

## **Petek Şirin**

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### **Education:**

2021-Ongoing	Aviation Management, Bahcesehir University (GPA:4.00)
2010-2013	Aston University Birmingham,UK MSc in TESOL (with Merit in Dissertation)
2009-2010	University of Cambridge DELTA (with Distinction in Developing Professional Practice)
2009	University of Cambridge CELTA (Pass B)
2002-2006	Hacettepe University Ankara, TURKEY English Language and Literature

### **Work experience:**

Sep 2021- Present	Ozyegin University UGE Teaching and Learning Unit Specialist, EAP&ESP Instructor, Visiting Instructor at Aviation Faculty
Jan 2016- Present	Ozyegin University Aviation English Program Group Manager, Instructor & ICAO Examiner
Jan 2015- Present	Ozyegin University Undergrad English Program, Aviation English & EAP Instructor (ENG 101,102,103,104,105,303)

Sept 2010- Jan 2015	Ozyegin University Prep School, Instructor
2014- Present	Aston University Birmingham, UK Distance Learning Mentor
2011- 2015	British Council, Istanbul Cambridge ESOL Oral Examiner
2009-2010	Dogus University Prep School, Instructor
2007-2009	American Cultural Association Language School Senior Teacher & Coordinator
2006-2007	Bilgin School of Language Exam English Instructor

### Conference Presentations

2023	8 September <b>"A 360° look at language anxiety among ab-initio pilots: How can pyramid lesson shapes and technology assist us?"</b> ICAEA, Istanbul
2019	16 September <b>"Managing the nitty-gritty: Developing L2 speaking competence of ab-initio pilots"</b> . SCOLA Symposium, Ozyegin University, Istanbul
2019	24-25 May <b>Managing the nitty-gritty: Developing L2 speaking competence of ab-initio pilots"</b> . IATEFL ESP SIG TEDU, Ankara
2016	16-18 June, <b>"The Integration of Assessment 2.0 into Classroom-Based Language Assessment"</b> . The 14 <sup>th</sup> International Bilkent University School of Languages Conference, Ankara.
2016	31 May, <b>"The Joy of Technology in UGEtosphere"</b> . Shaexperince Sessions Ozyegin University, Istanbul
2016	3-6 March <b>"Swimming against the tide: reaching anxious learners through audio feedback"</b> . 23 <sup>rd</sup> International IATEFL Slovenia Conference, Slovenia
2016	22 January <b>"The effective use of audio-visual feedback in UGE Program"</b> . Shaexperince Sessions Ozyegin University,

Istanbul

- 2015 11-14 April” **Audio Feedback in writing: Can it help chronically dissatisfied learners?** “49th Annual International IATEFL Conference and Exhibition, Manchester, UK
- 2013 3-6 March”**Unveiling the mystery: Investigating L2 Reading Motivation in an EFL Classroom**” 19<sup>th</sup> International TESOL Arabia, Dubai
- 2012 6-8 June “**Unveiling the mystery: Investigating L2 Reading Motivation in an EFL Classroom**” 11<sup>th</sup> METU ELT Convention, Ankara
- 2012 17-18 March “**Enriching Process Writing with Technology and Effective Teaching Strategies**” 33<sup>rd</sup> TESOL Greece International Convention, Athens
- 2011 10 October “**Songs in Action**” .International Training Institute Convention, Istanbul
- 2008 15 May “**How to Conduct an Oral Placement Test**” American Cultural Association Academy, Istanbul
- 2008 6 January “**How to Prepare Students for KPDS and UDS**” American Cultural Association Academy, Istanbul

### **Publications:**

- 2020 Blog-id 19: Can it be the magical panacea in teaching in teaching and learning during Covid times? In TESOL Turkey ELT Professional Magazine Issue 6 December 2020 pp.26-27
- 2012 “Unveiling the Mystery: Investigating L2 Reading Motivation in an EFL Classroom”. p. 8-22 . [Proceedings of 11<sup>th</sup> METU Convention.](#)

### **Working papers:**

- Sirin, P. “*The impacts of learner coaching on learner autonomy*”
- Sirin, P. “*Sesli geribildirim öğrenci pilotlardaki yabancı dil kaygısı üzerine etkileri*”

### **Certificates:**

- 2012 Expo Channel, Professional TV Presenter Training
- 2012 Hakan Ozturk Media Center, Broadcast Journalist Training
- 2011 Train the Trainer , ITI
- 2011 Learning Technologies, British Council

2005 Pedagogical Proficiency Certificate from Hacettepe University, Department of English Language Teaching (2005)

**Other Skills& Achievements:**

2016 OZU Faculty Excellence in Teaching and Learning Award

2015 OZU Campus Run November, 2<sup>nd</sup> place

2014- Present OZUTOG (Community Volunteers Foundation) Academic Advisor

2012 Group Moderator in FOCI-VI Ozyegin University

2011 Semi-final Jury in Istanbul High School Debate Championship, Kadikoy  
Anatolian High School

2005 Cultural ambassador representing Turkey in Ireland

1997-2004 Professional basketball player