Küresel Cihada Karşı](http://www.birikimdergisi.com/haftalik/1350/kuresel-baski-kuresel-cihada-karsi#.VqnxMBh97aY)/ Global Repression against a Global Jihad. *Birikim Online*.

2014 [İfşa Siyaseti](http://www.birikimdergisi.com/haftalik/1322/ispiyoncular-muhbirler-kostebekler-bir-de-derinlerden-ifsa-edenler#.Vqnw0hh97aY)/ The Politics of Whistleblowers. *Birikim Online*.

2014 [Rusya ve Türkiye’nin Ortak Kaderi](http://www.birikimdergisi.com/haftalik/1305/rusya-ve-turkiye-nin-ortak-kaderi#.VqnwiRh97aY)/ The Common Fate of Russia and Turkey. *Birikim Online*.

2014 [Alaturka Cinsiyetçilik, Alafranga Feminizm](http://www.birikimdergisi.com/haftalik/1290/alaturka-cinsiyetcilik-alafranga-feminizm#.VqnwIxh97aY)/ Eastern Sexism, Western Feminism. *Birikim Online*.

2012 [Yeni Güvenlik Algısı](http://www.dunyabulteni.net/haber/215831/yeni-guvenlik-algisi-ic-dis-ayrimini-muglaklastirdi)/ The New Security Perception (Interview). *Dünya Bülteni*.

2005 [The Ceasefire This Time](http://www.merip.org/mero/mero083105). *MERIP Online.*

**SELECT WORKSHOPS AND INVITED LECTURES (2014–2018)**

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Citizenship and Democracy in a Digital Age  *German Marshall Fund*  *Trilateral Dialogue Meetings, Washington DC* | November 2017 |
| Russia and Turkey in Europe  *Russia and Turkey in Comparative Perspective Workshop*  *IWM, Vienna* | October 2017 |
| Microdynamics of Populist Cleavage in Turkey  *NYU Wagner Center*  *The Conflict, Security and Development Series* | October 2017 |
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| Discussant of the Report on Turkish-Russian Relations (by K. Kirişçi and Baev)  *Brookings Institute, Washington DC* | October 2017 |
| Protectionist and Populist Trends against Globalisation  *A Joint Conference of Brookings Institute and TUSİAD*  İstanhul, Turkey | May 2017 |
| State, Politics and Society after the July 15th Coup Attempt  *A series of workshops organized by İstanbul Policy Center*  İstanbul & Ankara, Turkey | 2016-2017 |
| A Perspective on Civil-Military Relations and Coup d’Etats  *Security Academy, Council for International Relations*  İzmit, Turkey | December 2016 |
| Russia and Turkey’s Regional Challenge  *German Marshal Fund, Trilateral Strategy Group Meeting,*  Stockholm, Sweden | November 2016 |
| Democracy Challenged: Populism, Illiberalism, Radicalism  *Dahrendorf Forum*  Berlin, Germany | May 2016 |
| Bugünden Tarihe Bakmak: Rus Ders Kitaplarının Osmanlı /Türk Algısı  *(Otttoman/Turkish Image in Russian History Textbooks)*  *Tarihsel Perspektiften Rusya-Türkiye İlişkilerini Anlamak Konferansı,*  Kadir Has Üniversitesi İstanbul Turkey | February 2016 |
| The Pendulum of Democracy: Turkey’s Kurdish Conflict  *The AKP and Turkish Foreign Policy in the Middle East,*  *London School of Economics, Middle East Center,*  London, UK | December 2015 |
| Politics and Ethics of New Wars  *War and Physicians Workshop*  Kuşadası, İzmir | December 2015 |
| Transnational Values of Citizenship: The Case of the American Passport  (with Ö. Altan Olcay)  *Citizenship in Motion: Responses to Increasing Transnationality*  *3rd Annual Conference of INTEGRIM Network*  İstanbul | November 2015 |
| Researching the Unresearchable: State Politics and Research Ethics  in the Middle East  *The Ethics of Political Science Research and Teaching in MENA,*  Rabat, Morocco | June 2015 |
| From Diyarbakır to Kobani: The Syrian Conflict and the Rise of  Kurdish Regionalism  *Mapping Foreign Policy in the GCC*  Qatar University, Qatar | February 2015 |
| Street Protests in Competitive Authoritarian Regimes  *Vatandaşlık Konferansı/ Conference on Citizenship,*  *Küresel İncelemeler ve Sınıfsal Stratejiler Merkezi*  SALT, İstanbul | December 2014 |
| The Market for Citizenship: Political Implications of Investment  Citizenship (with Ö. Altan Olcay)  *Koç University Migration Research Center (MiReKoç)*  *10th Anniversary Conference*  İstanbul, | November 2014 |
| Kurds and Chechens: A Comparative Perspective  *Workshop in Preparation of the GTRT 2014:*  *Turkey and Russia, Bilateral Relations and Internal*  *Security Policies*  Stiftung Wissenschaftund Politik (SWP), Berlin | September 2014 |
| Rıza, Mülkiyet ve Deger: Vatandasliğin Donüsümü  / Consent, Property and Value: The Transformation of Citizenship  (with Ö. Altan Olcay)  Atatürk Institute, Boğaziçi Üniversitesi, İstanbul | October 2014 |
| Sınıfsal Ayrışma ve Ulusötesi Eşitsizlikler  /Class Differentiation and Transnational Inequalities  (with Ö. Altan Olcay)  *Aşağısı ve Yukarısı arasında Orta Sınıflar,*  Institut Français d’Études Anatoliennes, İstanbul | May 2014 |
| Doğum Turizmi ve Vatandaşlık  /Citizenship and Birth Tourism (with Ö. Altan Olcay)  *Research Center for International Relations,*  Marmara Üniversitesi, İstanbul | May 2014 |

**SELECT CONFERENCE PAPERS**

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Populism and Foreign Policy: The Case of Turkey  “*Provincialising Populism”*  Istanbul Bilgi University  İstanbul, Turkey | September 2018 |
| Role of Emotions, Memory and Values in "Nation-Making": The Case of the "New Turkey".  *Association for Nationalities Annual Conference*  New York, USA | May 2018 |
| Constituting the New Turkey: Political Attitudes, Values and Emotions  after the July 15th Coup Attempt (with A. B. Çelik)  *Stanford University the Abbasi Program Conference,*  *“Understanding Turkey: Vision, Revision, and the Future”*  Stanford, USA | April 2017 |
| Anxious Parents and Citizenship as Insurance Policy  (with Ö. Altan Olcay)  *American Anthropological Association Annual Conference,*  Denver, USA | November 2015 |
| Citizenship and Class: The Value of the American Passport  (with Ö. Altan Olcay)  *European Consortium for Political Research Annual Conference,*  Montreal, Canada | August 2015 |
| In the Market for US Citizenship (with Ö. Altan Olcay)  *Middle East Studies Association Annual Conference*  Washington DC, USA | November 2014 |
| Savaşın Değişen Biçimleri Üzerinden Uluslararası İlişkileri  Yeniden Düşünmek/ Rethinking International Relations through  Changing Patterns of War-Making  *UIK 10. Yıl Kongresi, Yaşar Üniversitesi,*  Çeşme-Izmir, Turkey | April 2014 |
| Market for Citizenship:  The Embedded Transnationalism of Turkish Elites  (with Ö. Altan Olcay)  *British Sociological Association Annual Conference*  Birmingham, UK | July 2013 |
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