

## *Curriculum Vitae*



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### **EDUCATION**

- **Cambridge University CELTA** (Certificate in English Language Teaching to Adults) Course, London, 2010.
- **MA in English Language Teaching** – Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2006
- Eastern Mediterranean University Certificate of in-service training course for New Teachers, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2001.
- **BA in English Language Teaching** – Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2000.
- Canbulat High School, Famagusta, North Cyprus, June 1996,
- Polat Paşa Secondary School Famagusta, North Cyprus, June 1993,
- Türkmenköy Primary School June 1991

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

### Courses, Seminars and Workshops Attended

- “Standardized Assessment an Overview”. Pearson and EMU Testing 101 Online course Session 2. Gökçe Mandalı Kurdoğlu (28 March 2022)
- “Standardized Assessment Item Writing and Assessing productive skills and ststandardization” Pearson and EMU Testing 101 Online course Session 1. Gökçe Mandalı Kurdoğlu (25 March, 2022)
- “Assuring Quality of Assessment for Learning with Testing and Curriculum Unit” by Tim Goodier offered by Norwich Institute for Language Education (NILE) , Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (8 November , 2019)
- PD session: Reflection and Target setting, by FLEPS PD, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, September 2019.
- Sixth FLEPS Workshop Festival, by FLEPS PD, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, June 2019.
- Encouraging and Developing Productive Skills, by Thom Kiddle, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, Nowember 2018.
- Using Very Short Films in the Language Classroom, by Alan Pulverness, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, December 2017.
- Assessing Speaking and Writing Testing Assesment, by Mehdi Riazi, , Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, December 2017.
- How to Integrate Thinking Skills into ELT: Blooming Skills in ELT, by Alan MacKenzie , Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, Nowember 2017.
- 9TH T-PLUS EVENT: The Inseparable Duo in Success: Curriculum and Teacher Training, , Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, May 2017.
- Tuning into Your Learners: Assesment and Evaluation in the Lesson, by Craig Thaine, , Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, March 2017.
- MEC Trainig, , Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, March 2017.

- Open Mind- Macmillan, by Teresa Doğuelli, , Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, March 2017.
- ‘ Classroom management’ by Tony Gurr, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2017.
- ‘How to Integrate into Language Classrooms’ , by Semih İrfaner, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2016.
- ‘Trends and New Directions in Language Teaching and Learning ‘ , by Thom Kiddle, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2016.
- ‘ Motivation to Use Technology’ , by Özbek İnan Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2016.
- ‘ Fostering Learner Autonomy Through Student Self-Assessment’ JT Rehill, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2016.
- ‘Doğru insan gerçek ilişki’ , by Aret Vartanyan, Acapulco resort-Girne, February 2016
- ‘Extensive Reading: Readers Inside and Outside of Classroom, by Bill Bowler, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2016.
- ‘So you Teach English-Do you know What you are Doing? Seminar and workshops on Lesson planning, Integrated Skills, Blended Learning Approach and Managing and Motivating Students by Cathryn HOARD, TED Northern Cyprus College, Nicosia, 2012.
- British Council Online Teacher Training Course- Learning Technologies, 2011
- EMU Continuing Education Center – Contribution - General English , 2011.
- British Council Online Teacher Training Course- Primary Essentials, 2013.
- IATEFL TEASİG, Famagusta, 2009.

## **ACADEMIC /TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- Senior Instructor, English Teacher of General English, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2015 to present.
- English Teacher of General English , TED Primary School students (Grade 3, 4 and 5), TED Northern Cyprus College ,Nicosia, North Cyprus, 2011 – 2013

- English Teacher of General English , TED Secondary School students (Grade 6 and 7), TED Northern Cyprus College, Nicosia, North Cyprus ,2013 – 2015.
- Senior Instructor, English Teacher of General English, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2006-2010.
- Instructor, English Teacher of General English, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2003-2006.
- Part-time Instructor, English Teacher of General English, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2000-2003.

#### **COURSES TAUGHT** *(in the last three years)*

- EPSA 20 (beginner- elementary A1-A2) 2021-2022 Spring Semester
- EPSA 20 (beginner- elementary A1-A2) 2021-2022 Fall Semester
- EPSA 20 (beginner- elementary A1-A2) 2020-2021 Spring Semester
- EPSA 20 (beginner- elementary A1-A2) 2020-2021 Fall Semester
- EPS A 21(Elementary) 2018/2019 Spring Semester
- EPS B03 and 04 2018/2019 Fall Semester
- EPS B 12 2017/2018 Spring Semester.
- EPS A2X O4 and 05 2017/18 Fall Semester
- 103 (Pre-intermediate and Intermediate level) 2016/17 Spring Semester.
- 103 (Pre-intermediate and Intermediate level) 2016/17 Fall Semester.
- 103 (Pre-intermediate and Intermediate level) 2015/16 Spring Semester.
- 103 (Pre-intermediate and Intermediate level) 2015/16 Fall Semester.
- Grade 6 English Main Course, TED Northern Cyprus College, Nicosia, 2014/15 Fall Semester.
- Grade 6 English Main Course, TED Northern Cyprus College, Nicosia, 2014/15 Spring Semester.
- Grade 6 English Further Skills Course, TED Northern Cyprus College, Nicosia, 2014/15 Fall Semester.
- Grade 6 English Further Skills Course, TED Northern Cyprus College, Nicosia, 2014/15 Spring Semester.
- Grade 5 and grade 6 English Main Course, TED Northern Cyprus College, Nicosia, 2013/14 Fall Semester.
- Grade 5 and grade 6 English Main Course, TED Northern Cyprus College, Nicosia, 2013/14 Spring Semester.

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

- Testing Unit membership, FLEPS, Sept 2020 to 2022
- Student Affairs Team/Extra-Curricular Activities, FLEPS , 2015-2016 Fall Semester.
- Student Affairs Team/Extra-Curricular Activities, FLEPS , 2015-2016 Spring Semester.
- Student Affairs Team/Extra-Curricular Activities, FLEPS , 2016-2017 Fall Semester.
- Student Affairs Team/Extra-Curricular Activities, FLEPS , 2016-2017 Spring Semester.
- Exam Administration Team member, FLEPS, 2006 to 2010.

## **CONFERENCES, CONGRESSES AND SYMPOSIUMS ATTENDED *(if any)***

- 2<sup>nd</sup> TESOL Turkey International ELT Conference , Teaching Generation Z: Passing on the Baton from K12 to university, Eskişehir Osmangazi University, Turkey, November 2019
- 6. Eğitim Teknolojileri Zirvesi, Geçmişten Geleceğe ETZ19, İstanbul, Turkey, March 2019
- ‘ T-Plus Event‘, EMU, May 11th and 12th, 2017
- VII TED ELT Conference “ Educated Educators”, TED Ankara College, ANKARA, 2015.
- 5<sup>TH</sup> ELT Conference “ Empowering the Learner: Linking Assessment to Learning”, TED Istanbul College, Istanbul, 2012.

## **SERVICES TO UNIVERSITY**

- Facilitator, SWAT Analysis for EPS Curriculum , 2022
- Testing Unit membership, FLEPS, Sept 2020 to 2022

## **SERVICES TO THE COMMUNITY**

- Zalihe Susuzlu ErcanTheatre, actress, donate money for an ill child Sept 2021 to present.
- CIP ( Civic involvement project)2019/2020 Fall semester
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- Teaching English to police members, EMU, 2011.
- Teaching English to İmams , EMU, 2010.